

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

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W. A. Park of Newcastle was in the city the first of the week on his way to Fredericton.

Miss Sargent of Newcastle is visiting city friends this week.

Thomas Scovil of Gagetown spent a day or two lately in the city.

The Mox sitting quartette gave the third concert in their series on Tuesday evening. Owing to the very disagreeable state of the weather, and several other attractions for the evening, this entertainment was not so largely attended as it would doubtless have been under more favorable circumstances. Those who went however were very much pleased with the various numbers, although disappointment was pretty generally expressed at the non-appearance of Mrs. Barbour.

The Misses Marsh of Elliot Row gave a very enjoyable candy party at their residence Tuesday evening for the benefit of the talent fund of Brussels street church. Almost every variety of home made candy was supplied and was eagerly bought up at very good prices. The evening was spent in various games, that of "guessing" being the principal one; Miss DeWitt handled the chalk very cleverly and carried off the first prize, a box of creams; while Mr. B. A. Stammers was consoled with a Jack in the box. Refreshments were served and it was midnight when the party dispersed.

Mr. F. W. Warren left this week for Montreal to reside permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel March of Boston visited St. John this week.

Mr. Albert C. Holt of New York was in the city for a short time this week.

Mrs. George McLaughlin and two children who have been visiting relatives in Annapolis, have returned home.

Miss Fannie Bonnell of Sutton spent a few days visiting relatives in the city last week.

FREDERICTON.

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

Man. 4.—The musical given at Government House on Saturday evening was the second of a series of At Homes to be given there and proved to be a very great social success, about fifty guests being present. Besides the celestial orchestra which gave some very fine selections, a number of vocal solos were rendered. Mrs. O. S. Crockett sang beautifully "Marguerite," Mrs. O. S. Crockett, who always sings well, gave with much expression, "Dreams," Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety came next and sang that beautiful song "Holy City." Mrs. Wm. Lemont's was the last number; she gave "Glory to Thee," arranged by Goussard, and fairly enchanted her audience; Mrs. James Gibson gave a piano solo which was brilliantly executed. The invited guests were:—Dr. Lewis, M. P. F., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Smith, Mr. James O'Brien, M. P. F., Mr. Jas. Russell, M. P. F., Mr. P. J. Veniot, M. P. F., Mr. J. W. Eversright, Mr. P. J. Veniot, M. P. F., Mr. M. P. F., Mr. Jas. Barnes, Mr. G. W. Fowler, Mr. G. G. Scovil, Mr. C. Martin, Mr. L. Ferris, Mr. Jas. E. Potter, Mr. A. J. Beveridge, Mr. A. D. Richard, Mr. W. W. Wells, Major W. T. Howe, Mr. J. R. Funder, Mr. A. E. Killam, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sumner, Hon. H. C. Lablanc, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Pitts, Hon. Jas. and Mrs. Mitchell, Mr. and Mrs. C. Y. Dibblee, Mrs. E. W. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. Long, Rev. J. D. and Mrs. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Creed, Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Crockett, Mrs. G. J. Bliss, Mr. H. B. Rainsford, Mr. and Mrs. Tapley, Mr. and Mrs. McV. Shaw, Mr. and Mrs. C. Hatt, Mrs. Twining, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Flewelling, Mrs. Tabor, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Downing, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Neil, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Black, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mr. G. W. Flewelling, Dr. G. C. and Mrs. Vanwart, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. L. Tibbitts, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety, Dr. and Mrs. Inch, Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. George, Mrs. Sherman, Mr. and Mrs. Marsh, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Phair, Dr. H. S. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnston, Miss Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lemont, Mr. and Mrs. D. Hatt, Miss Margaret F. McLeod, Mrs. Hazen, Mrs. Burnside, Miss Tippet, Dr. and Mrs. Torrens, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gibson, Miss Carmen, Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Gibson, Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Day.

Invitations are out for an At Home at Government House for tomorrow, Thursday evening, from 8.30 to 12 o'clock.

