

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

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FEB. 3.—Mrs. Charles Vanstone received visitors yesterday afternoon and evening, and will also hold her second reception this afternoon.

Owing to the severity of the snow storm on Thursday evening but few of the ladies of the Outing Club were able to respond to Mr. John E. Algar's invitation to enjoy drive whilst at her residence much to their great disappointment and also of their hostess—Mrs. Algar most generously intends to appoint another evening at an early date for the entertainment of the club.

A birthday club has been organized by a number of the Calais high school girls. The young ladies who are now members are. Misses Flora Hinds, Edith Johnson, Marion Curran, Carrie Murchie, Sarah Todd, Beria Whidden, Margaret Mitchell, and Alma Eaton. Much pleasure is anticipated by the club especially in the spring and summer season.

Mrs. W. J. D. Thomas who had the misfortune to sprain her ankle, is recovering but not yet able to attend to social duties.

Miss Mary Newton is the guest of her friend Mrs. Henry S. Murchie.

Mr. Willard B. King's friends will be glad to hear he is much better from his illness of the past two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Todd and Mrs. Frederic Pike MacNichol invited a party of relatives and friends to enjoy a musical evening with them at their residence on Thursday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Eaton gave a most charming drive whilst party on Saturday evening. After the game of whist and the prizes had been presented to the fortunate winners dancing and music ruled the hour. The party was given for the pleasure of Dr. and Mrs. Franklin Eaton and Miss Helen Parks who are Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Eaton's guests. The ladies and gentlemen who enjoyed this delightful party were, Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Grimmer, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Porter Woods, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lord, Miss Alice Graham, Miss Charlotte Young, Miss Kate Washburn, Miss Edith Skinner, Messrs. Harry Graham, Gorham King, George Down's, Will Mitchell, and Harry Petrick.

Miss Edith King gave a very bright tea yesterday afternoon at the residence of her sister Mrs. J. F. Duren in honor of the engagement of her friend Miss Lillie Eaton to Mr. Yates Barnard.

The "Etude" under the leadership of Miss Jessie Campbell Whitlock was most pleasantly enjoyed on Thursday afternoon in Elder Memorial hall. The musical selections by Miss Connie Chipman, and Miss Helen Ryder received many compliments.

A novel entertainment known as an "Olla Podrida," is being arranged by Miss Blanche Hudson for the benefit of the Union church in Calais. Miss Hudson intends training a dozen or more young ladies in the Hellenic dance and classical living pictures as given by her in Boston, and the public are anticipating much pleasure from the beautiful and instructive features of the "Olla Podrida."

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Newton have gone to Boston for a short visit. Mr. Newton will visit Washington, D. C. before he returns to St. Croix.

Mrs. Clara Wetmore invited a large party of friends to join her in a snow shoe tramp last evening. After the tramp which was a long and merry one, the snow shoers returned to her home to enjoy supper. The evening was so mild that the tramp was thoroughly enjoyed and it is hoped it will be repeated at an early date.

A number of ladies and gentlemen on Tuesday evening went on a sleigh drive to the Old Ridge, to the home of Mrs. Elmar Maxwell. Supper and a snow shoe tramp were enjoyed on their arrival.

Dr. and Mrs. Franklin Eaton and their daughter Irene, left today for Florida where they will spend the next three months.

Trinity workers met at the home of Mrs. W. F. Todd on Thursday, owing to the great storm but few of the members were present.

Miss Mabel Algar entertained the T. J. G. club. The game of "steepie chase" was the game chosen for the evening's amusement and was greatly enjoyed by the young ladies of the club. Miss Berta Teed and Miss Ethel Sullivan were the winners of the first prize and Miss Bordie Todd and Miss Grace Deinstadt were presented with the booby prizes.

The Current News club were entertained last evening, (Tuesday) by Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Lawson. The Harmony club enjoyed a most delightful evening on Monday at the home of one of the members.

Mrs. Fredrie Waite entertained the Park society at tea on Saturday last; this week the society are the guests of another member.

Mr. C. H. Clerke and Mr. Howard Murchie left today for Rossland British Columbia where they will spend a month visiting points of interest in that locality.

Mrs. Annie Melick left today for her home in Boston after a pleasant visit of a month with her sister Mrs. C. H. Clerke.

Rev. Wm. Dollard visited Eastport for a few days last week.

Miss Ethel Foster of St. Andrews is the guest of Mrs. John Black at "Westwilde."

Miss Josephine Hamm has been spending the past week in New York city.

Melville, the young son of Dr. and Mrs. Deacon, who has been so very ill with typhoid fever, is much better at the time of writing and his parents have hope of his recovery.

The Montreal Star of January twenty-sixth says that "Mr. F. Stanchfield, general manager of the British Empire Mutual Life Insurance Co., and Mrs. Stanchfield, who have returned from a delightful holiday in England and Scotland, were among the arrivals by the Vancouver via Halifax, after an absence of three months." Mr. and Mrs. Stanchfield have many friends here who will read this with pleasure.

