

Mrs. Carleton Clinch gave a very delightful musicale at her residence, Mecklenburg street on Monday evening last. Miss Helen Furlong played several violin selections exquisitely, and Mr. Seely sang several beautiful ballads, greatly to the enjoyment of his hearers. Miss Kathleen Furlong gave Garcia Ave. Maria, with violin obligato by Miss Helen, in a very charming manner; Miss Holden played one of Lisz's compositions very artistically; Miss Furlong's playing on the barjo and Mrs. D. P. Chisholm's piano selections helped to make up a programme that gave much pleasure to the guests; a dainty supper was served at midnight and brought a delightful evening to a close. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Horace King, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Coster, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Dr. and Mrs. Holder, Miss Furlong, the Misses Clinch, Miss Louise Holden, Miss Kathleen Furlong, and Miss Helen Furlong, Mr. D. R. Jack, Mr. Peter Clinch, and Mr. R. Seely.

Miss Marie Furlong is in St. Stephen this week a guest of the Misses Cullinan.

The sale and tea in the Main street Christian church opened Friday afternoon at two o'clock with a very large attendance. The ladies are doing all in their power to make the affair very pleasant and profitable for their patrons and no doubt from a financial point of view it will be very successful. Ice cream and cake are being served, and the work displayed is really beautiful. The ladies in charge of the tables are Misses H. Ferris, Maggie Roberts, Miss Coram, Miss Evans, Miss Kincaid, D. Morrison, R. Roberts, Miss L. Whelpley, Miss Belle Wilson, Miss Whelpley, Miss Robinson, Mrs. J. M. Barnes, Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Pidgeon.

Miss Geneva Belyea of this city is paying a visit to Fredericton friends.

Mrs. Secord and Miss Emma Secord spent last Sunday with out of town friends, returning to the city on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Prince and family spent a few days in Greenwick lately.

Mrs. A. L. Peatman who spent a little while in the city lately returned to Greenwick last week.

Mr. Thomas Frezza was in Penobscot last week, a guest of his uncle Mr. H. E. Frezza.

Miss Mona Secord spent a day or two in Apohaqui lately with her brother Mr. G. H. Secord.

Miss Minnie Fowler paid a brief visit to her mother Mrs. Mary A. Fowler of Upham, last week.

Mrs. M. Jordan was in Hampton lately a visitor at "Linden Heights."

The Misses U'pham of Upham made a brief visit to this city and Bloomfield a short time ago.

Miss Mabel dwelling of Hampton entertained a party of friends recently at a picnic, and among those who enjoyed the outing were the following: St. John people Messrs. C. McLean, C. Fairweather, and C. Rigby.

Mr. Dunlap was a visitor to friends in Havelock lately.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Pope Barnes have removed to their summer residence at Hampton.

Mr. D. Andrews of Bangor was in the city this week.

Miss Alice Smalley of St. John was in Hampton for a day or two lately as a guest of Mrs. L. Scribner.

Mr. R. J. Hearst of Woodstock paid a short visit to the city this week.

Mr. Bliss B. Barnes will make Hampton his home for the summer.

Mr. Otty Waking was entertained last week at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Taylor, Hampton.

Miss C. Brennan and Miss Quinn of St. John spent a day or two in Hampton last week.

Mr. Lyman Nichols of New York is visiting St. John.

Mr. C. B. Barnes and Miss Barnes of New York are in the city for a brief stay.

Miss Currie of Hampton visited city friends for a short time lately.

Mr. Thos. M. Grady of Summerside P. E. I. is in the city this week.

Mr. and Mrs. McMichael were in Hampton for a day lately and during their stay were entertained by Mr. and Mrs. P. Palmer.

Mr. George K. Frost paid a brief visit to Hampton recently.

Rev. M. J. Coughlan of St. Stephen who has been here on a little visit to relatives returned to his native town this morning. Father Coughlan's friend are pleased to know that his health is improving.

The Misses Hilyard of Fredericton are here on a visit to friends.

