

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

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FEB. 10.—The Park society met with Mrs. W. C. Renne on Saturday of last week. This week Mrs. A. E. Neill will entertain the society and much pleasure is anticipated by the ladies who are members.

The Current News club enjoyed a most delightful evening on Tuesday at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Black.

The ladies and gentlemen who are to give the play "Lady of Lyons" this week were unable to secure the St. Croix hall for the presentation, and consequently are obliged to give the performance in the opera house at Calais Milltown. Much pleasure has been anticipated from this play by lovers of the theatre, for Miss Harris and Mr. Leo D. Lamonde who assume the principal roles are great favorites with the public.

Miss Lillie Eaton entertained the whist club of which she is a member at her home last Thursday evening.

Miss Victoria Vroom enjoyed a short but pleasant visit this week in Milltown with her friend Mrs. Irving R. Todd.

Much interest is now awakened in Miss Blanche Hudson's work, and it seems to be gaining the high favor of our most intellectual and progressive citizens, and her private pupils are increasing in numbers, among whom are two of our most prominent gentlemen, one a clergyman and the other a lawyer. Miss Hudson's testimonial from a leading physician in Edinburgh Scotland, must prove her mistress of the work she represents.

The Park society meets at the residence of Mrs. A. E. Neill on Saturday afternoon.

The Harmony club met at the residence of Miss Carrie Barker on Monday evening. The musical programme was devoted to compositions by Heller.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd are entertaining a party of friends at dinner today.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Grimmer were in town for a brief visit on Saturday.

Mr. W. C. H. Grimmer made a brief trip to St. John this week.

Mr. W. B. King is suffering from a relapse and still continues very ill much to the anxiety of his family and regret of his numerous friends.

On Thursday evening at an early hour Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maxwell, discovered their residence was on fire, an alarm was given but before the house was greatly damaged before the flames were extinguished. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell have the greatest sympathy of their friends in their misfortune and loss. They are now with their daughter Gladys, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Maxwell.

Mr. Walter Purdy of St. John, spent Sunday in town and was registered at the Windsor. He returned to St. John on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Renne have returned from Boston.

Madame Lee accompanied by Mrs. Ernest T. Lee left for Boston yesterday and will spend a fortnight in the city, during their stay will be guests at the Adams house.

Miss Alice Nichols is spending a few days in St. John.

Mr. George D. Eaton left last week for Boston.

Miss Ethel Foster returned to St. Andrews yesterday after a visit with her friend Mrs. John Black.

Miss Ella Warren Harmon is expected home at an early date having nearly finished a most successful theatrical engagement.

Mr. Fred J. Short our popular assistant postmaster has been suffering for the past two weeks from a severe illness.

Mrs. Harry Moran and her children, arrived here Saturday and will spend some time with relatives here.

Mrs. W. F. Todd returned from Boston on Wednesday, she was accompanied by her daughter Miss Winifred Todd who returns from school to recruit her health after a severe attack of measles.

Miss Lizzie Clarke our efficient lady druggist will soon assume charge of a drug store in Milltown recently purchased by her brother Mr. W. H. Clarke.

Mrs. George J. Clarke and her little daughters Pauline and Doris are visiting relatives in St. John.

Mr. John M. Stevens has returned to Edmundston after a brief visit in town.

Miss Noe Clerke is in St. John visiting her friends General and Mrs. Warner, Miss Clerke will probably spend a few days in Fredericton with the Premier and Mrs. Mitchell before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Renne returned from a pleasant visit in Boston last week.

Mrs. John D. Chipman has been spending the past week in Boston.

Mrs. Rosa Emerson is in St. John the guest of her brother Mr. Horace King.

Mrs. C. M. Gove of St. Andrews is spending a fortnight with her daughter Mrs. Hozen Grimmer.

Miss Harriet Grant went to St. Andrews yesterday where she will be the guest of Mrs. G. Durill Grimmer for a few days.

Mrs. Frank Morrison has returned to Fredericton after a pleasant visit here.

The marriage of Rev. Harley Maxwell of Battleboro, Vera mt, to Miss Sarah Love, was quietly solemnized on Wednesday last by Rev. S. G. Davis of the Union church. After the ceremony the happy pair drove to the C. P. R. depot and left in the evening train for Battleboro, where Mr. Maxwell will resume his parochial duties.

Mr. Irving H. Todd has been in New York and Boston during the past week.

Mr. John E. Algar is at home again after a business trip to Edmundston and other places in Madawaska and Carleton counties.

Miss Nellie Murchie has gone to Perth where she will make one of a house party of young ladies who are being entertained for ten days by Mrs. George Baird.

Mr. J. B. Gillespie of St. John was a visitor in town this week.

Mrs. E. C. Young gave a luncheon on Thursday last to a small party of friends, which I hear was a very pleasant affair.

Mrs. John D. Chipman returned from Boston at noon today.