Miss Victoria Vroom is spending a few days in Milltown with her friend, Mrs. Irving Todd.

Through the invitation of Miss Jessie Douglas of Moore's Mills a number of young people drove to

Moore's Mill last evening to enjoy a snow shoeing and dance at the residence of Hon. William Douglas Mrs. Archibald MacNichol, and the Misses MacNichol left last Wednesday for New York city. Mrs. MacNichol will visit her son Dr. George Pope, MacNichol in Wyandotte, Kansas, before returning to Calais.

Miss Kate Halliday of Gorham, Maine is visiting relatives in Calais.

The many friends of Mrs. Andrew deWolfe are rejoiced to learn she is recovering from her long and severe illness.

Rev. Ranaall Smith returned to St. George on Saturday after several days visit in town a guest of Rev. O. S. Newham.

It will be most pleasing to the friends of Miss Louie Taylor to hear of her successes abroad. At a recent concert after playing a violin solo, she was encored three times and after playing "Home Sweet Home," the applause and enthusiasm was so great that a flag was unrurled in the hall in her honor. The "Jeffersonian Democrat" says, "The immense audience seemed to go wild; and the opera house rang again and again with the sound of their cheers and it was at least five minutes before order was restored."

MONCTON.

PROGRESS is for sale in Moncton at the Moncton Bookstore, by W. G. Stanfield and at M. B. Jones Bookstore.

FEB. 3.—A number of our young people have organized a social club somewhat upon the lines of the defunct bread and butter club, which died a natural and peaceful death some months ago, after an existence of a few weeks. The Phoenix which has risen from the ashes of its predecessor, is to take the form of a skating club, the members, who number about twenty four, to meet at Victoria rink every Wednesday evening, skate until ten o'clock, and then repair to the home of one its members and spend the remainder of the evening in partaking of a light supper, dancing, music or any other form of amusement which may suggest itself. The chief organizers of the club, were Miss Georgia Cole, Miss Janie Harris, Misses Cushing and Miss Trickey Hanington. Mrs. C. F. Hanington entertains the members this evening with a little dance.

N. B.—The club is understood to be very exclusive.

So great is the interest taken in the glorious game of curling, by ladies as well as gentlemen that the curling rink is rapidly becoming one of the fashionable resorts, and it the ladies continue as enthusiastic over the different matches as they have been so far, I fancy the curlers will be obliged to build a new dressing room, since the apartment bearing that name at present, is in reality a reception room where the lady friends of the members gather to do them homage, and rejoice over their victories. Last Wednesday the Moncton club defeated the Amherst curlers by a score of 80 to 52, and yesterday the match between Sackville and Moncton resulted, after a hard struggle in a tie. The match was watched by numbers of ladies, and was so close that the finish was most exciting.

Mrs. H. C. Hanington and son, who have been visiting friends in Fredericton for the past month, returned home last week.

Mr. J. M. Lyons, general passenger agent of the I. C. R. left town on Friday, for Buffalo N. Y. to attend the meeting of general passenger agents of the United States and Canada, now being held in that city.

Mrs. Mary Norfolk, of Springfield Mass., accompanied by her son Master Jack Norfolk is the guest of her sister Mrs. Derner, of Botsford street with whom she intends spending the remainder of the winter.

Miss Nevins of St. John, is visiting her sister Mrs. J. W. Wortman of Weldon street.

Miss Mary Cooke who has been spending the past month visiting relatives at Dorchester, returned home on Thursday.

Mr. David Watson of Montreal, accompanied by his bride, formerly Miss Mabel Norfolk spent Saturday and Sunday in town the guests of Mrs. Watson's aunt, Mrs. Derner. Mr. and Mrs. Watson crossed to Charlottetown on Monday.

The many friends of Mr. Alexander Donald, who has been so seriously ill for the past six weeks, will be glad to hear that he is able to be out again.

Miss Knapp of Dorchester is visiting her sister Mrs. R. B. Smith of Botsford street.

Mrs. Thomas Robb left town on Friday to spend the remainder of the winter with relatives in St. John.

Mrs. R. A. Borden gave a large and most enjoyable whist party last Friday evening at her handsome residence on Botsford street. The guests were chiefly married people, but a sprinkling of the single element was added. It was unanimously voted the party of the season by those who were so fortunate as to be numbered amongst the guests.

It will be very bad news to the majority of Moncton people to hear that Mr. J. S. Benedict, who has been American Consul at Moncton for the past nine years, is to be removed to Campbellton in the near future. Mr. and Mrs. Benedict have made hosts of friends during their residence here, and their departure will be a social calamity. Not only has the consul been deservedly popular amongst the business men of our city, but he has always taken a deep interest in church affairs, and all matters concerning the welfare of the city besides being ever ready to help along any enterprise whether in the direction of sporting affairs, musical and dramatic entertainments or social amusements.

