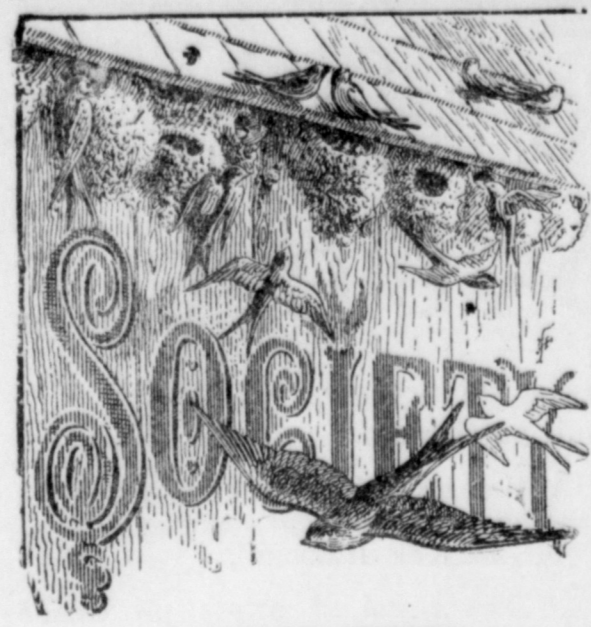


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HALIFAX NOTES.

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The official dinner at Government house on Monday was the only entertainment given in celebration of the Queen's birthday.

The prizes offered by the Ladies Auxilliary of the S. P. C., to the pupils of the public schools for the best essays on kindness to animals, were awarded last week by Gov. Daly.

The society is doing excellent work, and has very sensibly interested the children of the place in its efforts.

Seldom has Halifax seen a prettier ceremony than that of Monday, when on the common the colors were trooped.

The brilliant staff with Col. Leach, V. C. commanding the troops, arrived punctually at 11.30 and the ceremony began.

Mrs. Grant has arrived from Bermuda and is the guest of Colonel and Mrs. Leach, Oakland.

With the arrival of H. M. S. Crescent and H. M. S. Rambler social affairs may brighten up a little, provided, of course, that the weather will be good enough to brighten up too.

Mayor and Mrs. Heyman and Colonel and Mrs. Anstruther-Duncan are expected this week from England.

It is pretty well settled that Lady Aberdeen will arrive in the middle of the month, and the ladies of the Women's Council have already set their house in order to receive visiting delegates.

Mrs. Primrose, wife of Captain Primrose, of H. M. S. Indefatigable, will arrive shortly from Barbadoes and spend the summer with her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Kenny.

General and Mrs. Montgomery Moore, who are to entertain the staff of the governor general, are expected here on the thirteenth of June, their guests arriving on the following day.

The Duke of Leeds, who, according to present arrangement, will succeed Lord Aberdeen as governor general, came very near going to South Africa.

It is very unusual for a duke to accept a governor-generalship, but the Duke of Leeds is not rich and is very fond of seeing the world.

Admiral D'Arcy-Irvine, once so well known in Halifax, with his charming wife, whose beautiful voice is not yet forgotten here, retired from the active list last week.

Mr. Dent, who was admiral's secretary here for a long time, and married a daughter of Mr. R. Borradale while on this station, will act in a similar capacity to the commander-in-chief of the Channel fleet.

TRURO.

Progress is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Ful June 3.—Miss Anna Sutherland has returned from a short visit with friends in Kings county.

Judge Marr, Halifax, who is in town presiding at the supreme court is a guest at the Prince of Wales. The funeral of the late, Mr. Daniel Dogget whose death occurred last Friday, after a very prolonged illness took place from the family residence Halifax Road, last Sunday afternoon, and was very largely attended.

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the service at the house; Dr. Gordon, Halifax officiating at the grave.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Patterson and family left for their new home at Horton Landing last Saturday.

Universal regret was felt and expressed on Sunday last when the news of Mr. L. B. McElhinney's sudden death from heart failure, became generally known. The deceased was highly esteemed by all who knew him, and in church and his own immediate circle, his loss will be keenly felt.

Miss Mattie Romans, Acacia Mines, was visiting friends in town last week.

Mr. G. O. Fulton, leaves tomorrow for Sydney, C. B., to further recuperate after his late illness.

Rev. G. R. Martelle rector of Maitland, will occupy the pulpit of St. John's at both services on Sunday next.

We are to have several charming weddings this month, on the ninth; two in the Immanuel church and on the sixteenth another in the "First" baptist.

Mrs. W. D. Hemen and her baby daughter left this morning for Fort Hastings for the summer.