Col. Tucker arrived from Ottawa Wednesday and left for England via Quebec on Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Webster returned to Shediac Wednesday after a visit to Montreal with Mrs. C. A. Stockton.

Mr. E. B. McLeod was in Moncton for a day or two this week.

Miss Steeves of Moncton is on a visit to friends in this city.

Mr. Thomas Graham is slowly recovering from a severe illness.

Mr. A. F. McClaskey was in St. Stephen for a day or two lately.

General Warner has been spending a few days in St. Stephen this week as a guest of Mr. C. H. Clarke.

Mrs. T. W. Bell of this city has taken up her residence at the Windsor hotel, Dorchester for the summer. Later on Mrs. Bell will be joined by her daughter who is attending school at Rothesay.

Mrs. DeForest returned last week from a visit to her sister Mrs. E. W. Jarvis of Moncton.

Miss Short of Digby spent a few days in the city recently.

Mr. A. H. F. Randolph, Fredericton, has taken a cottage at Digby for the summer.

Miss Hamlin Crookshank of Fredericton is visiting her aunt Mrs. R. W. Crookshank Sydney street.

The Cathedral was the scene of a pretty wedding at an early hour on Tuesday morning when Miss Nellie M. Cullinan daughter of the late Mr. John Cullinan, and Mr. Frank McBratney were united in marriage by Rev. Francis McMurray. The bride was attired in a travelling suit of electric blue cloth with hat to match and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses. She was attended by her niece Miss Quinn who was prettily gowned in a light dress with a white hat and bouquet of pink roses. The groom was supported by his brother Mr. P. McBratney. After the ceremony a wedding breakfast

was served at the residence of the bride's brother, Mr. M. J. Cullinan, and later on Mr. and Mrs. McBratney left on the boat for a trip to the United States. The bride was the recipient of many beautiful gifts from her friends.

Miss Minnie Stewart returned yesterday from Mt. Allison for the summer holidays.

The theatre going public will be pleased to hear of the return of Miss Ethel Tucker and her company, who will play a two weeks engagement in the Opera house beginning June 14th. They have many new attractions this season and altogether the engagement promises to be a very successful and enjoyable one.

Mr. and Mrs. Lordly are in Fredericton visiting relatives.

Messrs Hugh McLean and Edward Smith paid a brief visit to the city this week.

Mr. Charles S. Everett has been visiting his old home in Fredericton during the week.

Justices Tack and Barker have been in Fredericton this week attending court.

Mrs. John Stearns of the west side is paying a visit to her mother Mrs. Wm. Doherty of Fredericton.

Mr. C. DeW. Smith was in the city this week.

Miss Nan McDonald is in Windsor a guest at the home of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Black.

Messrs Homer D. Forbes, son of Judge Forbes and A. Likely, returned Tuesday from Mt. Allison.

The many friends of Miss Agnes E. Simson, who visited this city last summer will hear with interest of her marriage to Mr. Edward Slade Wheeler, which happy event took place in London, England, recently. Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler will be at home to their friends on June 5th and 9th at 555 Centre street, Newton, Mass.

Mr. James N. Rogers and Mr. Arthur Carlous left last week via Montreal, on the State of California for England, where Mr. Rogers will spend two months and will be in London during jubilee week.

The marriage will take place on June 9th at the home of the bride, of Miss Mary Anne Johnston of Fredericton and Mr. William Charles Hall of this city. Both young people have many friends who will extend hearty congratulations on the happy event.

Mrs. J. F. Gregory spent a day or two in Fredericton this week.

Mrs. H. B. Golding is in Fredericton on a visit to her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. John Winchester of Philadelphia were in the city this week.

An interesting event of the near future is the marriage of a young legal light and a former teacher in the Victoria school. The prospective groom has taken a house on King street East.

Mr. J. V. Ellis Jr., who resigned the city editor's position of the Telegraph some weeks ago, has taken a position on the staff of the Worcester (Mass) Telegram. Mr. Ellis is an exceptionally clever young newspaper man, and his numerous friends here and elsewhere will always be very glad to hear of his success.

