

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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MONCTON.

[Progress is for sale in Moncton at the Moncton Book Store, Main street, A. J. Jones, and by J. E. McCoy.]

JUNE 28.—The meeting of the New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island Methodist conference which has been held in Moncton during the past week, and is still in progress. The services in connection with the meeting have been very impressive. In the Wesley Memorial church the floral decorations were very beautiful, and the music, under the direction of Miss Baird, and Mr. J. H. Wetmore was especially fine.

The Dolls Carnival came off Thursday evening, and if those who were not quite certain what they expected, but anticipating a good deal, were disappointed, I do not know if anyone was to blame if the entertainment failed to come up to their expectations. Of course all public entertainments are open to legitimate criticism, and the present writer would not be telling the truth if he said that the presence of a full brass band in a comparatively small hall, added to the enjoyment of either the visitors or those in charge of the carnival. A brass band is a very good thing in its place, but it is one of those blessings which are most appreciated at a little distance, and when it is all about your ears it becomes an unmitigated annoyance, and is responsible for much ill temper, and innumerable headaches. It was impossible to hear oneself speak, on Thursday night, and as for hearing anyone else, no one tried to, but that was not by any means the fault of the band, which played exceptionally well, and gave some very choice selections.

Of the decorations of the hall, and the general management of the entertainment, it would be difficult to speak too highly in praise. The decorations were chiefly in white and green, the prettiest booth being the flower and candy stall which occupied the centre of the hall and was decorated in a most artistic manner by George Daniel, who had charge of it; pressed ferns against a white background formed the leading design. Within Mrs. Daniel, assisted by a bevy of attendant maidens in white dresses with painted butterflies as head-dresses dispensed confectionary and sold flowers. The assistants were the Misses Gertie Pitfield, Maimie Cooke, Grace Busby, Edith Evans, Jane Harris, Hattie Whitney, Jessy Dowse, Dottie and Sadie Borden, Maggie Willett. The fancy table was in charge of Mrs. H. A. Price, Mrs. E. B. Hooper, and Mrs. George Willett, while the refreshment table was cared for by Mrs. Butler, Mrs. Weeks, and Mrs. E. W. Givan. The Misses Ada Williams, Lucy Whitney and Alice McEwen, had charge of the "Dolls' Carnival" and were very beautiful fancy costumes. Mrs. J. E. McLellan, Miss Crosskill, and Miss Holstead, dispensed cool and strictly temperance drinks from a sort of old Mother Hubbard's cupboard, and were quite and proper costumes. The ice cream room which was fitted up in an unusually comfortable, and sensible manner with a number of small tables, and was a shining example to the misery of the average bazaar ice cream booth, was presided over by Miss Cooke, Miss Harris, Miss Foster, and Miss Marks, who sold the ice cream from a charming little bower apparently composed of frosted snow, which really was a skilful combination of cotton wool and diamond dust. Mrs. T. V. Cooke who was the originator and prime mover in the entertainment has reason to feel much pleased at the success of her efforts. I believe something over a hundred dollars was realized, in aid of the fund for the home teaching of the blind.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ramsay, of Canso, are spending a fortnight in Moncton, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Fleming, of Weldon street. Mr. Ramsay was formerly in the train despatcher's office at Canso. He was married a few weeks to Miss Kate White, also a former resident of Moncton and a sister of Mrs. Murray Fleming. Mrs. Ramsay's many friends in Moncton joined in wishing them every happiness.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Bradley returned yesterday from their visit to the World's Fair. Mrs. Bradley has been spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. R. W. Henson, returning home on Friday. Moncton people heard with very deep regret on Thursday morning of the death of Mr. W. J. Robinson, one of the prominent citizens of Moncton. Mr. Robinson's death was not unexpected, as he had been an invalid for some years, and confined to his bed for the past few months. His illness originated in a throat trouble which developed into consumption and finally caused his death at the comparatively early age of 54. Mr. Robinson left a widow and three sons, Messrs. A. J. and C. W. Robinson, barristers, and Mr. F. C. Robinson. The funeral took place on Saturday afternoon from the family residence on Alma street, and was very largely attended, the hearse being preceded by five hundred school children who marched four abreast under the direction of their teachers, Mr. Robinson having been chairman of the board of school trustees, who followed immediately after the children. The pall bearers were the three sons of the deceased and Dr. G. T. Smith. The services were conducted by Rev. John Red. The casket bore a beautiful floral trophy of roses, carnations and lilies.

