



Miss Jessie Gordon Forbes is having considerable trouble with her eyes just now and has been confined to the house for some time as a result of their condition.

The marriage is announced to take place after Easter of Herbert C. Tilley of this city and Miss Bessie Tucker of Fredericton.

A pleasant little evening was given recently by the Misses Birdie and Doris Tufts who entertained their young friends in a charming way at a most enjoyable little party.

Mr. Fred G. Spencer will return tomorrow (Saturday) from Bangor where he has been in the interest of the Clary-Williams concert for the past four weeks. It is a source of gratification to Mr. Spencer's friends, as well as of congratulation to that gentleman himself, to know that the recent concert was most successful, and that the same enthusiasm that greeted the two great singers in this city upon their respective appearances, was manifested in Bangor. Madame Clary and Mr. Williams will arrive in St. John this evening.

Mrs. I. J. D. Landry who was confined to her residence for several days after her return from Fredericton, by a severe cold is able to be out again. Miss Maude McLasky of this city is spending a little while in St. Stephen with her friend Miss Stella Robinson.

Miss Annie Gregory has returned to the St. Croix after a pleasant stay with city friends.

Mr. A. W. Robb was recently entertained for several days by Mr. Edgar Robinson at the latter's home in St. Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Donnell of Yarmouth N. S. are spending a short time in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Eagles came down from Woodstock for a day or two during the week.

Mrs. R. P. Foster of Dorchester is visiting relatives in the city for a week or two.

Mr. Ralph Markham was welcomed home this week from Kingston where he had been attending the cavalry school for a little while.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Clarke who spent several days in the city recently returned to Halifax Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Robertson went to Fredericton this week and will spend some days there.

Mr. H. R. McLellan is paying a short visit to friends in Halifax, N. S.

Mrs. Albert McKinnon has returned from a very pleasant visit to her son Mr. Herbert McKinnon of White Head.

Mr. M. G. B. Henderson's friends will be interested in learning of his proposed journey to the Klondyke, which will begin in a week or two. While about to say goodbye to him, Mr. Henderson's large circle of friends here and elsewhere will extend to him their best wishes for unlimited success in the land of gold, and cold.

Mr. George King of the P. O. Inspector's office left the first of the week for the Upper provinces, his health demanding a change of residence.

Dr. F. L. Kenney of the West end still continues ill and his condition is causing some uneasiness among his friends.

Mr. P. G. G. G. spent a day or two here the first of the week. He was accompanied by Miss Giffkins and Miss Light of Amherst.

Senator Lewin and Mrs. Richard Lewin left the first of the week for Ottawa where they will remain until the House closes.

Rev. D. Macrae was warmly greeted upon his arrival from Quebec, this week. The Reverend doctor came to take part in the St. Andrews Centennial celebration.

Mr. C. B. Robertson returned last Saturday from a trip to Europe. Mr. Robertson's trip was a very pleasant one and he no doubt brought back many new ideas for the benefit of the progressive house he represented.

Miss Margaret Leck of Wentworth street, is confined to the house this week by a very badly sprained ankle, the result of a fall in the rink last week. The accident is most unfortunate in view of the fact that the family intend leaving for England in six or seven weeks and it is feared that Miss Leck will be kept a prisoner in the meantime. Mr. Byers his daughter and granddaughters Mrs. and the Misses Leck will spend some time in London before going North where it is probable they will make their home for a year or two.

The funeral of Mr. W. K. Crawford took place from his late residence last Monday afternoon. Rev. J. deSoyres, assisted by Rev. W. O. Raymond held a service at the Stone Church during which the hymn "Peace Perfect Peace" was sung by the choir in a most impressive manner. The pall bearers were Mr. C. M. Bostwick, Mr. James Troeman, Mr. W. P. Dole, Mr. Clarence Ward, and Mr. J. R. Rue. Among the numerous floral tributes resting on the casket were: A sheaf of wheat from Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miner, a Cross of white roses and carnations from Alderman and Mrs. McArthur, a large Star composed of roses from Mrs. Crawford, and a bouquet of carnations from Mr. Bruce Scovill.

Miss M. E. Rand was summoned to Canada, N. S. this week by the very serious illness of her sister Miss Ella Rand.

Mr. Harry Russell, formerly of Carleton but now living in Boston, was called home recently to attend the funeral of his brother Mr. Matthew Russell. Although regretting the sad nature of his visit Mr. Russell's friends were glad to see him once again.

Mr. J. M. Roberts of Moncton paid a brief visit to the city the first of the week.

Hon. A. T. Dunn, M. P. went to Fredericton during the course of the week.