Mr. Merle Young, who has been visiting friends at "Stoneycroft cottage," returned to Canso today.

Mrs. Frederic Annand, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. H. W. Crowe, Arlington Place, returned to Halifax last Thursday.

BRIDGETOWN.

June 2.—Mrs. Taylor and Miss Bertha returned to Halifax on Saturday.

Miss Bernice Kinney is expected home today from Mount Allison.

Mr. Geo. E. Boak of Halifax was in town a day or two last week.

Mr. Reuben Cushing of Queens county, was in Bridgetown last week.

Miss F. Bradshaw spent part of the week with friends at La vrenetown.

Mr. Fred Davidson has been spending a few days in town during the week.

Miss Idella Neily and Mrs. Neily of Middleton, were in town on Monday last.

Mr. J. E. Brooks of the Singer Mfg. Co., has been spending the last week at Digby.

Mr. William Chipman of Wolfville has been spending a few days in town during the week.

Mrs. Geldert of Windsor, is a visitor at the home of her friend Mrs. J. W. Beckwith.

Rev. F. M. Young left yesterday for Wolfville to attend the Anniversary exercises.

Master Fred Beckwith is home for his summer holidays from Acacia Villa, Horton landing.

Mrs. H. Ruggles and mother, Mrs. Taylor, returned from their Boston trip on Wednesday last.

We are sorry to report that Mrs. F. M. Young, who is suffering from nervous prostration, is still very ill.

Mrs. Isaac Parker and Miss Marion Munroe are visiting in Wolfville, and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martell.

Mrs. N. E. Chute left for Kentville, Kings Co., on Monday last to be present at the marriage of one of her friends.

Rev. J. B. Giles and wife, of Granville Ferry, spent part of Friday last with their friends, the Misses Davies on Granville street.

Mr. Horace W. Cole, the well-known St. John baritone, sang in the Methodist church last Sunday morning and in the baptist in the evening.

Rev. J. L. M. Young, who has been in Digby county for the past few weeks, assisted at the services in the baptist church of this town on Sunday last.

Mr. George Crozier, who has been for some weeks at his home in Westville, Pictou county, where his mother is dangerously ill, returned to Bridgetown last Saturday.

Miss Bessie Elderkin left on Saturday last for her old home at Wolfville where she will remain several weeks.

NEW ALBANY.

JUNE 3.—Mr. William McKeown of Berwick N. S. was here for a few days lately.

Mr. Johnston Oakes was a guest of Mr. Harris Oakes last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Hatt have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Merry during the week.

Mrs. John Vidite of Lunenburg is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. McLeod.

Mr. George Connell and family have taken up their residence in North Albany.

Mr. Jacob Beals was the guest of his daughter Mrs. W. Frenitas last Saturday.

Mr. Ingram Oakes has returned from a trip through Lunenburg County.

Mrs. Wynott of New Germany is a guest of her sister Mrs. John McMillin.

Mrs. Albert Oakes was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Corkum at Alpens for a day or two last week.

There doesn't seem to be very much the matter with your child. He doesn't actually lose weight, but there is no gain. He belongs to that large class of children that don't seem to prosper. You look at him a little more thoughtfully than you do at the rest and say "He is not doing well." Failure to gain in weight in a child is a danger signal. Scott's Emulsion should be taken at once. It puts on fat where health demands it, strengthening the digestion.

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Miss Winitred Darling of Lawrence town was the guest of relatives lately.

Messrs Carmen Wilson and Kenny Beck, of East Dalhousie called here recently on their way back from Kingston.

Miss Cassie McKeown intends spending the summer at the old homestead for the benefit of her health.

DIGBY.

[Progress is for sale in Digby by Mrs. Morse. JUNE 2.—Mrs. Shreve is visiting in Boston.

Mr. Harry Jones has been on a trip to Halifax. Miss Short spent a few days in St. John last week.

Miss Clark of Bear river is the guest of her cousin Miss Short.

Mr. Archibald Dakin of Boston, Mass., is on a short visit here.

Mr. Randolph of Fredericton and family will spend the summer here having rented a cottage for that purpose.

Mr. Harry Dennison spent a few days in Kentville last month.

Hon. W. B. Vail has been spending a few weeks in Weymouth and Digby.

Mrs. McNeill is visiting her parents Sheriff and Mrs. Von Blarcom.

SPRINGFIELD, N. S.

JUNE 3.—Miss Maud McNayr returned last Saturday from Laurencetown.