Miss Annie Cooke left town last week to spend a fortnight with friends in Windsor, Nova Scotia. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watte returned from their wedding trip on Wednesday last. Mrs. Grant Hall left town last week to spend some weeks at her home in Montreal.

CECIL GWYNNE.

FREDERICTON.

[Progress is for sale in Fredericton by W. T. H. Fenety and J. H. Hawthorne.]

JUNE 27.—Mr. D. F. George and family leave on Friday for their summer cottage at the Bay Shore. Mr. Foster entertained the graduates of the high school to day, to a delightful picnic. They went down river in one of the tugs. Mrs. Wilder, nee Miss Laura Wetmore of London, Ont., has arrived in St. John, and is expected here shortly, when she will spend the summer at Kingsclear, with her sister, Mrs. T. Carleton Allen. Miss Bessie Johnston of St. John, is visiting her cousin, Miss Fannie Lement. Mrs. John Berryman and daughter, Miss Massey of St. John, in company with Miss Ilbeth of South Carolina, are spending a few days in the city. Dr. Bridges has gone to camp, Sussex, as surgeon for the 1st Battalion.

Miss Joe Wood, of Boston, is expected here this week, when she will be the guest of Miss Franke Tibbitts at her pleasant home on York street. Miss Nora Osbourne, of England, is visiting the Misses Powys. Mr. Sherwood Skinner, of St. John, is spending a few days with friends here. The latest engagement that I have heard of is that of one of our charming widows, to a gentleman at present in the civil service. Mrs. Lizzie, of Chatham, is in the city, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Lovie at "Elm Cottage." Mrs. Percy Chestnut is at Miss Allen's. Mrs. David Hat and family and Mrs. Byron Coullander and daughter have gone to "Camp Contentment," Mrs. Hatt's summer resort, for the warm weather. Miss Lue Murray, of St. John, is here visiting her brother, Mr. Rennie Murray, at Kingsclear. Mr. Harry Fenety is making a short visit in the city. Mr. Chas. Murchie and family, of St. Stephen, have come here to reside. They have taken a house on College road. Mrs. Morgan, of Cambridge, Mass., is visiting friends in the city. Mr. Wyman, of London, Eng., is visiting Fredericton. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. B. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. W. Lement, with Miss Lement and Mr. Brun Lement intend leaving next week for Charlottetown, P. E. I., where they will spend a few weeks at the shore. They will be joined at Moncton by Mr. Jas. Lement, who also goes as one of the party. Mrs. Jas. S. Beck and Miss Katie leave tomorrow for St. John. Mrs. Beck goes to Hampton for a few weeks for the benefit of her health, while Miss Beck will visit Mrs. A. L. Palmer for a couple of weeks before returning to her home at Bangor. Mrs. A. G. Edgewood and family leave on



