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HALIFAX NOTES.

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Society has been rejecting lately over the rumor that the ships are to return in March. When the ships are late it makes the summer gallees very late also; but this is not likely to be the case next summer; and for this we are duty thankful; so many prominent American ladies find their way to Halifax during the season that we may be pardoned for suspecting them of designs upon the British army or at least that portion of it which is stationed in this city, but let us give them the benefit of the doubt and say they come for rest and change of scene.

Mrs. S. H. Holmes gave a large dance on Monday evening of last week at her elegant home on South Park street; Mrs. Holmes was assisted by her daughter and both made most graceful and perfect hostesses. The rooms are splendidly adapted for dancing and it was a late hour when the gay party broke up after an evening of perfect enjoyment. There were two large teas last week one at one of Inglis' streets' pleasant houses and on Saturday another very large one at the home of one of our best known hostesses.

There have been very many sleighing parties and on Wednesday a very pleasant one chartered by Mrs. Wallace and Mrs. H. Johnston went to Bedford, to Wilson's and had a splendid dance and supper after which they returned home.

There are quite a number of At Homes announced for this week, and there were several last week; Mrs. Howard Bligh and the Misses Bligh were at home at their residence on Bland street Saturday afternoon from five to seven, and on Friday evening Mrs. W. B. Torrance had quite a large party. Mrs. W. H. Wiswell will be at home tomorrow (Thursday) at her residence 141 South street from 4.30 to 6.30 o'clock; there are also to be a number of large and small card parties before lent and then the society reporters work is done for six weeks at least.

Everybody is holding themselves in readiness for the musical treat in O'Leary's hall tomorrow night. A great deal of new talent will add interest to the occasion.

The carnival preparations are going rapidly forward but I believe we are not to see the minut but there are to be several special lanterns and two or three intricate figures arranged by Capt. Kent who in addition to being a splendid skater himself has the happy faculty of teaching and arranging things generally.

Much sympathy is expressed for Mrs. Bell in the illness of Mr. J. Bell, at Bernieria. A short time has elapsed since they were here as a happy bride and groom and I am sure every one of her acquaintances are genuinely sorry for her in her great trouble.

Mayor Connolly leaves on Saturday for England to join Mrs. Connolly who went home some time ago.

Mrs. Bowby widow of the late Bishop of Coven try is here a guest of her sister Mrs. (Col.) C. J. Stewart; Mrs. Bowby was a belle and favorite here both as Miss King and then as Mrs. Fred Allison and her many friends will be glad to extend her a warm welcome.

Mrs. and Miss Wythe gave a couple of very pleasant teas last week; that were well attended and greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Albro's condition is not improving as his friends could wish; a slight bruise on his leg is the cause of his very serious illness.

Capt. N. Sale of the 95th left for the West Indies this week on a year's sick leave; Capt. Nagle has been slowly recovering from an attack of rheumatism and has been advised to seek a warmer climate to rid his system of the pest of this country and fog.

There was a very large skating party last Saturday afternoon given by the officers of the Royal Artillery.

The death of Lady Kenny the widow of Sir Edward Kenny occurred Saturday forenoon at the age of 84 years. Lady Kenny was a Miss Forrester a native of this city and was of a very kind and benevolent disposition; and her greatest pleasure was in improving the condition of others and besides those who know her personally many will mourn the death of this estimable lady. In the Cathedral on Sunday Archbishop O'Brien made a very feeling reference to her death and paid a high tribute to her beautiful life. Three sons of Lady Kenny are Jesuits and the other children are T. E. Kenny M. P. Mrs. Kehoe, Madame Kenny of the order of the Sacred Heart, St. Louis, Mrs. Daly, wife of the Lieut. Governor, J. F. Kenny, and Mrs. Fane, wife of Rear Admiral Fane of Portsmouth. Mrs. Daly and Lady Kenny's other relatives here have the deep sympathy of all their friends and acquaintances.

TRURO.

Progress is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fulton, and D. H. Smith & Co.

Feb 5 - Society circles have at last awakened from its unwonted torpor and resumed the even tenor of its way, in doing so with a small and large, card parties and afternoon teas.

