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HALIFAX NOTES.

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A very large and fashionable audience attended the concert given in St. Luke's hall in aid of the Bishops chapel on Thursday evening of last week. The decorations were very pretty and showed that a great deal of time and care had been expended upon them. The walls on each side were covered with flags and the windows were draped over top with white and yellow bunting. The stage was prettily arranged with palms and flowers, while the wall at the back was covered with flags and bunting and prettily decorated with a screen and radiance to the scene. The programme was splendidly rendered. The Bishop's reading clearly showed that he is as good a reader as a preacher. Miss Oliver sang "Stories" very sweetly and every word was clear and distinct. Mrs. Comeline sang "The Dear Home Land" in her wonderfully rich voice. In that and "We'll keep the old gray Mare," she was encored. Miss Gladys Tremaine's violin solo with guitar accompaniment by Capt. Kent, R. E. received the encore it deserves. Miss Tremaine also played Wienianish's "Liedchen," very nicely indeed.

Miss Wickwire sang "The Gay Tom Tit" in a manner that drew forth a rapturous encore. She did not respond however. The orchestra of the Doering Brainer Conservatory was present and they played in excellent style. Rev. Mr. Crawford's song "The Promise of Life was given in that gentleman's usual good style.

General and Mrs. Montgomery-Moore gave a delightful dance at "Bellvue" last week. There was just a nice number present and everything passed off very smoothly. Mrs. Moore wore white brocade, silk, lace and diamonds, and Mrs. Erskine was richly gowned in white silk with yellow sash and diamond ornaments. Among the other ladies the following looked remarkably well. Miss Colborne looked well in blue and Miss Matchem in white and blue; Miss Henry wore an elegant black satin with cream lace; Mrs. J. Kenny wore gold and white; Mrs. James Morrow looked her best in pink and white; Miss Worsley wore a becoming mauve and white attire; Mrs. Creighton wore white and spangled silver, and Miss Constable a pale yellow and sage green costume; Mrs. O'Dwyer wore a pink and blue; Miss Tremaine looked exceedingly pretty in cardinal and pink; Mrs. Hartley's pale pink and olive green costume was much admired; and Mrs. Collins wore white satin lace and diamonds; Mrs. Longe's costume was of mauve.

This has been quite a gay week, with weddings, "at homes" balls and dinners unusually numerous; Mrs. Walter Doull gave a most successful "at home" on Tuesday; Mrs. W. B. Taylor had two very pleasant functions at her charming home on Tuesday and Thursday of last week.

Today (Wednesday) Mrs. Hector McLennan is entertaining a number of her friends at her home on Lucknow street.

Tomorrow Mrs. R. Pickford will also receive her numerous friends.

The rector of St. Luke's received the hearty congratulations of his parishioners on Wednesday of last week in being the 25th anniversary of his ordination. The "at home" in St. Luke's hall was largely attended. Mrs. James Sairs gave one of the very pleasant teas of the season. Every one came in after football and it may be said to have been a regular football tea. Mrs. Sairs was assisted by her daughter Miss Eleanor Sairs and both made charming hostesses.

Mrs. Jones gave a pleasant dance last week in honor of Miss Kinnear. The music and supper were both perfect and everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves. Many new gowns were noticeable and every one looked lovely.

On Wednesday night Mrs. Montgomery Moore had a large dinner party to meet Admiral and Mrs. Erskine.

Saturday night there was an official dinner at government house for the same purpose. On Tuesday a very select dinner was given by a South Park street hostess.

On Monday evening one of the most successful and popular hostesses gave a small dance to about thirty of her friends. It was most enjoyable however and dancing was kept up till very late.

Capt. Semini arrived last week to take the place of Major Wadron as D. A. A. G. Capt. Semini was here in the Leicestershire regiment and was a great favorite in Halifax society and will be warmly welcomed back by his many friends. Another officer who was very popular here about six years ago is likely to return on a staff appointment.

Mrs. T. Eyles gave a very pleasant tea at her residence on Pleasant street Friday afternoon, which was largely attended.

The Honorable Mr. and Mrs. Alexander who have been spending the summer in Halifax, left last week for their home in Ireland. Miss Stajner accompanied them, and will remain away for about a year.