Mrs. Fraser gave a ladies' luncheon at Government House on Thursday last in honor of Mrs. Killor of Dorchester. The table decorations were beautiful and consisted of hyacinths, lilies, and pansies in great profusion; Mrs. Fraser having a great fondness for flowers, has many of those of her own culture. The invited guests were: Mrs. Keith, Mrs. Emerson, Miss Fisher, Miss Clara Fisher, Mrs. J. Allen Dibblee, Mrs. Mott, Mrs. Geo. Bliss, Mrs. James Mitchell, Mrs. E. B. Winslow, Mrs. King Hazen.

Mr. P. J. Veniot is receiving the hearty congratulations of his friends upon the arrival at his home in Bathurst of a baby daughter, news of which was wired him yesterday; five sturdy sons have hitherto ruled the home, where her wedded life will now hold sway.

On Friday afternoon, Miss George entertained about sixty of her girl friends at a five o'clock tea.

which was thoroughly enjoyable and a very pretty affair. Miss George, with her mother, received her guests as they entered the drawing room, Mrs. George being handsomely gowned in a heavy corded black silk, with jet trimmings and diamond ornaments. Miss George wore a pretty gown of lawn silk, with broad cream satin ribbon. In the dining room, Mrs. E. Miller, poured tea and had the assistance of six little girls, all prettily dressed in evening costumes; they were Miss Carrie Winslow, Miss Daisy Winslow, Miss Bessie Gordon, Miss Nora Gordon, Miss Mabel O'Neil, and Miss Hazen Allen. The table decorations were very pretty; the banquet lamp in the centre with its shade of pale green, and pale green fairy lamps, while all around stood little glasses with single carnations, the whole effect being exquisitely dainty. From the dining-room the guests were ushered into the second parlor, where ices were served. With the bright merry chat of sixty girls, time passed all too quickly and six o'clock, the hour for departure, arrived before one was well aware of its lapse. The invited guests were: The Misses Babbitt, the Misses Bailey, the Misses Powers, the Misses Walcott, the Misses Fair, the Misses Gregory, the Misses Sterling, the Misses Sherman, the Misses Crookshank, the Misses Johnston, the Misses Hunter, Miss Ellis, Miss McLaughlin, Miss Holden, Miss McAvity, Miss Bizzard, Miss Emmie son, Miss Benson, Miss White, Miss Burgess, Miss Markland, Miss Spook, Miss Clarke, Miss Parker, Miss Tabor, Miss Wheeler, Miss Neil, Miss O'Dell, Miss Beverly, Miss Allen, Miss Winslow, Miss L. Beckwith, Miss Hilyard, Miss Jaffray, Miss Bridges, Miss M. B. Hunt, Miss Logan, Miss E. Hatt, Miss Tibbitts, Miss Tilton, Miss Morris, Miss M. Robinson, Miss Gibson, Miss Hunt, Miss Partridge, Miss Stratton, Miss Rainsford, Miss Akerley, Miss Maunsell, Miss Glaser.

Miss Holden of St. John is visiting her aunt, Mrs. T. C. Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Powers of "Garden Creek," had their infant son baptised on Saturday, the young gentleman taking the name of Beverly Cunliffe Powers.

Mrs. Albert W. E. Legcombe has issued invitations for an At Home for Saturday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

Miss Ellis, who has been visiting her cousin, the Misses Babbitt, leaves for her home in St. John tomorrow.

Mr. Coulthard has invitations for a luncheon for Saturday.

The Ladies' afternoon whist club met today at Mrs. G. M. Downing's for duplicate whist.

Miss McAvity and Miss Bizzard of St. John are with Mrs. Harrison at the University.

Mrs. Harry Beckwith is this evening entertaining a few friends at whist.

Miss Mary McLeod is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. B. Pitts.

The At Home at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. James S. Neil on Thursday evening last, was a particularly enjoyable function, about one hundred and fifty guests being present, and the celestial orchestra adding much to the enjoyment of the evening. This evening Mrs. Neil is giving a small dance.