Messrs. Thomas and William Hamilton left Wednesday for their respective homes in Cleveland Ohio, and Boston. They were called here by the death of their sister Mrs. Hedley Barbour.

Mr. Andrew Paisley of Glasgow Scotland, was in the city for a short time this week.

Miss Nellie McGivern returned to the city last week from Woodstock.

Miss Alice Corkery has gone back to Woodstock after a pleasant visit here.

Miss Blanche Tibbitts formerly of this city has been appointed organist of the first baptist church of Maiden Mass. at a good salary.

Mr. James F. Robertson, the Misses Robertson, and Mrs. R. J. Clinch registered at the High Commissioners office, London, on the 18th of May.

Mr. Isaac W. Carpenter, M. P. P. paid a brief visit this week to his father, who is under an oculist's care just now.

Mr. Thomas Hetherington ex M. P. P. and Mrs. Hetherington were here for a day or two this week.

Rev. Mr. Dewdney and family left a few days ago on a two months trip to Ontario.

J. R. Stone has returned from Boston where he had been to see Miss Stone off for Europe.

Miss Estman of Pettipiece is visiting the Misses McLaughlin of Charlotte street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Haviland of Fredericton spent a short time in the city recently.

Mr. Wait Flewelling and Miss Flewelling were in Hampton lately and during their stay were entertained at Mr. W. J. Flewelling.

Mr. T. E. G. Armstrong of the Bank N. A. at Brantford arrived this week on a two weeks visit. The relatives and friends of Lt. Colonel and Mrs. Armstrong gave them a little surprise this week upon the occasion of the twenty fifth anniversary of their marriage. The Colonel and Mrs. Armstrong were taken greatly by surprise upon the arrival of their guests who brought with them many beautiful remembrances, but a still greater surprise was the arrival of the band of the 3rd Regiment of Canadian Artillery, who serenaded the hospitable couple, closing with the national anthem. A large number of costly presents in silver were received by Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong whose friends everywhere will wish them continued happiness and prosperity.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Hamilton and Master Hamilton of Boston were here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Dole of Montreal were in the city for a short time lately.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety of Fredericton were in the city Tuesday.

Mrs. G. A. Hartley and Miss Clara Fullerton went from Carleton this week to attend the W. C. T. U. convention at St. Stephen.

Dr. Foster McFarlane returned the first of the week from a week's visit to Boston.

A pleasant and successful conversation was held in the large upper room of the C of E Institute on Tuesday evening. An interesting musical programme was rendered and light refreshments were served.

Mrs. George F. Hill of Lowell Mass., was a guest for a short time this week of Mrs. (Rev.) Baker on her way to her charming summer residence at Brown's Flats.

Mr. J. Roy Campbell left the first of the week for Halifax enroute to England.

Mr. Fred Morgan is very seriously ill at the home of his parents.

Rev. Mr. Irvine of Springfield, N. B. was a guest of Rev. E. K. Ganong this week.

Mr. John Patchell of Lexington, Kentucky, was here for a short time this week.

Mrs. J. N. W. Winslow and Master Douglas Winslow of Fredericton were in St. John in the middle of the week.

Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum came down from Fredericton for a little while this week.

Miss E. Cann of Yarmouth is in the city for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. John S. Sewall of Bangor, was in the city for a day or two this week.

Mr. John Vroom left Wednesday for Kaslo, B. C. where he has been appointed collector of customs.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Keilior of Amherst spent a little while in the city this week.

Mrs. Day of Montreal was a visitor to the city this week.

Mr. E. Lansing, Halifax, is in town for a few days.

Mrs. Charles Burrill came over from Yarmouth, for a short time this week.

Mr. Wm. Turnbull of this city has rented Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum's residence Elmcroft, for the summer and will removed to Fredericton to take possession at once.