The largest function of the week and, indeed, for some time, was Mrs. Fried Prince's dance, last Thursday night. It was a lovely dance and thoroughly appreciated and enjoyed by the large number present. Two spacious parlors afforded ample space for dancing, which was kept up uninterruptedly to the delightful strains of Murray's orchestra from Stellarton, until well into the small hours. Among the invited were: Mr. and Mrs. D. Dickie, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bowers, Mr. and Mrs. Henry, Mr. and Mrs. McRobert, Mrs. E. Wilson, Mrs. E. Smith, (H. H. H.), Mrs. Vernon, Miss B. Tremaine, Miss M. Archibald, Miss Jean Crowe, Miss Black, Miss G. Hyde, Miss Bailey, Miss Chase, Miss Burchard, Miss Standfield, Miss Lily McCurdy, Miss Stevens, Miss Anna McLan, Miss Macneil, Miss L. Laurence, Miss Hattie Snook, Miss M. McLeod, Miss May Bigelow, Miss Piers, Messrs. Underwood, A. Campbell, W. S. Spencer, H. C. C. Yull, F. L. Murray, W. Crowe, J. Crowe, L. Crowe, C. R. Coleman, A. V. Smith, J. Standfield, C. H. Williams, K. Vincent, E. Vernon, A. Black. With very few exceptions the invited guests were all present. Mrs. Prince received in black velvet and deep crepe, with deep brette of white mull and lace. She was assisted by the Misses Prince. There were some new and strikingly beautiful toilettes among the ladies, Mrs. E. Smith's toilette of pale blue silk, with trimmings of rare old lace and diamond ornaments was especially lovely and very gracefully worn. Miss George Hyde looked lovely in heavy ended cream silk with deep brette, berthe of beautiful sequin lace; Miss Piers an exceedingly becoming gown of green silk, lace trimmings; Miss Jean Crowe, very rich and becoming toilette of yellow silk with lavender silk sleeves, and trimmings of silver pastermentie; Miss Tremaine heliotrope silk, white chiffon trimmings; Miss Archibald, pale blue silk; Miss Bigelow, white tulle with festoonings of crimson rose buds; Mrs. McRobert black velvet, yellow chiffon; Miss McCurdy cream satin; Miss Burchard, cream serge; Mrs. Prince's supplest few things to be desired, from the substantial to "trifles" light as air.

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T. J. COOKE & Co., General Agents, 20 St. Peter Street, Montreal. Dr. Mrs. Atkinson, were at home again, last Friday evening entertaining four tables of whist, made up of the following ladies and gentlemen: Mr. and Mrs. Philip, Mrs. Vernon, Miss Mary Crowe, Miss Bailey, Miss Bent, Miss G. Hyde, Miss King, Miss Burchard, Messrs. G. A. Hall, F. L. Murray, R. B. Graham, E. W. Vernon, A. V. Smith, F. W. Cullen, A. K. Vincent, Miss Bailey and Mr. Graham won the first prizes, Booby trophies falling to Mrs. Vernon and Mrs. A. V. Smith. Mrs. A. C. Smith has returned from Sackville and will remain in town for the remainder of the winter. Mr. and Mrs. Smith are guests at the "Pine." Mrs. W. C. Sumner arrived home Monday night from a short visit to her sister, Mrs. W. C. Goucher, St. Stephen. Mr. and Mrs. Sumner will take up their residence at "Lowton", where they will reside until the coming spring. Miss Shield, Halifax, is visiting Mrs. Cathaw who gave a small dance in her honor last Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Burk, entertained a party to drive whist last night in honor of their guests, Mrs. Heam and Miss Burk. Mrs. Jas. Miller, Miss Lizzie Miller, and Master Bernard Miller, Sherbrooke, who have been visiting St. John friends are guests at the Stanley. Mrs. W. G. Yull is at home this afternoon. St. John's church was crowded on Monday evening to hear Mr. Vincent's recital of the organ solos, were able to sit of this talented musician, Mr. Williams as usual elicited most exquisite strains from his violin, and the vocalists, were all in good voice. Mrs. Martin Dickie is spending a week or two in Halifax a guest at the "Grove" and the Halifax cricket play a return game with the Truro club next week.