Miss M. Wallace, who has been spending the last two months in Upper Canada, has returned, and is looking very well after her visit.

AMHERST.

Progress is for sale at Amherst by Master A. D. Campbell.

Nov. 13.—The alarming shrinkage in gay doings at present is attributed to early preparation for Christmas—if that can be accepted as the cause; when that festive day rolls round something on a pretty grand scale may be expected. I am more inclined to think however that preparing for Jack frost would be a true version of things as that is a duty no one dare overlook in this cheery spot.

Miss Winnie Tizle leaves on Thursday morning for Bermuda, where she will spend the coming months with friends.

Prof. Wootton of Mt. Allison was the guest of Rev. Mr. Williams at the Methodist parsonage last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sedgewick appeared out on Sunday at the Presbyterian church.

Mr. Robert Mowatt was in town last week and left on Monday for Montreal accompanied by Mrs. Mowatt, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. John Mowatt during the past year.

Mrs. James A. Dickey returned home on Friday from a visit to friends in Halifax and Windsor.

Mrs. R. C. Fuller is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Nelson in Truro.

Miss Maude Tighe went to Kentville last Tuesday to join her friend, Miss Giffins on a short trip to Boston.

Miss Rhoda Fittell has returned from a short visit to friends in Leicester.

Mrs. A. Darric Taylor is paying a visit to her former home in Halifax.



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The remains of the late Mrs. Miles, widow of the late Rev. F. Miles, a former pastor of the Baptist church here, arrived from Margerville on Tuesday and were taken to the Baptist church, where a most impressive funeral service was conducted by Dr. Steel. The interment took place in the Highlands. Much sympathy is expressed by her family, who made many friends during their residence in town.

WINDSOR.

Progress is for sale in Windsor at Knowles, book store and by F. W. Dakin.

Nov. 8.—Mrs. James Dickey who has been visiting Mrs. Dimock, "Thornton," returned to Amherst on Friday.

Miss Lizzie Smith spent last week in Parrsboro. Mr. W. Anderson of Ottawa spent a few days in town last week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. W' Cox.

Mr. W. M. Christie spent a day or two in Halifax last week.

Miss Louise MacKintosh, who has been visiting Mrs. F. W. Ryan, returned to Halifax on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Rogers of New Glasgow spent Thursday and Friday in town.

Mr. R. Lawson of the bank of Nova Scotia, Halifax was in town on Thursday.

Mr. W. H. Blanchard was in Halifax on Wednesday.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Lawson celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage by entertaining a large number of their friends. Progressive euchre was the order of the evening until after supper when dancing was enjoyed until an early hour. A pleasing feature of the occasion was the presence of Mr. and Mrs. Lawson's entire family, Mr. Reginald Lawson having come up from Halifax to be present. Mrs. Lawson was the recipient of a large number of presents in silver.

Those present were:—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Russell, Professor and Mrs. Vroom, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence H. Dimock, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Ouseley, Mr. and Mrs. L. Norman, Dimock, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Ryan, Miss Machin, Miss Tomlin, Miss Mary Dimock, Mrs. Jamieson, Mr. and Mrs. Paulin, Dr. and Mrs. Moody, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Blanchard, Miss MacKintosh, Halifax, Miss Bertha Harvey, Miss Alice Wiggins, Dr. and Mrs. Gossip, Mr. Bradford, Mr. Mills, Mr. H. W. Sangster, Mr. Cochrane, Mr. F. A. G. Ouseley.

Mrs. Lawson received her guests in a handsome dress of pink silk.

Miss Lawson, rose colored silk, trimmed with darker shade of velvet, which was most becoming.

Mrs. Ryan, looked charming in usual in mauve satin.

Mr. O'Brien wore a gown of black silk and jet.

Mrs. Russell, pink moire, trimmed with yellow lace.

Mrs. Vroom, a gown of blue satin.

Mrs. Clarence Dimock wore a dress of pale blue silk crepe, trimmed with black.

Mrs. Norman Dimock, white brocade silk with pink sleeves.

Miss Dimock, pink satin.

Mrs. Jamieson, black lace and veivel, jet trimmings.

Mrs. Moody wore black velvet, trimmed with pink silk.