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Thursday for Toronto, where they will spend the summer. Mrs. Paddock, of St. John, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Black, Brunswick street. Mrs. J. M. Wiley and family left on Friday for Westfield, to spend the summer. Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Williams are tonight celebrating the tenth anniversary of their wedding day, a large party having gone up from town to be present at the wedding party. Miss Harriet Ramsford returns from Boston next week for a short vacation. Miss Ida Todd, of Milltown, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Lynch. Mrs. G. Savage and Miss Galt leave for Montreal, they will be accompanied by Miss Haldain, who goes to Detroit to spend the summer there. Miss Peake arrived home to-day to spend the vacation. Miss Agnes Barker is expected here to-morrow; while in the city she will be the guest of Mrs. Peake's, George Road. Since the fire at Gibson, Rev. Mr. Parkinson and family have been staying with Mrs. Tabor, on Sunbury street. Miss Stella Steeves, of Moncton, is spending a few days in Fredericton. Miss Louise Kelsey and Miss Minnie Richards, are expected home from Boston next week. Miss Alice Nixon, of St. John, is visiting Mrs. Henry Clark. Miss Maggie Jean Murray has gone to St. John to visit friends. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Atherton and son, and Mrs. T. M. Jones, of Woodstock, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Fisher. CRICKET. Mr. Alonso Hillson of Moncton spent a day in town last week. Mr. Will Montgomery of Dalhousie was at the "Intercolonial Hotel" on Sunday. Rev. Fr. Pichon of Montreal is preaching the retreat to the Sisters of the Hotel Dieu. Master Arthur O'Keefe has returned from St. Joseph's College, Memramook. The ladies of the St. John's choir gave a very enjoyable evening to a few friends on Monday night. Mr. Sterling of Montreal is in town to-day. The Boston school as stated by "Providence" correspondent is her home in Salisbury. Mrs. P. Hamilton of Charlottetown spent a day or so here last week the guest of Miss McAlister. Quite a large number of our citizens intending to go to Moncton for the celebration of the 1st. It is said that the Campbell brass band will go down and what Messrs. W. Brown and W. A. Mowat will contest the bicycle races. The Campbell division of I. O. G. T. visited the lodge in Dalhousie on his bicycle this afternoon. Mr. Fred Kerr left for Springhill last evening where he intends visiting Mr. and Mrs. Neil McDonald prior to his return to Presque Isle. Miss Ayer wishes to say that she is a student of the Emerson college of Oratory, Boston, not the Boston school as stated by "Providence" correspondent in last week's issue. VIOLA.

SUSSEX.

JUNE 27.—Mrs. Gordon Mills paid a short visit to her sister, Mrs. Hayward, in Hampton last week. Miss Hattie Stockton returned on Thursday from St. John. Mrs. James Sprout, Campbellton, spent part of last week in Sussex with his brother, Conductor John Sprout of the L. C. R. Col. Maunsell and daughter of Fredericton, arrived here on Thursday. Miss Maunsell is boarding at the Knoll, while her father is in camp here. Mrs. Frank Parlee and little daughter, are visiting friends in Quispamsis. Rev. G. W. McDonald, St. John, was in town on Thursday. Mrs. R. E. McLeod and her daughter, Mrs. F. W. McLeod, were visiting in Moncton over Sunday. Capt. Peter McKay left on Thursday, for a trip through Nova Scotia. Mrs. J. J. Kerr is visiting friends in Dorchester. Mr. E. McLeod, M. P., St. John, was in town on Friday. Miss Hansard, St. John, is visiting her cousin, Mr. H. Montgomery Campbell, Fox Hill. The Misses Pidgeon, St. John, were the guests of Mrs. C. D. Davis, Thursday and Friday. Miss Kierstead, Springfield, is visiting Mrs. Davis. Mrs. Warren Winslow spent Saturday with Mrs. H. Montgomery Campbell, Fox Hill. The Misses Belle and Maude Skinner are visiting Mrs. A. Robertson. Mr. W. D. Forster, Moncton, was in town on Sunday. Mr. G. R. Pugsley and Dr. J. R. Smith, St. John, were at the Depot House on Monday. Mr. H. S. Parlee is away on a trip to Chicago, to visit the World's Fair.

SACKVILLE.