Mr. F. L. Jones was here from Ottawa for a part of this week and was a guest at the Royal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Goodridge of St. John N.B. were among this week's visitors to the city.

Several theatre parties, it is understood, have been arranged for Tuesday night's concert in the Opera house. The original plans were for Monday night but the haste with which the best seats were taken up early in the day made postponement necessary.

Mr. J. B. Ayer of Sackville is paying a short visit to the city.

Mr. John Lawlor is able to resume work again in the I. C. R. depot, after a short illness.

Hon. D. C. Fraser who came to attend St. Andrews society anniversary as one of the speakers, returned to New Glasgow on Wednesday.

Miss M. Blizard (daughter of Mr. F. Blizard)

left Wednesday for South Framingham, Mass., where she will enter a hospital for training as a nurse. Miss Hall also left on a similar mission a day or two ago.

Mrs. W. A. Carter who has been visiting her son E. S. Carter, goes to St. Stephen today to visit her daughter Misses May and Grace Carter.

Miss Daisy Gorham left the first of the week for a three weeks visit to friends in Bangor.

Mr. Alfred Markham returned Wednesday night from Fredericton where he had spent a couple of days.

Mr. F. A. Dykman got back last week from a trip to Ontario and other parts of the upper provinces. Despite several snow blockades Mr. Dykman enjoyed his trip immensely.

Mrs. Rannie and Miss MacFarlane are paying a visit to their sister Mrs. (Dr.) F. W. Barbour.

Miss Masud Golding is also in the capital at present with her aunt Mrs. A. W. Edgecombe.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Everett will spend a month in Fredericton and have engaged apartments at Windsor Hill for that time.

Mrs. McIntosh is entertaining her sister Mrs. H. H. P. for the celebration for a week or two.

A pleasant concert was given at Westfield this week by a number of city ladies and gentlemen who at the close of the entertainment were regaled with supper at Riverbank the residence of Mr. G. Lilland.

The programme of the concert was as follows: "A Pair of Lunatics"..... Miss A. V. Fowler and Mr. G. N. Price.

Mandolin solo..... A. S. Cook Vocal solo..... Mr. F. L. Tufts Reading..... Miss M. L. Harding Violin solo..... Miss Irene Fowler

"The Twins"..... Archie Cook and Geo. Price Banjo solo..... Mr. G. D. Davidson Scene from "School for Scandal"..... Miss Alberta V. Fowler and Geo. Price.

Vocal solo..... Miss Lizzie Fowler Trio Mandolin, Guitar and Banjo..... Messrs. Cook, Davidson and Tufts.

Reading..... Miss Harding Vocal solo..... Mr. F. L. Tufts Comedy—"Courtship under difficulties"..... Mr. W. A. Wilson, Mr. G. N. Price, Miss A. V. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Upham arrived from St. Stephen this week and will make their home in this city for some months.

Miss L. E. Baitle who has been visiting Boston and New York inspecting and purchasing the latest novelties returns to the city next Tuesday.

Mrs. F. Beverly who has been in Parisboro for some time visiting her daughter Mrs. Reid, returned to the city a few days ago.

The tenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Mott was celebrated at their residence last Tuesday evening by quite a large party of friends who assembled to wish them continual happiness and prosperity and to offer tokens of kindly good will and friendship upon the interesting occasion. The evening was charmingly spent in music and various games of which progressive crochets was the most important, and in which Miss Helen Gross succeeded in carrying off the first prize, while Mrs. E. J. Ritchie was awarded the consolation prize. Among the elegant gifts received was a handsome onyx table and lamp from Mrs. Mott's mother and sisters, and an oak chair and silver salver from her husband.

The guests present included Dr. and Mrs. Mott, Judge and Mrs. Ritchie, Mrs. Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Titus, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Estabrook, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dickson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hopper, Mr. and Mrs. Will Peters, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Allan, Mr. and Mrs. Gifford, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alward, Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Dick, Mr. and Mrs. Dykeman, Dr. and Mrs. Bennett, Miss Ella Mott, Miss Estabrooks, Miss Maude Estabrooks, Miss Fannie Everett, Miss Helen Gross, Miss Joe Gross, Miss Emma Colwell, Miss Mina Colwell, Miss Wilmet, Miss K. Wilmet, Miss Jeanie Peters, Miss Charlotte Peters, Miss Emma Hopper, Miss Emma Goddard, Miss G. Smith, Miss Stella Payson, and Messrs. Will Hopper, Chas. and Ernest Everett, S. Hatfield, Clinton Brown, J. W. Winter, H. A. Brown, Ernest DeMill, Harley Gross, W. F. Nobles, E. Colwell, F. Tufts, Dr. Wheeler, Walter Peters, and J. Wisely.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham of Milkish, celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage last week, when a large number of city people drove out to their cosy home to do honor to the occasion. The party left the city about four o'clock and did not return until after midnight. A good old fashioned supper was served. A purse of gold and other valuable gifts were evidence of the esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham are held by their friends. Among those who drove out from the city to wish them continued happiness and good luck were the following:

Mr. Fred Thompson, Mrs. Thompson, Mr. Fred Miles, Mrs. Miles, Mr. S. E. Stevens, Mrs. Stevens, Mr. E. Cowan, Mrs. Cowan, Mr. W. J. E. Myles, Mrs. Myles, Mr. J. R. Pidgeon, Mrs. Pidgeon, Mr. T. Fred Powers, Mrs. Powers, Mr. Robert Sime, Mrs. Sime, Mr. J. E. Cowan, Mrs. Cowan, Mrs. Fred Hee, Miss Sweet, Misses Stevens, Mr. Fred Thompson Jr., Mr. J. S. Eagles, Mrs. Eagles, Mr. John Stevens, Miss Pidgeon.

A concert will be given in the business department of the Currie Business University, tomorrow, Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when the following programme will be rendered:

1. Gladiator March..... Aeolian. 2. (a) Tenor Solo, "Sally in our Alley." Gramo. (b) Song "I want yer ma Hoasey." phone.

3. Independent's March..... C. B. U. Orchestra. 4. Song, "Mona"..... Mr. S. D. Wilson. 5. Alice..... Aeolian. 6. Overture, "The Feast of Roses"..... C. B. U. Orchestra.

7. (a) Song, "The Holy City"..... Gramophone. (b) Xylophone Solo, "Pretty Little Blue Eyes"..... Gramophone. 8. Piccolo Solo, "My Old Kentucky Home"..... Mr. F. McDuffee.

9. Selections, "Dorothy"..... Aeolian. 10. Selections, "Bohemian Girl"..... C. B. U. Orchestra. 11. (a) Song, "Di Quella Pira"..... Gramophone. (b) Imitation of a Street Fakir..... Gramophone.

12. Song, "The Englishman"..... Mr. J. T. Kelly. 13. Symphonic Waltz..... C. B. U. Orchestra. 14. Mia Bella Waltz..... Aeolian. God Save The Queen.

SACKVILLE.

[Progress is for sale in Sackville by W. J. Goodwin.]

MAR. 9.—The two principal social events lately have been the foresters' supper and the Academy skating party. The former was held in Ford's hall Tuesday evening, Mar. 2, and included as guests the numbers of Court Tatnam and visitors from sister courts. The visitors were I. Humphrey, court Tatnodiac; J. A. McQueen, and Dr. Coy from Point de Bute; G. C. Copp, Bale Verte, and Wm. Anderson, Western Canada; from Upper Sackville, Colonel Baird, Jas. F. Lingley, Geo. W. Towns, Albert Wry, Obed Stokes, Edward Sear, Halbert Estabrooks, Bliss Ayer, John Stokes, from Wood Point, Stuart Richardson, W. Hamilton, Edward Rogers, Wm. Campbell; from Dorchester Bernard Bowser, J. Crossman.

At eight o'clock the members assembled in Ford's hall for a short service and then marched across the street to Ford's hall, escorted by the Sackville brass band. The three long tables presented a most attractive appearance with their artistic arrangement of fruit and flowers, which were but the forerunners of the good things to come. The menu was extensive and most admirably served. It embraced turkey, ham, tongue, roast beef, a variety of vegetables and scallops, jellies, various kinds of pastry and cake, nuts and raisins, tea and coffee.

The supper was got up and served by Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Wry, who with six deit assistants waited on the numerous guests with great efficiency. F. W. Emmerson, High Secretary for the province sat at the head of the centre table and Thomas Murray, High Auditor was the vice. After grace had been said by Rev. Mr. Meader court chaplain over one hundred sat down to the feast while the band played gay airs.

The toast which were loyally bowed with the Quon, included the order of Foresters, the High Court of the province, Court Tatnam, the sister courts, the mercantile interest, the learned professions, the press and last but not least, the ladies.

Among the speakers were, F. W. Emmerson, Taos Murray, J. A. McQueen, A. P. Sherwood, Horace Fawcett, H. Black, F. Dixon, Rev. Mr. Mader, A. B. Copp. W. B. Thompson read a few statistics regarding Court Tatnam stating it was organized in 1891 with a roll of 24 which had since increased to 112 and was in good financial condition.

