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HALIFAX NOTES.

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Mrs. Russell's lecture on Delsartism on Tuesday evening was a great success. True there might have been a larger audience, but the terribly stormy night was responsible for that. She spoke for nearly two hours, very pleasantly and fluently and was extremely instructive. She put the great principle and truths of Delsartism before the audience in a clear light, giving every one a shoud imagine, a very good idea of what all these are. I did not happen to hear the former much talked of lecture, at Bellevue, so went prepared to hear nothing in particular, about everything in general, instead of that I heard a good deal of sound practical common sense, applicable to every movement and duty of daily life and exceedingly applicable to the audience she was addressing.

The Rev. W. B. King, rector of Christ Church, Cambridge, and formerly rector of St. Luke's, Halifax, has been making a short visit to his old parish and parishioners, by whom he has been heartily welcomed. Mr. King delivered the address at the fifteen minutes service at the Church of England Institute on Tuesday to a large congregation of men.

Capt. Guise, the King's Regiment, goes on leave next month, and will spend the winter in England. He will be much missed in church work, in which he is most zealous.

Mrs. Edward Binney, who has been spending the summer with her father, Hon. W. J. Almon, at Rosebank, leaves for England next week, accompanied by Miss Laura Almon.

Miss Kenny will spend the winter with relatives and friends in England.

Mrs. Russell left this week for Yarmouth, where she will lecture on her way to New York.

Thursday evening, being the festival of St. Andrews, the North British Society have their annual dinner at the Halifax hotel. Among the guests of the society will be General A. Montgomery Moore.

The Mumidian on Monday, brought back Leont Governor Daly from England, where he went some time ago on business of an important matter. Everyone will be glad to see him back again.

Miss Sheraton left on Monday for St. John; she will be much missed at St. Paul's.

AMHERST.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Amherst by Charles Hillcoat and at the music store of H. A. Hillcoat.]

Nov. 29.—Mr. J. L. Allan, of Amherst, went to River Philip on Thursday last, and was married to Miss Blanche Carter, a very pretty young lady of that place, who has many friends here. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. Huddell in the church of St. John, which was filled with observers. The bride looked particularly well in a very handsome travelling gown of French gray, trimmed with velvet, and a typical hat in the same shade, and carried a bouquet of chrysanthemums and maiden-hair ferns. Mr. and Mrs. Allan went to Halifax on their wedding trip and arrived in Amherst on Tuesday evening and met with a very cordial reception from their friends.

The wedding of Miss Eva Pride and Mr. A. W. Foster proved to be quite the smartest and largest event of this season. The large bay window was arranged and decorated as a stand point for the important factors and their assistants, and a decidedly pretty group they made. The bride, in her elegant and perfect fitting robe of rich white satin, en traine, stylishly trimmed with lace and ribbon, and completely enveloped in the conventional veil, fastened with orange and jasmine blossoms, looked a perfect picture of classic beauty. Miss Jakeman, of Halifax, who was maid of honor, wore a toilette of pale green crepe du chene, with trimmings of Irish lace and ribbon, fashioned very prettily and gave a charming tone of color to the pleasing picture. The groom who is of the Saxontype of beauty looked particularly well in the wedding garments and was supported by Mr. Will Pride, brother of the bride. Mrs. Pride wore a gown of black satin trimmed with lace and jet as also did the groom's mother, Mrs. Foster of Bridgetown, Little Miss Liddle Moffat, Miss Daphne Allan and Miss Kate Campbell were maids in attendance. A diversity of smart gowns were among the many guests present who were marvelously constructed chapeaux to match which were donned during the ceremony.

The groom's present to the bride was a very costly piano lamp. He gave the bridesmaid a diamond and pearl brooch, and to his best man a diamond pin.

The bride received from her father and mother a cheque for \$300, and \$200 from the groom's father. His mother's present was a silver and cut glass fruit dish.

Dr. and Mrs. Allan, dozen silver coffee spoons; Miss and Mr. C. Black, silver soup ladle; Mr. N. Campbell and Miss Campbell, silver salad bowl; Miss Kate Campbell, souvenir spoon; Miss Christie, dozen silver chocolate spoons; Mr. W. M. Chesley, handsome silver butter dish and knife.