While Mrs. Benedict whose musical gifts are of a very high order, and is always foremost in all good works and ready to help with heart, hand and voice in every charitable and social entertainment, will leave a sad vacant place in the social world of Moncton, when she departs from our city.

The many friends of Mrs. Alexander McBean will hear with deep regret of her departure from Moncton. Mrs. McBean was for many years a resident of this city, but who has lately made her home in the United States, has been paying a long visit to her Canadian relatives, who hoped that she might be induced to remain here permanently, but the claims of her children were too strong to be resisted, and Mrs. McBean left home on Friday for Depew, New York, where she will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. D. E. Russell, of that place, and where she will be followed by the best wishes of her Moncton friends, who will look forward to seeing her again before very long.

Mrs. George W. Daniel's numerous friends will be glad to hear that she is convalescent after her recent severe illness though still unable to leave the house.

Moncton people will hear with very deep regret of the illness of Rev. E. S. W. Pentreath at his home in Brainerd Minnesota. Mr. Pentreath was rector of St. George's church here, for some years and left many warm friends in this city when he left us some years ago to accept the rectorship of Christ church Winnipeg.

Mrs. Thomas Evans left town last week for Val-dost, Georgia, called by the serious illness of her sister Miss Ethel Harper who went south last autumn, hoping to benefit her health.

Miss Pender of St. John is the guest of her friend Miss Alice Rippey of Church street.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Alexander Willis

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took place on Thursday afternoon or late residence on Highfield street. The day was most unpleasant, a violent snow storm raging, but in spite of the weather a large number gathered to pay a last tribute of respect to the deceased lady. The services both at the house and grave were of a very impressive character, and were conducted by Rev. J. M. Robinson pastor of St. John's presbyterian church, of which Mrs. Willis had been a devoted and consistent member. The pall bearers were Messrs. James Sayre, David White, P. Hopper, Alexander Girvan, James McKenzie and Alexander Ford.

Mr. J. H. Crowe of Bridgetown, N. S., has been in town for the past few days, called by the serious illness of his mother Mrs. J. Crowe of this city.

IVAN.

**RICHIBUCTO.**

[PROGRESS is for sale in Richibucto by Theodore P. Graham.]

FEB. 3.—Mr. John T. Millar after spending last week at his home, returned to St. John on Saturday.

Rev. A. S. Morton who has been supplying the presbyterian pulpits in the vicinity for the past two weeks, returned to Nova Scotia on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson of Newcastle are spending this week in town visiting at Mr. J. Ferguson's.

Miss Millar were glad to know is recovering from her tedious illness of the past month.

Mrs. Robert Pinney is slowly improving after her serious illness.

Word was received on Friday evening last of the death of Mr. Geo. McMinna a native of this town his death having occurred at South Africa whither he had gone last summer. The news of his death was quite a sudden shock to his relatives here as well as to his wife and family residing at present in Truro, N. S. The cause of his death was typhoid fever. Besides his wife and three children he leaves an aged mother, two brothers and a sister. Miss Janie McMinna left on Saturday for Truro, N. S.

Rev. Wm. Lawson delivered his postponed lecture on Tuesday evening to an appreciative audience.

Mr. Smith Scott left on Saturday for Moncton where in future he will reside, he will be much missed among his friends.

AURORA.

**HAVELOCK.**

FEB. 2.—Capt. Fowles left last week for New York.

Mrs. Fred Seely spent Wednesday in Petitcodiac. Mr. H. A. Keith made a trip to Sussex last Thursday.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. MacNeill returned to their home in Hampton Thursday.

Mrs. W. H. Fowles spent last Wednesday in Petitcodiac the guest of Mrs. Webster.

Mrs. H. A. Keith entertained a few friends Wednesday evening.

Mr. A. H. Robinson was in Moncton one day last week Miss Belle Wilnot who has been visiting her sister Mrs. Taylor returned to Salsbury last week. Mrs. A. H. Robinson has returned from her visit to Sussex and Hammond.

The remains of Miss Elva Corey were brought home from Boston for burial last week.

Mr. Sheard of Moncton was here last week.

Miss Sophia Keith who has been visiting her sister Mrs. W. L. Corey, has returned to Boston.

Saturday evening Mrs. C. F. Alward gave a very pleasant birthday party for her brothers Ira and Dan Keith. Those present were Misses Ina Keith, Mary Price, Nellie and Ethel Keith, Alice Stuart, Mamie Keith, Emma Price and Reenie Keith Messrs. Ross Keith, Burt Taylor, Fred Keith, Walter Alward and Rainford Keith.

Miss Lottie Price has gone to Moncton to visit friends for a short time.

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