Miss MacKintosh, Halifax, pale green silk trimmed with veivel same shade.

Miss Harvey, rose green silk, trimmed with ribbon and white lace.

The students of Kings college celebrated Guy Fawkes night, with a great deal of fun on Friday and a huge bon fire later in the evening they were entertained at supper by Professor and Mrs. Vroom.

Invitations are out for a progressive euchre party at "Carleton" Wednesday evening.

Hon. Mr. Davies of Charlottetown, P. E. I. was here for a day or two last week.

Mrs. Vroom entertains a number of young people this evening.

DIGBY.

Progress is for sale in Digby by Mrs. Morse.

Nov. 13.—Miss Edith Corbett of Annapolis, has been spending a few days with friends here.

Mrs. Eber Turnbull is visiting in Annapolis.

Mr. Harry Viets is home from Boston on a vacation.

Rev. Mr. Harley arrived home last week, accompanied by Mrs. Harley. Mrs. Harley has quite fully recovered from the effects of her recent severe illness.

Mrs. H. B. Short has returned from Hantsport. Judge Savary and Mrs. Savary were in town a few days recently, the guests of Mrs. E. Turnbull.

Mrs. Watson has been visiting in St. John.

Gen. Montgomery Moore and Col. Leach of Halifax, have been enjoying a few days shooting in this vicinity.

Mrs. (Dr.) Geo. Turnbull of Yarmouth, has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Titus.

Rev. J. H. Saunders of St. John, is about to take up his residence here with his family.

Miss O'Lea and Miss Forsyth, who have been in St. John for some weeks, returned home last week.

Miss Lily O'Lea, organist of Trinity church, has returned to her home in Windsor.

Mr. L. R. McLellan has been suffering from a sprained ankle.

Mrs. H. B. Short of Liverpool, has come to spend the winter here with her daughter, Mrs. Longstaff.

Principal Layton, of Springhill, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Herbert Layton.

Mrs. D. G. Howard has been spending a week at Windsor. Mr. Robert Howard lately returned from a trip to New York.

Mr. Stasfeld, of Springhill, assisted Rev. S. Gibbons with the services on Sunday.

Mr. J. Fryers, who was summoned to Moncton by the serious illness of his father, returned yesterday.

Miss Alice Lavers left on Wednesday for Boston.

Mrs. H. B. Smith, of Springhill, spent a night at the rectory, on her way home from Fortbrook.

Miss Letitia Dodsworth and Miss Maude Morris, are back from a visit to Canning.

Mr. H. McKenna has been out of town for a day or two.

Miss Estelle Hatfield has returned from a visit to Boston.

Mrs. Ogden, of Sackville, made a short visit to friends here last week.

Mrs. Towrhead went to Springhill on Thursday with Mrs. Cecil Parsons and the children.

Miss Alice Gunter, of Newville, lately spent a few days at Mr. B. F. Young's.

Mrs. C. R. Smith went home to Amherst on Monday.

Miss May Jenks has returned to Amherst.

Rev. Mr. McLean is in Truro, his appointments here on Sunday being filled by Rev. Mr. Munro, of Oxford.

PACIOU.

Progress is for sale in Paciou by James McLean.

Nov. 12.—A very successful entertainment was given Friday night under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.; our best local talent performed and were ably assisted by Miss Fiddler of St. John, whose singing is very pleasing.

Miss G. Macdonald gave a young folks party last Tuesday evening, it was quite a success in every way. Dancing was the chief amusement.

Mr. C. L. Rood was in Halifax last Friday visiting his daughter, Miss Ella who is attending Ladies college.

Miss Crowe of Truro was in town last week, she returned to her home on Thursday.

Mr. R. F. Fraser and family have gone to New Glasgow to reside for the winter, society circles have sustained a loss by their removal.

Mr. David Purves will occupy the home lately vacated by Mr. R. P. Fraser.

Mr. Peter Macdonald left for Halifax on Thursday to attend college.

Miss Carrie Calkin and Miss Fulton who were visiting Mrs. G. S. Carson returned to their home last week.

Mrs. Capt. A. Mackerzie is visiting friends in Chatham, N. B.

Mr. Cropper and Miss Cropper were the guests of Mrs. Charles Lees last week. They have gone to Halifax to spend the winter.