Mr. James Hannay returned Thursday from a very successful fishing trip, bringing back with him several beautiful specimens of the fluky tribe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamilton of Picton and Mrs. Warren of Sydney, N. B., are among the city's recent visitors.

FREDERICTON.

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

June 2.—A large audience filled the spacious parlors of Frogmore on Saturday evening, when Miss Mabelle Biggart of New York gave her dramatic reading of Adam Bede.

Miss Biggart has a very pleasing voice and manner and exceptional talent as a dramatic reciter and he led her audience spell-bound from start to finish.

Miss Biggart has a very fine conception of Gece Elliot's masterpiece, and the scenes were all well rendered; Dinah with Hettie in the cell, the prayer and confession; The arrival of Arthur with the r-prieve, were the most thrilling. The ladies' orchestra was present and rendered some very fine selections as well as accompanying the reader.

At the close of the entertainment Hon. Mr. Randolph invited all to remain and partake of ice cream and cake, which was served in lavish abundance, and many had also the pleasure of meeting Miss Biggart and were charmed with her easy grace and courteous manner.

During her stay in the city Miss Biggart was the guest of Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Randolph at Frogmore.

Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum left today for Tidnish N. S., where she will spend the summer, Elmcroft her residence here has been rented for the summer months by Mr. Wm. Turnbull of St. John who will take possession immediately.

On the eve of his departure for the old country Mr. Pitts had the honor conferred upon him of being made a Forrester on sight by High Chief Ranger Wm Kinghorn and is attached court Millicote No. 129 the Banner Lodge of York Co.

The friends of Mrs. Earnest Jack, nee Miss Mina Fisher were pleased to hear that Mrs. Jack has a young son.

The unusual quiet which has prevailed for the past few weeks is happily ended and now we have the prospect of your weddings all in one week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard W. Johnston have issued invitations for the marriage of their daughter Mary Annie, to Mr. Charles William Hall of St. John, at their residence Red Top, for Wednesday afternoon, June ninth at three o'clock.

Invitations are also out for the marriage of Abigail M. Golding to Mr. Albert Samuerson for June ninth at one o'clock.

On Wednesday June the sixteenth, the marriage of Miss Louise Barter to Mr. Glasgow of Toronto will be solemnized at Christ church.

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. George have sent out invitations for the marriage of their daughter Adeline, to Mr. John H. Bauld of Halifax, at their residence The Sunnyside, for Thursday June the seventeenth at 6:30 p. m.

The Misses Winnifred, Bona, and Margaret Johnson have returned from Sackville.

Mr. J. Fraser Gregory of St. John is today visiting at his old home here.

Col. Frank B. Gregory of Victoria B. C., who has been spending a few days at his former home here leaves tomorrow for Montreal whence he will sail in the S. S. Vancouver for England to accompany Premier Laurier to the Jubilee celebration.

Rev. Willard Macdonald of St. Paul's church and Mr. H. H. Pitts, M. P. P. also leave tomorrow for Montreal and will sail by the Beaver liner, Lake Superior, for England. Their many warm friends at home wish them bon voyage.

Mrs. H. B. Golding of St. John is here on a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Murray.

Mrs. Woodford Smith is in the city and is the guest of the Misses Perley, George St.

Mr. and Mrs. Hedley Grosvenor of Eel River are the guests of Mr. Grosvenor's aunt Mrs. F. S. Hilyard.

Mr. Allison Bartlett of Glasgow, Scotland is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Lordly of St. John are visiting in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen F. Randolph have gone to Digby to spend the summer.

Judge Landry of Dorchester is among the visitors in the city.

Mr. F. Strud of Montreal is in town.

Miss Miles of Vancouver, B. C., is here on a visit to Mr. Wm. Gibson.

Mrs. Hugh McLean and Mr. Edward Smith of St. John are among the visitors in town.

Mrs. Fred B. Edgecombe has returned from a pleasant visit to Calais spent with her brother Mr. Albert Eaton.

Mrs. Tucker and daughter Miss Bessie Tucker of Boston are visiting Mrs. Tucker's sister, Mrs. A. F. Randolph at "Frogmore".