A skating carnival at the curling rink is to be one

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young ladies, the bright eyes, the rosy cheeks will not long remain in your possession when once indigestion makes its home with you; if you have been unwise and now are fighting against this monster, call in K. D. C. the skilled little doctor. He'll remove your enemy, restore health and bring back the bright and happy days. It is a solid fact, K. D. C. should be in every home, far it prevents and cures the stomach ills.

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of the attractions and events of this month. It will be under the auspices of the curiers, and everything will be done to make it a brilliant success. Tuesday the sixteenth is the date.

Mayor Whitlock entertained his council and a party of gentlemen friends with an oyster supper at the Windsor hotel one evening last week.

Mr. Fredric Stevenson, post master of St. Andrews, was in town during this week.

Mr. George M. Porter arrived from New York city on Tuesday and will be the guest of Mrs. Chas F. Todd.

Rev. Mr. Penna preached in the methodist church on Sunday.

Rev. Dr. Sprague has returned from a brief visit in St. John.

Mr. R. E. Armstrong of the St. Andrew's Beacon, was in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fredric Pike MacNichol and Mrs. Henry Todd went to Boston on Tuesday for a short visit to enjoy the pleasures of the German opera and theatrical celebrities that are now in full blast in that city.

The next affair on the tapis is the "Olla Podrida" in which a number of the elite on both sides of the St. Croix participate. Miss Hudson gives all the training and this speaks the results. The Spanish tangos and tambourine dance, a carnival of children, fifty in number, a genuine Hungarian Gypsy "Lusau," the Hellenic dance and other beautiful features will make one of the most delightful entertainments ever given here by amateurs.

A lecture on church history and magic lantern entertainment was given in Christ church school room on Tuesday evening by the rector Rev. O. S. Newnam. There was a large attendance, and the entertainment was both pleasant and instructive.

Miss Victoria Vroom on Monday evening most pleasantly entertained the boys of her Sunday school class, at her home. Games music and a supper made a most enjoyable evening.

Miss Josephine Hann's friends most cordially welcome her home again after her long absence spent in visiting friends in Boston and New York.

Miss Jessie Howie is the guest of her friend Mrs. Almon I. Teed.

MONCTON.

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

FEB. 10.—I forget just when Lent comes in this year, but judging by the rush of gaiety which has signaled the last week or two, the season of penitence must be rapidly approaching as we always seem to crowd as much pleasure as possible into the last weeks before Lent. Our gaieties have taken the decorous form of whist, lately, small whist parties being of almost daily occurrence, but at present quite a large dance is on the tapis. It is to be held in Enman's hall and will be under the management of a committee of ladies and gentlemen thoroughly competent to look after such matters, so it is certain to be a brilliant success. Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hanington, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Plunkett, Judge Wells and Mr. A. C. Stead, are amongst the active workers.

Mrs. S. J. Plunkett gave a very enjoyable little whist party on Wednesday evening. There were about four tables, and the guests spent a very pleasant evening.

Mrs. J. S. Benedict entertained a number of neighbors at whist on Thursday evening and Mrs. Peter McSweeney gave a large whist party on Friday evening, to her friends in the lower part of the city, the week before having been devoted to the upper hall.

Mr. F. A. McCully gave a small but most enjoyable whist party last evening and Mrs. O. J. McCully entertains her friends at whist this evening.

Mrs. D. S. Harper of Shediac is spending a few days in town the guest of her sister Mrs. H. S. Bell of Church street.

Mrs. I. W. Binney's many friends will be glad to hear that she is convalescing from her recent severe attack of grippe.

Miss Winnie Williams who has been spending the past six weeks with relatives in Boston returned home last week.

Victoria rink was filled with enthusiastic spectators on Thursday evening to witness the hockey match between the bankers club of Amherst, against our own bank men. The game was hotly contested and most exciting, resulting in a victory for the Moncton men by a score of three to two. The greatest interest is taken in these games many of the more enthusiastic of the ladies wearing the colors of the different clubs permanently attached to their jockets.

Miss Youds of Kentville, N. S. is visiting Mrs. P. Ferguson on King street.

Mr. Robert Simpson of Lethbridge, Alberta is spending a few days in the city, the guest of his son Mr. R. W. Simpson of the I. C. R. engineering department. Mr. Simpson has been manager of extensive mines in Lethbridge for some years past, and is at present taking a holiday trip through the maritime provinces and visiting his children.

Miss Hensinger left town last week to spend a few weeks visiting relatives in St. John.

Miss Tilney left town on Saturday, for her home in Toronto, where she intends spending a month.

Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum of Fredericton, who has been spending a few days with her sister Mrs. I. W. Binney of Church street returned home last week.

Miss Price of Havelock, who has been visiting friends in town returned home yesterday.

Miss Maude Hopper, of Montreal hospital returned home on Monday to spend a short time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Hopper of this city.