Mr. L. W. Johnston arrived home today from quite a lengthy stay in Nova Scotia.

It was a very pretty At Home given at the residence of Mrs. Whitehead yesterday afternoon, in honor of her guest, Miss Clarke of St. Stephen.

Mrs. Whitehead was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. Mitchell of St. Stephen, and the honors of the dining room were quite safe in the hands of Miss Clarke-Laurie Maude McLaughlin.

Miss Edith Gregory, Miss Neil and Miss Frankie Babbitt.

Mrs. D. Hatt gave a juvenile party on Friday evening for the friends of her niece, Miss Gretchen Phair.

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SACKVILLE.

[Progress is for sale in Sackville at Wm. I. Goodwin's Bookstore. In Middle Sackville by E. Merrill.]

Mar. 4.—Miss Tweedie of Hampton is the guest of Mrs. Josiah Wood for a few days.

Mr. Chas. Cahill spent several days of last week with his father.

Last Thursday evening the Misses Copp entertained a number of their friends at a pleasant progressive party.

Mrs. Vincent gave a very enjoyable snowshoe tramp to the young people on Friday evening in honor of her sister Miss Nettie Colwell who is visiting her.

Miss Myrtle McLeod of Port Elgin is the guest of Miss Scragga Copp, Weldon street.

Miss Olive returned to St. John the latter part of last week having spent a fortnight with Mrs. R. P. Foster.

We regret very much to record the serious illness of Mr. George Wallace. We hope to hear of an improvement in his condition soon.

Mrs. Foster of St. John is the guest of her son Mr. R. P. Foster.

The social at Dr. Sangster's residence on Wednesday evening under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. was a decided success.

This evening the Y. M. C. A. gave a social in the

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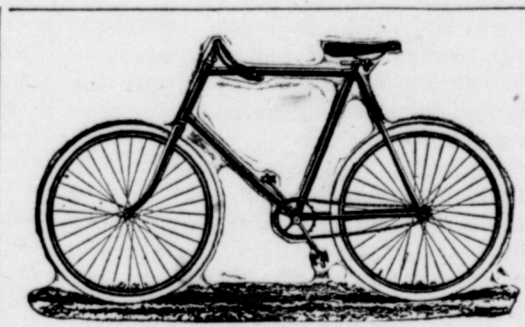
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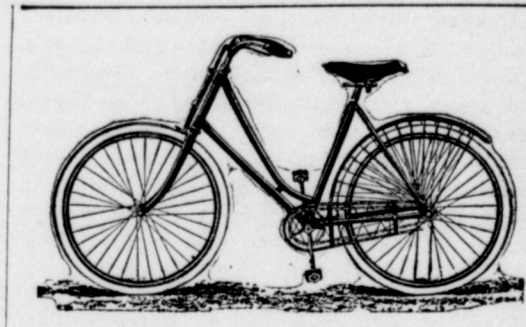
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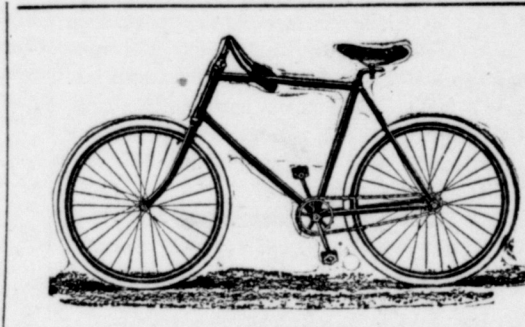
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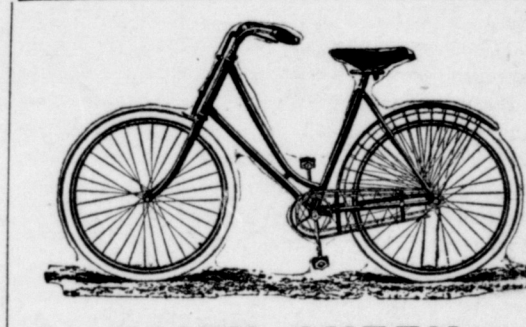
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