Mr. Wm. M. Fraser of Coburg Road church, Halifax, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. David Matheson; he preached very acceptably in Prince street church on Sabbath.

Rev. A. Falconer is in Halifax, visiting his son Prof. Falconer.

Mrs. Jas. (Rev.) Carruthers of New Glasgow made a short visit to Pictou last week.

Miss Fiddler of St. John, who has been visiting Mrs. Wm. Douglas returned to her home on Saturday.

Miss Maude Stewart of Halifax is visiting her brother Mr. Jas. McG. Stewart.

Mrs. Robt. Brown returned on Saturday from her trip to Boston.

Mrs. Stewart of California who has been visiting her uncle Mr. John Stalker left for her home on Tuesday.

Mrs. Howard Hamilton has gone on her annual trip to southern California where she will remain for the winter.

Miss Farquahson, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. A. C. Macdonald, returned to her home last week.

Mr. John Ferguson and Miss Annie Ferguson left on Monday for Charlottetown where they will make an extended visit with Capt. Thomas Taylor.

Miss Fitzpatrick of New Glasgow was in town last week.

Mrs. Alex Murray is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. W. Fraser of Sherbrooke.

Rev. Arthur Herdman of Port Elgin was visiting his mother last week.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McDonald of Lechaber, who have been visiting friends in town, returned to their home last Thursday.

Mr. John Rogers of Montreal, well known in musical circles, was in town last week.

Mrs. Fergie of Westville spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Primrose.

Mr. Benjamin Huntsman of England has returned to Pictou to spend the winter.

Mrs. Robt. Pope of Sydney is visiting her sister Mrs. W. H. Pope.

Mrs. Westcott of Malden, Mass., who has been spending the summer in Pictou, returned to her home last Wednesday.

Mr. John Sterling of New London, P. E. I., was visiting friends in town last week.

Mrs. Sutherland of Westville is visiting Mrs. W. H. Pope.

Mrs. Glennie and Mr. George Glennie have returned from their trip to Boston.

Mr. Retaille of St. John, is paying a visit to his old friends.

Rev. D. McGregor of Amherst passed through Pictou last week en route for Cape Breton.

Chief Justice McDonald of Halifax is visiting his brother this week.

Mr. Wm. McDonald barrister of Truro is visiting his parents this week.

Monday evening the young gentlemen of our town entertained their lady friends at a dance; the programme consisted of twenty-five numbers, and it was said to be the most enjoyable social event that has been in Pictou for some time.

Mrs. Pendleton, wore a very pretty gown of black silk with ciel blue veivel sleeves.

Mrs. Chisholm, wore a very handsome gown of cream colored crepe trimmed with gismondia purple veivel.

Mrs. W. H. McLaren, looked particularly well in black satin decorated with pink chrysanthemums.

Mrs. C. S. Snow, wore terra cotta silk with jet trimmings.

Mrs. Glennie, wore a rich black silk with white lace epaulettes.

Mrs. Dimock's gown was dove colored relieved by black veivel sleeves and trimmings.

Mrs. Thomas Hudson, looked exceedingly well in a green gown with beure lace.

Mrs. A. C. L. Oliver, wore a black skirt and bodice of black and white striped silk.

Miss Aggie McKenzie, looked especially well in pink crepon.

Miss Lizzie Lander, had on a lovely gown of deit blue.

Miss Minna Macdonald, wore yellow figured organdie muslin with silk sleeves.

Miss Maude Macdonald, black crepon with blue silk trimmings.

Miss Jettie Macdonald, white swiss muslin with blue dots.

Miss Katie Davies, white crepon with white satin.

Miss Mary Gordon, black silk with tarlatan muslin overdress.

Miss Annie McMillan, light blue with cream lace.

Miss Fannie Fraser, black skirt with a very pretty bodice of blue and tawn shot silk.

Miss Maggie Ferguson, black silk with mohair collar and cuffs.

Miss Liza Ferguson, black silk with valenciennes lace.

Miss Kate Thompson, white muslin with neck trimmings of cashmere.

Miss Aggie McKenzie, figured chaille with white satin.

Miss Minnie McKenzie, white muslin with pink satin trimmings.

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