Senator Wood of Sackville, paid a short visit to Moncton yesterday.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Harris will regret to hear of the very serious loss they have met with, by a fire which broke out in their handsome residence on Queen street on Friday morning; and which had gained much headway before being discovered, that both house and furniture were almost entirely destroyed, and the house will require extensive repairs before it will be habitable again. Owing to the efforts of the firemen, and citizens, the flames were finally subdued, but so great was the danger of the building being a total loss that nearly all the furniture was removed before it was apparent that the fire was under control. Of course both house and furniture were insured, but this insurance goes a very short way towards indemnifying one for the inconvenience and trouble of such a disastrous occurrence, and Mr. and Mrs. Harris will have the sympathy of their friends in their misfortune.

Miss Anna Crossdale is visiting her friend Mrs. F. H. Risteen of Fredericton.

WOODSTOCK.

[Progress is for sale in Woodstock by Mrs. Loane & Co.]

FEB. 10.—Another surprise party was given on Thursday evening last. The friends of Miss Mary Connell spent a very pleasant evening at the residence of her mother Mrs. George Connell. The amusements consisted of various games. The first on the programme was a literary contest, the object

of the game was to discover from various objects and pictures placed about the rooms and numbered, the titles of some twenty novels. These titles were placed opposite to the numbers on a slip of paper furnished you. The person having the greatest number correctly placed received first prize. The one having the fewest received the booby. Miss Allan received a very pretty silver whisk holder as the winner of first prize. Some of the ideas were very cleverly carried out. The Maxman, The Mill on the Floss, 'The Earth Trembled' and Pickwick, Papers, being especially good. Supper was served about twelve o'clock. Those present were, Mrs. George Connell, Miss May Connell, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Taylor, Mr. and Mrs. G. Mitchell, Mrs. Poole, Dr. and Mrs. Kirpatrick, Mrs. Sprague, Miss Wolhaupter, Miss Allan, Miss S. Williams, Miss M. Clarke, Miss Jordan, Miss E. Jordan, Miss McGovern, Miss Josephine Watts, Miss Isabel Watt, Miss Munro, Miss Jessie Watt, Miss Hall, St. John Miss Jewett, Miss Tompkins, Miss Baker, Miss Appleby, Messrs. F. Harrison, F. Lawlor, H. Connell, T. M. Jones, Geoffrey Stead, C. Wetmore, Deacon, Smythe, Neill, F. Hay, G. Frapp.

The promenade concert given by the band in the Opera house on Friday evening was highly successful. A large attendance enjoyed the good programme furnished. The waltzes played by the band were highly inspiring and many dancers took advantage of the opportunity afforded. An instrumental solo by Mrs. Grenville James. A recitation by Miss Augherton. Songs by Messrs. R. N. Loane, S. MacCrea, and H. Lee and a character sketch by Dr. Manzer and R. N. Loane were features of the programme.

Mrs. Porter of Fredericton is the guest of her daughter Mrs. E. S. Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Newcombe of Andover who was the guest of her daughter Mrs. Julius Garden returned home Saturday.

H. R. Wetmore of Halifax spent Sunday in Woodstock.

Mr. Reginald R. Dibblee Mr. C. L. S. Raymond, Mr. I. E. Slipp, Mr. Frank Tilley, Mr. J. Griffith, Mr. C. Connell, attended the convention of Farmers and Dairymen at Fredericton this week.

Mrs. A. B. Bull is spending some week at Florenceville, the guest of her sister Mrs. Balloch.

J. T. Allan Dibblee M. P. P. spent Sunday at home, returning Monday to Fredericton.

Rev. Fr. Chapman left Monday for Fredericton to attend the funeral of Rev. Fr. McDevitt.

J. C. Hartley spent part of last week in Fredericton.

Miss Bertha Peabody and Mr. Donald Peabody drove to Fredericton this week for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. McNutt of St. John spent part of last week in Woodstock, the guests of Mrs. John T. Allan.

Miss Duncan spent part of this week in Jacksonville, the guest of Miss Good.

L. P. Ferriss, M. P. P. of Chipman, Queens Co., spent Sunday in Woodstock, the guest of his brother-in-law, Mayor Hay.

A party of twenty young people from Houlton, Me., spent Saturday in Woodstock returning Saturday evening.

Mr. Charles Carman and Mr. Alex. Brown drove to Fredericton this week to attend the convention there.

Rev. Scovell Nealis of Andover spent part of last week in Woodstock.

THINGS OF VALUE.

There is more variation between different varieties of wheat than between this grain and some kinds of oats and barley.

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The average yield of wheat in Germany and Italy is about the same; that of the former being 10.2 bushels, and the latter 10.4.

ANAGANCE.

FEB. 11.—Mr. Jack Davidson of St. John is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Davidson at the depot this week.

Mrs. McNaughton is spending this week in Apohaqui with her daughter Mrs. Byard McLeod. Congratulations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. F. Goddard on the arrival of a young son.

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Miss Berta Davidson and Mr. Humphrey Davidson spent Sunday with friends in Havelock. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Baird spent Sunday in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Stockton. Mr. Lester Stockton was visiting in St. John the latter part of last week. Mr. Charlie Trites of Peitcodiac spent Friday last with his friend Mr. Humphrey Davidson of Apple Hill.

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