F. Dixon gave a humorous recitation, "The woman who was to be a Forester," with admirable effect.

The programme was agreeably varied by well-rendered songs from Messrs. F. Murray and J. Dobson. Mr. Murray gave "In the Lowlands" Mr. Dobson, "Down on the old farm," the fine voices of both gentlemen being much appreciated. The band furnished several duets and a very pleasing quartette and at midnight the entertainment was closed with the strains of the National anthem. This was voted by common consent one of the most enjoyable and successful affairs of the kind ever held in Sackville.

Wednesday Mrs. Wm. McLeod gave a very pleasant five o'clock tea. Among the guests were, Mrs. Westly Fawcett, Mrs. Beverly Trites, Miss Charles Freeman, Mrs. Wm. Ogden, Mrs. James Ayer, Mrs. Eneken, Mrs. Howard, Mrs. Pichard Treman, and the Misses Palmer.

On the same evening Mrs. Greenwood celebrated her birthday by inviting a few ladies to tea.

Friday evening the At Home given by the Academy young gentlemen in the rink came off. It was a fine night and the clerk of the weather had mercifully decreed sufficient frost to keep the ice from giving out altogether which it had been threatening to do in the last warm wave. Invitations were issued first and foremost to the young ladies and teachers of the ladies college, then to the Senior class of the University, to the Professors and their wives, to a number of the lady and lassies of the town, chiefly the lassies, and a few of the young men. All of the college girls but ten or twelve were there; of the teachers Miss Lathern, Miss McLeod, Miss Williams, Miss Chase, Miss Johnston, Miss Harrington, Miss Thomas were present as well as Dr. and Mrs. Borden. Messrs. Hunton and Tweedie represented the professors. Among those from the town were Miss Lulu Ford, Miss Mary Milner, Miss Amy Milner, Miss Laura Milner, Miss Francis Milner, Miss Emmerson, Miss Bessie Carter, Miss May Wells, Miss May Scott, Miss Mabel Dixon, Miss Hazel Bell, Miss Emily Willis, Miss Schurman, Miss Grace Towse, Miss Katie Brecker, Miss Lillie Hart, Miss Nora Wood Fraser, Miss Maud Hutchinson and Messrs. H. Wood Fraser, Mowbray, McCredy, Ford, F. Tu ner, Harlan Esty, E. Richardson, F. Doull, Geo. Palmer, G. Fawcett, Roy Ayer.

Mrs. Palmer and Mr. Smith one of the students received the guests. A novel and agreeable feature were the programme cards with pencil attached. The band, which played its prettiest, furnished ten numbers. Coffee sandwiches and cake were served through the evening in the upstairs supper room. It was altogether a delightful entertainment and everyone regretted when God save the Queen closed the evening. It is much to the credit of the academy students, many of whom are but lads, that they spared no trouble and expense in giving the girls a good time and also in returning in this agreeable manner the hospitality they have received from the townspeople.

Saturday was a decidedly disagreeable day but the snow did not prevent a number, at least half of them ladies, attending the curling rink to witness the final contest for the Borden medal. The first was held in February commencing with twelve rinks, the second contest had six rinks, the third three, the last two. The most exciting match of the affair was between Dr. Borden's and Captain Anderson's rinks where the victorious doctor was bounced. Some very good play was shown at different times. On one occasion H. C. Read's rink scored eight points for one end which might be termed a "straight flush." Saturday the players were as follows; F. A. Dixon, F. T. Lingley, H. F. Pichard, W. H. Harrison, ship, score 15. The opposing side, A. W. Colpitt, R. M. Fulton, G. F. Wallace, A. W. Bennett, ship, score 5. The ice was not in first class condition which perhaps accounted for the very uneven scoring but one of the players on the losing side said it was the "general cussedness" of inanimate objects. However this may be, W. H. Harrison had a "sweeping" victory and became the happy owner of the medal which was presented by Dr. Borden. While the contest has been in progress the medal was on exhibition in I. W. Goodwin's window and has excited much admiration for its dainty workmanship. The letters of Sackville curling club are in a gold monogram, below which are two silver brooms with a pendant curling stone of gold, the blue fastened by a silver bar to a bit of red and blue ribbon.

Mr. Allison has been winning at hockey at a fine rate. One evening last week the midnight slumbers of most people were broken by what sounded like an army marching to life and drum. But after hearing the college yell the inhabitants were satisfied that it was nothing more alarming than the students celebrating their first hockey victory over Dalhousie. Presumably as the match was fought in a military town they wished to give military music, hence the rat-a-tat of tin cans and toot-tooting of tin horns.

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