Mrs. Thos. Morrison of New York is visiting Mrs. Albert Edgecombe.

Messrs. David Watson, Joseph Skinner and Thorndyke of Montreal spent Sunday in town.

Miss Blanche Tibbitts formerly of this city has been appointed organist of the first baptist church of Maiden Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sparden are in Windsor, N. S. and will be absent ten days.

Mr. Charles S. Everett is visiting at his old home here.

Mrs. Boyle Travers of St. John is visiting at Miss Allen's Paradise Row.

Mrs. G. H. Perley who has been visiting Miss Blanche Glasier, at Lincoln has returned home.

Mrs. Carpenter and Mrs. Small of California are in the city visiting relatives.

Mr. Justice Tack and Mr. Justice Barker of St. John are in the city attending court.

Miss Nan Thompson, eldest daughter of Hon. F. P. Thompson, has graduated in stenography at Sackville and received her diploma.

Mrs. John Stearns of St. John, West, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Dougherty.

DORCHESTER.

[Progress is for sale in Dorchester by G. M. Fairweather.]

June 2.—Mrs. R. P. Foster is visiting friends in Sackville this week.

The Misses Borden of Moncton arrived in town this morning to visit Mrs. Hamilton.

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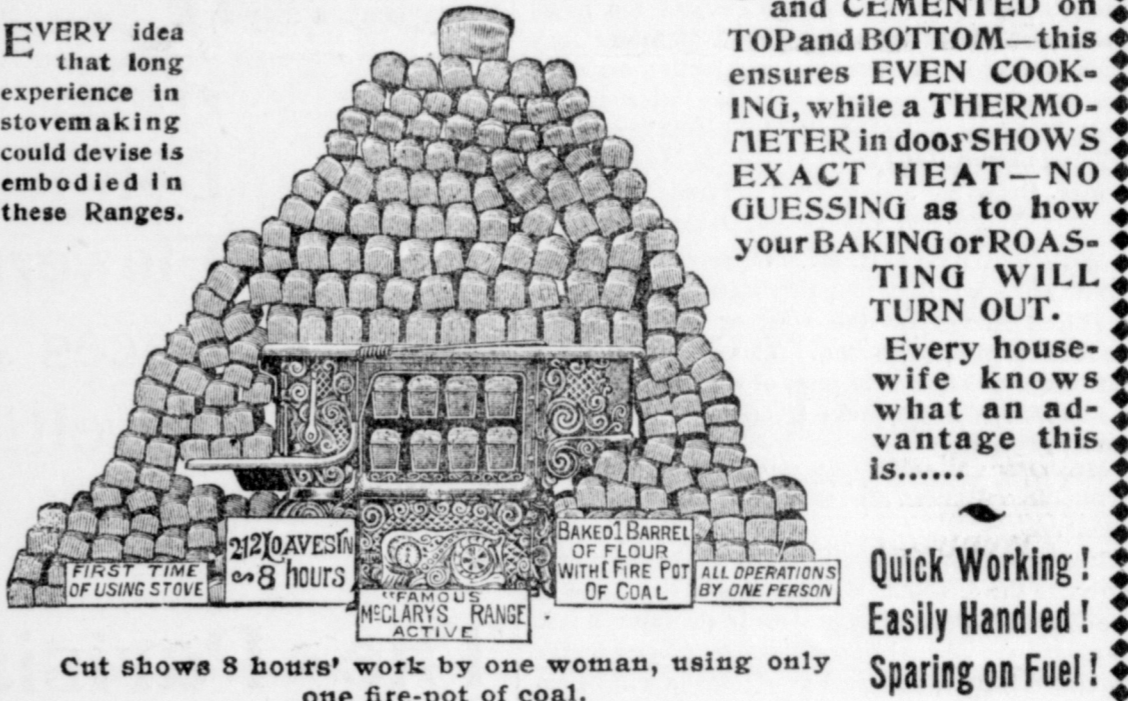
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