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ANDOVER. Feb 3 - The most pleasant social event of the season, was a progressive whist party, given on the evening of the 29th, by the Misses Watson, in honor of their friend and guest Mrs. F. Jones of Houlton. The parlors were decorated with potted plants and looked extremely handsome. There were fourteen tables, and twenty games played. After the games were finished a delightful luncheon was served. Mrs. A. E. Kuppey won the first prize, a pretty parlor ornament, while Miss May Tibbitts was console with a box of spruce gum; the gentlemen's first prize a smoking set, was secured by Mr. Roy Miles, and A. C. Kuppey secured the second prize of a gaily painted toy. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all. Miss Watson, wore a black gown with silk and feather trimming, while, Miss Kate looked charming in a tartan plaid waist, and black skirt; Mrs. Jones had on a very pretty costume of black and cream silk trimmed with jet. The other ladies were all very tastefully dressed and looked well. Those present were, Mrs. R. B. M. Wiley, Mrs. J. E. Porter, Mrs. S. Neales, Mrs. R. Ervin, Mrs. J. A. Perley, Mrs. B. Beveridge, Mrs. J. Stewart, Mrs. A. E. Kuppey, Mrs. S. Hammond, Mrs. H. H. Tibbitts, Mrs. J. Carter, Mrs. F. Sadtler, Mrs. A. J. R. Stratton, Miss Jennie Watson, Misses Iva and Mammie Baxter, Miss Bessie Scott, Miss Maggie Currie, Miss Sara Pickett, Messrs. Emma Sedell, Misses Maggie and Inez Tibbitts, Miss Josie Miller, Misses Nellie and Lillie Stewart, Miss Jessie McQuarrie, Miss Sara Pickett, Messrs. J. J. R. King, Dr. E. B. M. Wiley, Dr. J. H. King, J. E. Porter, Mr. P. P. Messrs. D. R. Bedell, T. Bedell, E. Pickett, R. Ervin, H. Perley, C. Elliott, A. E. Kuppey, F. Ervin, F. Sadtler, W. Porter, F. Stevens, J. Turner, T. J. Carter, F. M. Howard, H. H. Tibbitts, J. Carrie, E. Morris, R. Miles, M. Geddl, L. Bedell, F. Tinker, S. Hammond, and H. Watson of Seattle, Wash. A very successful dance was given in t. m. parlors hall, Friday evening last. There was a large number present and some very pretty dresses worn, excellent music was furnished by Messrs. Murphy and Wade and a very pleasant evening was spent.

SPRINGHILL. [Progress is for sale in Springhill by Daniel A. Fraser.] Feb 5 - A very pleasant surprise party was given to Mrs. J. Murray, Jr., on Thursday last, but whether the event was quite as much a surprise to Mrs. Murray as it was supposed to be, I know not. The amusement consisted of dancing and cards and a very enjoyable evening was spent. Another delightful surprise party was given to Mrs. N. L. McDougall on Tuesday and it is needless to say that everyone enjoyed themselves thoroughly. Miss Allay entertained a few of her friends at a snow shanty on Thursday last. Mrs. Cecil Parsons and family spent Sunday in Parrsboro. Miss Duce Alloway who has been confined to the house is able to attend to her duties once more. B. B. B.