Mr. Robert Stoddart has sufficiently recovered from his late illness to be able to be out again.

Mr. James Meldrum of Upper Branch was a guest of his son Mr. J. Meldrum last week.

Mr. Alexander Corder of North River was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Grinton for a day or two last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lambert are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter which event occurred on the 5th of May.

Miss Idella Fleming who has been staying with her sister Mrs. John Grinton returned to her home in New Germany on the 26th.

MELVERN SQUARE.

JUNE 2.—Miss Effie Chute of Boston is here on a visit to her parents.

Mr. C. I. Vanbuskirk is with us once again and was warmly welcomed by his old friends.

Mr. Charles Jacques went to Halifax this week for the benefit of his health.

Mr. Roland Richardson is home from Wolfville seminary for the holidays.

Rev. L. J. Tingley and Mrs. Tingley formerly of this town are here on a visit to friends.

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Lantz have gone to Middleton much to the regret of their Melvern friends.

LAWRENCE TOWN, N. S.

JUNE 3.—Mr. H. H. Whitman and party are off with the rod and reel to return triumphantly.

Mr. O'Donnell of Halifax is staying here for a few days.

Mr. C. Duncan has returned from a week's vacation in Halifax.

Dr. Leonard has been attending to Dr. Coles' patients at Caledonia while the latter was off on a fishing trip.

Miss Morse completed a course in literature and music lately at M. Allison, and Mr. Reginald Morse graduated in arts.

UPPER OLARENCE.

JUNE.—Miss Mabel Elliott spent Sunday in Wolfville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Neily were here last Sunday guests at Mr. I. Banks.

Mr. Charlie Foster has returned home after spending the winter at "Acacia Villa" Horton Landing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Croaker of Middleton spent Sunday in St. John.

GREENWICH.

JUNE 1.—Miss Lingley is the guest of Miss Annie Balmer.

Miss Geneva Belyea of St. John is visiting friends here.

Miss Ida Belyea of Westfield spent Sunday here.

Mrs. H. A. Purdy and Miss Dorothy are at "Elmwood" for the summer.

Mr. J. D. Purdy spent Sunday at "Elmwood"

Mrs. Secord of St. John spent Sunday here and accompanied by her daughter Miss Emma Secord, to St. John on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whelpley of Fredericton spent a few days here last week.

Mr. David Crowe of Fredericton spent a few days here lately.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Price and family of St. John spent a few days here also.

Mrs. A. L. Peatman has returned home after a visit to St. John last week.

The parish are all invited to be at Oak Point on Wednesday next for the purpose of making improvements in the cemetery. It is to be hoped that every one will respond to the invitation, as the burying ground which is a beautiful spot is in rather neglected condition.

HARCOURT.

[Progress is for sale in Harcourt by Mrs. S. Livingston.]

JUNE 1.—Mr. John Stevenson of Richibucto left here this morning for Port Elgin, Westmorland County.

Mr. W. W. Pride has moved his family into the apartments over Mr. Robert Saulnier's store.

Mr. H. H. Fairweather of St. John was in Harcourt yesterday.

Mrs. M. McKinnon of Richibucto has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Morton.

Dr. M. F. Keith will leave shortly on a well earned vacation trip. During his absence his extensive practice will be looked after by Dr. McWilliams who has taken up his residence in Harcourt pro tem.

Miss Agnes Ferguson was taken ill quite suddenly on Monday and has since remained in an unconscious state.

There was an enjoyable party at Mr. W. G. Thurber's last evening.

Rev. W. Hamilton, formerly stationed at Kingston, was in Harcourt yesterday.

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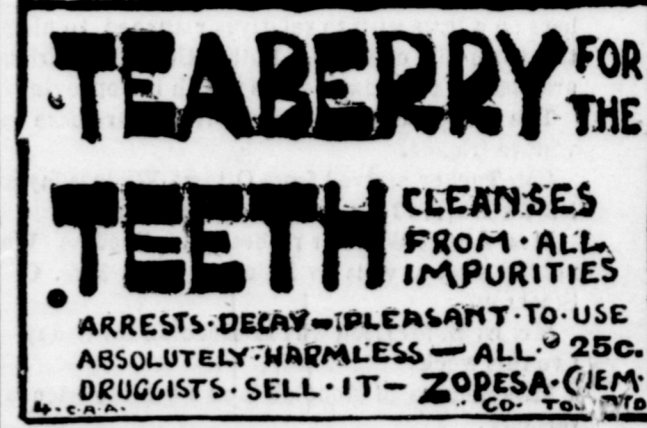
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