[Progress is for sale in Sackville at C. H. Moore's Bookstore.] JUNE 27.—Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Foster and Miss Annie Lawton, St. John, who have been spending a few weeks at Bathurst, returned on Saturday evening. Mrs. Charles Fawcett and Mrs. F. Ryan are spending the summer at Shediac. Mr. Thos. Murray is spending a week up North enjoying the fishing. Mr. Murray's place in the bank is filled by Mr. Allan. Mr. Ted Smith has returned from a very pleasant trip to St. John. He was accompanied by his cousin, Mr. Ernest Smith, who will spend some time in Sackville. Miss Clarke, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Clarence Knapp. Mrs. C. W. Harrison went to Newcastle on Wednesday, where she sang at a concert given there. Miss Eleanor Wood has returned from Whiteby Ladies' college and will spend the vacation at her home. Mr. W. B. Snowball, of Chatham, spent a few days in town last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dixon have returned after a week's visit to St. John. While there they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fisher. "The dolls carnival," which has been attracting much attention lately, was held here on Saturday, a very tempting refreshment table being in connection with it. Ice cream was also dispensed. The proceeds amounted to about fifty dollars. Mr. A. E. Cogswell of the Halifax Banking company of Lunenburg, but formerly of the Sackville agency has been spending the past two weeks at his home, left on Thursday for Lunenburg. Mr. J. L. Black and Miss Jennie Black were summoned to Toronto a short time ago to attend the funeral of Mr. Black's grandson, Master Frank Burke. They returned on Friday accompanied by Mrs. Burke. Dr. J. R. Inch spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Haddon. Dr. and Mrs. Borden, Mrs. Black, (Bermduda) and Miss Masters are visiting Chicago. Miss Ayer and Miss Crompton are spending the vacation in Sackville. 1893.

DALHOUSIE.

JUNE 27.—It is understood that the family of Hon. C. H. Tupper will arrive at "Inch Arran" this week. This hotel is now ready for the reception of guests. Mr. Haddon has returned from the Liberal convention at Ottawa. The Misses Gordon have returned from Boston, and will spend the summer months at Dalhousie. Miss Montgomery and Miss MacNeil from New Richmond are visiting friends in town.

CAMPBELLTON.

[Progress is for sale in Campbellton at the store of A. A. A. Kayton today.] Mrs. G. B. Steacie, Amherst, and Mr. Leitch, St. John, are in town to-day. Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Jones, Moncton, are visiting Mrs. J. S. Trites. Posters are out for an entertainment by some of the Moncton Amateur club on Saturday evening. They are to play "Hercules." The entertainment is under the patronage of Lieut. Col. Maunsel, D. A. G. and officers in command of camp and it should be greeted with a full house. Dor.

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ST. GEORGE. JUNE 26.—Mrs. Henry McGration gave a very pleasant juvenile party on Saturday afternoon for her little daughter, Bessie. Mrs. Edwin Russell has returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. Gilmore, Upper Falls. Miss Addie Dick left on Wednesday for her home in St. John. Mrs. Dan. Gillmor, children and servant, arrived from Montreal on Thursday. Mr. Samuel Johnson was in the city last week. Mr. Mersereau and little son of Chatham, are in town. Hon. A. H. Gillmor and Mr. James O'Brien, returned from Ottawa this week. MAX.

SALISBURY. JUNE 27.—Mr. William Steeves, of Hillsboro, is making a visit at his home. Mr. and Mrs. Howard, of Charlottetown, have made a short visit with their son, Rev. J. W. Howard. Miss Aggie Wilmet is visiting friends in Moncton. Mrs. D. Baird is in Moncton on Saturday; also Mrs. A. Trites. Rev. Eugene Chapman is spending a few days at his home. Mrs. Thompson Taylor and children are the guests of Mrs. Rufus Smith. Mrs. William Steeves and Mrs. Ralph Milton went to Moncton on Saturday. Mr. Fred Watson, of Moncton, spent Saturday in Salisbury. Mr. and Mrs. Holstead spent a few days in Moncton. Mrs. P. J. Gray went to Moncton on Tuesday. TREMA.

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