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DIGBY. [Progress is for sale in Digby by Mrs. Morse.] Feb 5 - Dr. Hallett of Weymouth was here on Monday on professional business. Mr. H. B. Short is on a visit to Yarmouth this week. Mr. R. C. Hughes of Annapolis is here this week visiting friends and relatives. Hon. L. E. Baker of Yarmouth was in town Tuesday. Judge Owen of Annapolis was here on Tuesday. Mr. W. M. Alcorn editor of the Annapolis Spectator, was here on Monday. Dr. Jones went to St. John Tuesday for a few days. Miss Jessie Stewart is visiting relatives at Annapolis; Misses Jennie and Georgie Turnbull are also there visiting friends. Mr. W. E. Browne is on a visit to Ottawa. Judge Savary is in town this week holding county court. Miss Edith Jones of Weymouth has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Monroe. Mr. Israel Burrill of Weymouth was in town Saturday, also Mr. F. C. Whitman of Annapolis. Mr. E. Ellershaw has returned from his visit to Halifax. Miss Mani Mumford has gone to Halifax in the winter with her sister. Mr. George Ambrose son of Rev. Dr. Ambrose, has been here a few days visiting friends. JULIETTE.

ST. GEORGE. [Progress is for sale in St. George at the store of T. O'Brien.] Feb 4 - The O. M. Club gave a dance in Court's hall on Thursday evening. Mr. George Farquharson a former resident of St. George has been spending a short time with friends in town. The funeral of Mr. James Spinney took place from St. Marks church on Monday afternoon the deceased gentleman was ninety-one years of age. Miss Josephine MacVicar gave a charming little party at her home on Friday evening, which was much enjoyed by the ladies looked particularly well nearly all being gowned in a fancy silk waist and dark skirts, those attending were, Miss King, Miss Lavers, Miss Dick, Miss Galwin, Miss Marshall, Dr. Taylor, Mr. George Johnston, Messrs. Bert Gilmor and Arch MacVicar. The friends of Mr. James Keelman will be pleased to hear he is able to drive out. Mrs. Gillespie Pennfield is visiting her daughter Mrs. James McKay. Max.

PETITODIAC. Feb 4 - Last Thursday afternoon the members of the Lyceum drove to Havelock, where they gave an entertainment in the public hall. Though it could not be called a success, financially, still the numbers were highly pleased with the very enjoyable time they had. Miss Trites and Miss Pughley, St. J. hn, had returned from a visit to Moncton. Miss Margaret Blakney has returned from her visit in Havelock. Mr. Clarence Gross of Moncton is in our village to day. Rumor says there is an attraction, other than the scenery. A very enjoyable affair last week was the picnic in the Foresters' hall, the proceeds, which amounted to \$12.50, are for the benefit of the Baptist church. Rev. A. F. Brown has returned to Campbellton after a short stay with his family. Miss Jessie Fleming returned from St. John on Friday, and left for her home in Newcastle this morning. ROSAMOND.

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NOTICE OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. The undersigned, desirous of forming a limited partnership under the laws of the Province of New Brunswick, HEREBY CERTIFY: (1) That the name or firm under which such partnership is to be conducted is W. C. Pitfield & Co. (2) That the general nature of the business intended to be transacted by such partnership is the buying and selling at wholesale of such articles as are usually bought and sold by dealers in dry goods, cloths, &c. (3) That the names of all the General and Special partners interested in said partnership are as follows: Ward C. Pitfield who resides at the City of St. John, in the Province of New Brunswick, is the General partner, and Samuel Hayward, who resides at Hamton, in the County of Kings, in the said Province, is the Special partner. (4) That the said Samuel Hayward has contributed the sum of thirty thousand dollars to the common stock. (5) That the period at which the said partnership is to commence, is the third day of January, A. D. 1896, and the period at which the said partnership is to terminate is the third day of January, A. D. 1899. Dated this second day of January, A. D. 1896. Signed, WARD C. PITFIELD. S. HAYWARD.

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK, SS. BE IT REMEMBERED that on this second day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety six, before me, James A. Belyea, a Notary Public in and for the Province of New Brunswick by Royal authority only appointed, admitted and sworn, residing and practicing at the City of Saint John, in the said Province, personally appeared at the said City of Saint John, Ward C. Pitfield and Samuel Hayward, the co-partners named in the foregoing and annexed Certificate of Co-partnership, and severally acknowledged that they signed, sealed, executed and delivered the said Certificate of Co-partnership as their respective act and deed and to and for the uses and purposes therein expressed and contained. IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF I the said Notary have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the second day of January A. D. 1896. J. A. BELYEA. Notary Public. [L. S.]

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