Misses Ada and Hattie Black, bamboo easel; Miss May Bent, Japanese card receiver; Mr. A. M. Borden, \$5; Mrs. A. Gates, Japanese fire screen; Mr. M. C. Casey, bon bon dish of silver; Dr. McQueen, silver salt cellars and spoons with gold linings;

Mr. J. M. Currey, bamboo umbrella stand; Messrs. Calhoun, silver cake stand; Mr. and Mrs. Bell, silver salver; Rev. and Mrs. V. E. Harris, silver pie knife; J. V. Howard, silver basket; Miss Howard, silver postal case; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Smith, silver salver; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Smith, silver ice picher; Mr. J. T. Smith, jewel case in glass and silver; Mr. S. Sutherland, silver cake basket;

Mr. J. W. Pipes, gold lined jelly spoon; Mr. and Mrs. Polly, (Quebec), silver cake basket; Mr. and Mrs. E. Pipes, silver hanging clock; Miss Fulmer, silver pie lifter; Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Tupper, Japanese tray; Miss C. Wilson, Japanese toilet tray; Miss Skimming, silver whisk holder; Miss Turle, (Moncton), silver writing set; Mrs. Turle, (Moncton) Shakespeare's poems; Mr. Turle, (Moncton), mirror with silver mountings;

Mr. and Mrs. N. Rhodes, silver bon bon basket; Mr. H. G. Rogers, carving set; Mr. and Mrs. N. Quigley, silver castors; Mr. W. W. Priddle, bedroom suit; Mr. W. E. Priddle, china tea set; Mr. and Mrs. M. McLeod, (Charlottetown), silver chocolate service; Mr. and Mrs. D. A. McDonald, (New Glasgow), silver and glass fruit dish; Mr. McUlloch, (Halifax), pearl opera glasses;

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Miss Calkins, red silk; Mrs. L. Burrill, black silk trimmed with lace; Mrs. Jessie Burrill, pale pink cashmere. The music was furnished partly from Yarmouth. Miss Susie Boone seemed to be acknowledged the belle of the ball. On account of the rain on Wednesday, quite a number of people were disappointed in the planned walking party to Tuskent on Thanksgiving day. The concert in the Boston Marine hall on Thanksgiving evening, given under the auspices of Y. M. C. A., was very well attended. Mrs. T. B. Flint's solo, "The Spinning Song" was very well received, also Miss Marion Tooker's solo. Mr. J. D. Medcalf gave a fine violin solo and responded to his encore with another equally as good. Miss Gwen Lovitt gave a well selected recitation which was splendidly rendered. Mr. D. J. Robb gave a comic reading, Mr. George Caen a vocal solo—piano solo by Miss Josie Baker, and violin solo by Miss Alice Potter, Miss Libbie Bingay and Mrs. T. U. B. Bingay, piano accompanists. Mrs. Frank Wilson, accompanied by her daughter left for Barrington on Saturday last. Miss Wilson expects to spend the winter in Digby. Capt. R. Caen has returned home from New York. There was a very fine Thanksgiving service given in Trinity church on Thursday. The music was repeated on Sunday evening. Mr. Wickwire, of Digby, is spending a few days here. Mr. Lou Webster has returned home from Boston. Mr. J. Sweeney has the sympathy of the town in the loss by fire of his furniture rooms on Friday last. The firemen certainly deserve great credit for the brave and persistent manner in which they kept control of the fire that seemed determined to catch first one and then another building in the vicinity, and with the exception of Mr. Sweeney's all escaped with but slight charring, although many packed and moved all their furniture. Mr. J. R. Kinney was in Digby last week. Mr. J. Townsend Anderson and family left per steamer Boston, on Wednesday last for their future home in Livingston, Guatemala. They were accompanied by Miss Bell Webster, who intends spending the winter with them. Mr. Charles Kinney and bride (daughter of Capt. Samuel Hatfield, Arcadia), left per steamer Boston, on Wednesday night. Mr. F. H. Eaton, editor of Kentville Advertiser, arrived here Wednesday. Mrs. Ralph Davis has had to return from school in Wolfville on account of ill health. Mr. William Burrill has gone to St. John on business. The Oddfellows are anticipating a pleasant excursion to Clark's harbor, on Wednesday, by steamer La Tour, returning on Thursday morning. Miss Julia Moody went to Boston on Saturday last for a short trip. Mr. A. S. Murray, cashier Exchange bank, left for Boston on Wednesday evening. Mr. George W. Johnson went to Boston last week on a short business trip. Dr. Joel Fritz, of Digby, has moved with his family to Yarmouth, where he will practice dentistry with Dr. Harding. Messrs. L. Atwood, A. N. Chandler, A. H. Chadbourne, A. S. Chandler, Charles Angler, George E. Mansfield and Mr. Viola, all of Boston, are in town on business connected with the new railway; also Mr. Thomas Robertson of Barrington. Mrs. Ritchie and daughter, of Halifax, arrived per steamer Boston, on Saturday morning, on their way home. Capt. Lockhart, of New York, left per steamer Boston, on Saturday. Mr. James Ritchie, of Halifax, passed through Yarmouth last week. Mr. B. O. Dana, of Boston, was in town last week. Mr. T. E. Wheeler, of Boston, was among the passengers of steamer Boston, on Saturday morning. Invitations are out for a large social ball to be given in the new McLoughlin hall on Thursday. It is to be preceded by a concert. A great many invitations are issued and people are anticipating something less monotonous than the ordinary ball. It is rumored we are to have a very handsome new theatre or concert room in town before another year. Miss Vroom is a guest of Miss Bessie Gray, Main street. Mrs. Moody returned from Boston on Saturday last. Mr. Stephen Black spent a few days in town last week. Capt. Samuel Davis has returned home.

TRURO, N. S. Nov. 29.—Miss Mitchell, River John, who has been visiting her friends, Miss Annie Longhead, left for a prolonged visit with friends in Windsor, on Monday last. Thanksgiving services were held in all the churches here on Thursday last. At St. John's the decorations were especially attractive and the singing especially fine. Mr. Phillips is a late acquisition to the choir. This choir is presently to undergo various changes for its further improvement. Its present leading soprano, Mrs. Brine, is improving an already fine voice, under Prof. McLean's careful tuition. Mr. W. D. Hemen spent Thanksgiving in Dartmouth among home friends. Quite a number of young people afforded a complete and pleasant surprise to the Misses Lill and Della Archibald, on Thursday evening last at their home lower Prince street. A few hours were very pleasantly spent and a most appetizing lunch partaken of. Rev. Dr. Tompkins, London, Eng., is visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. D. McLennan at the Cedars. There will be an interesting event consummated this evening at the Pleasant street Methodist church, of which more anon. Mrs. D. G. McDonald is receiving her friends Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Miss Maggie McDougall is assisting her. Mrs. A. C. Page gave a high tea Monday afternoon, in honor of her niece, Mrs. O'Day, of New York. The company was a small but select one. The ladies were: Mrs. W. S. Muir, Mrs. M. L. Dickie, Mrs. D. T. Cummings, Mrs. C. M. Blanchard and Miss Mary Crowe. The table was beautifully arranged, having pretty floral decorations and droppings of silk, and lighted by silver candelabra. In the evening the company was largely augmented by numerous gentlemen who just dropped in, in an impromptu way. Mr. O'Day is expected this week from New York, and accompanied by Mrs. O'Day, will leave next Monday on their return home. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Campbell entertained a small party of academy students at dinner on Thanksgiving. Mr. C. Craig spent a few days in Pictou last week. He returned on Friday last, and was accompanied by Mrs. Craig who so far convalescent as to be able to return home.

WOLFVILLE, N. S. [PROGRESS is for sale in Wolfville by Messrs. Rockwell & Co.] Nov. 28.—Miss Wright, of Windsor, spent Sunday here the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dixon. Miss Evelyn Kierstead is about again after a severe attack of quinsy. Mr. B. Armstrong has returned from Halifax, where he has been for some weeks. Mrs. Clifford Fielding and Master Clive Fielding, of Halifax, are the guests of Mrs. Payzant, Station St. Mr. Paulin, of Windsor, spent Thanksgiving day in Wolfville. On Thursday evening, Nov. 17th, Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Collins and Mr. and Mrs. John Collins entertained about one hundred guests at their residence. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Starr, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Starr, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Almaine, Miss Edwards, Halifax, Miss G. Starr, Miss Ada Starr, Canning, Miss Newcombe, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Calkin, Mr. and Mrs. B. Calkin, Miss Annie Chipman, Kentville, Miss Burgess, Mrs. Clarence Borden, Mrs. A. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Rand, Miss Lizzie Pratt, Miss Amy Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. John Fullerton, Miss Morse, Mrs. William Fullerton, Mrs. John Rowe, Miss Rowe, Miss Lucy Rowe, Mr. and Mrs. John Donahoe, Mr. G. Masters, Mr. Woodworth, Mr. Arthur Calkin, Mr. Sheppard, Mr. Harbin, Mr. Pratt, Mr. Gillmore and Dr. Payzant. Some of the gowns worn by the ladies were very pretty, a few of which I shall try to describe. The hostesses were very becomingly dressed.

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