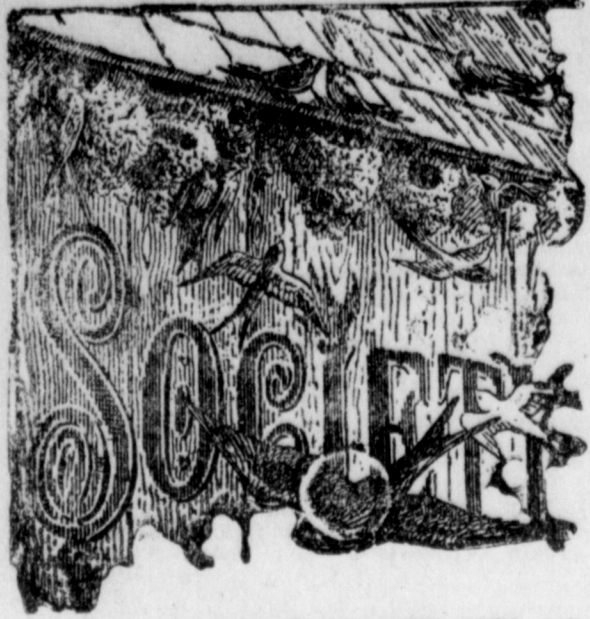


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**HALIFAX NOTES.**

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Dec. 12.—Mr M B Daly, Lady Daly and daughter, will spend Christmas at Rome.

Dr Morrison, Sydney, and Miss H H King and Mrs Pagan, Halifax, registered at the High Commissioners office, London, during the week ending Nov 20.

Mr and Mrs Arthur Burrell are receiving their friends this week at No 23 Church street.

Miss Violet Redpath is paying a visit to Boston. Mr and Mrs C L Kenny left on Monday for a short trip to Boston.

A pleasant function on last week's social program was the tea at home given by Mrs Walter Doull at her residence on Pleasant street, despite the snow storm the attendance was excellent.

Miss Nora O'Brien has become quite a social favorite during her stay in this city. She will be the guest of honor at two or three functions this week.

Mrs Crowe who sails for England by this week's mail steamer, will be absent until spring, during which time she will be the guest of her daughters.

Mr Geoffrey Morrow, who has been quite ill is recovering.

Dr Farrell is suffering from an attack of slow fever and pneumonia, contracted while driving from Ellershouse to Windsor.

The engagement is announced of Harry King and Miss Sadie Caldwell, daughter of Mrs Caldwell, Boston. The family spent the summer at Jubilee.

Miss Caldwell is the niece of Mrs Walter Lawson, Windsor.

Dr F N Burgess, Cheverie, was in town last Friday and expects to leave early in the New Year for the south, where he will remain during the winter months for the benefit of his health.

Mr W M Goudge, of the Recorder staff, and Miss Mary E Keating, daughter of Michael Keating, 54 Veith Street, are to be married today, Dec 12th. The ceremony will be performed by Rev Mr LeMalne, rector of St George.

The marriage of Mr Harris S Smith, eldest son of de Wolfe Smith, of the firm of Bennett Smith & Sons, Windsor, to Miss Anslow, second daughter of J J Anslow, the editor of Hants Journal, formerly of Newcastle, will take place at the Methodist church, Windsor, the 2nd week in January.

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**DIGBY.**

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Mr Audrey Brown has returned home from a trip to Canning, Kings county.

Mrs Thomas Waters has returned to Augusta, Me, where she will spend the winter.

Mrs Charles E Burnham was a passenger to Yarmouth Tuesday. She is visiting her daughter Mrs Haley.

Mrs A J S Copp was a passenger to St John on Thursday of last week, returning Saturday.

The Misses Harris and Josephine Dunn, of Bear River were in town recently.

Mr Avar Campbell and his sister have arrived here from Boston.

Messrs Jas Handspiker C C Munroe, who have been at Newburyport, Mass for several months, returned home yesterday and will spend the winter at Culloden.

**ANNAPOLIS ROYAL.**

Dec. 11.—Mrs Norman Dimock of Windsor spent a few days with her sister, Mrs Bradford.

Mrs Lombard and her little son Jack are in Yarmouth this week and Master Farish Owen is also visiting there.

Miss Carrie Peters of Gagetown, N. B., who has been visiting Mrs Bayfield has gone to Digby.

Mrs Charles Godfrey of Yarmouth is in town.

Mrs Robert Harris, who has been quite ill is able to come down stairs again.

Mrs Wright of Clementsfort is spending the winter with her sister, Mrs George Burbridge, Kentville.

Miss Rogers of Yarmouth will be in Annapolis next week, and will exhibit a line of fancy work, painting etc.

A very pleasant wedding took place at the residence of Mr William McLeod, Montserrat, on Wednesday evening, when his third daughter, Lotie

was married to Thomas A Spurr of Perotte. The ceremony was performed by Rev Henry deBlois, A M Rural Dean and rector of the parish. If the number, usefulness and beauty of the presents testified to the popularity of the bride, then must she have been popular indeed, since her friends fairly showered them upon her.

Mrs Katharine Wood of Perotte who has been on an extended visit to her daughter in Boston returned home Saturday.

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At an early hour on Wednesday morning a quiet wedding was celebrated at the residence of Mr George Wotten, Miss Blanche Wotten being united in marriage to Mr Harry B Gough of Summerside F E I. The bride wore a prettily and most becoming suit of purple cloth with hat to match. The room was filled with guests but at the train was an assemblage of friends of the bride who was always most popular and who will be greatly missed in the community, to see the young couple on board the train and to wish them happiness.

A "Conundrum Tea" and sale of fancy articles by the ladies of St George's church on Tuesday evening realized \$30 and was a pleasant social affair besides.

Mr and Mrs Holford Tucker are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

Mrs Robert Aikman has returned from a visit of two months or longer in Montreal.

The free use of the old town hall lighted has been given by the town to the Athletic Club lately reorganized with Mayor Day, president and Mr Clifford McMurray, treasurer.

Miss Isabel Aikman is visiting friends at Truro.

Miss Reid of Ansonport is the guest of her sister Mrs McQuarrie.

Mr Walter Lawson, Windsor, is paying an official visit to the Commercial Bank.

Mr Wm Neve has gone to reside in Sydney, much to the regret of his acquaintances and friends here.

Mr Douglas of Halifax has been at hotel Alpha, since Friday.

Mr and Mrs C R Smith have been in St John for a few days and expect next week to remove to their new home at Amherst.

**YARMOUTH.**

Dec. 12.—Mrs L B Wyman returned from a trip to Boston per S S Boston Wednesday.

Mr Charles Cooper was a passenger from Boston per S S Boston Wednesday.

Mr Harry Johnston formerly stenographer in the Y S S Co's office, now has a position with the Ocean S S Co, of Savannah.

There was a scene of peasing festivity at the residence of Mr John Lowe, Clark's harbor, on Wednesday of last week, when his youngest daughter, Julia, was united in matrimony to Mr J udah Keany, jr, merchant of this place, Rev A M Mc-Ninch officiating in the presence of a goodly number of invited guests. Charles Lowe, brother of the bride was groomsmen, and Miss Susie Van Emburg waited on the bride.

Miss Stella Killam went to Boston Saturday to spend the winter.

Mrs Bessie Lovitt has leased the residence on Forest street formerly occupied by G M Dane and will take possession at once.

Mr and Mrs O S Davison have closed their residence, Cliff street, for the winter months and will be guests at Mrs Thomas Harding's.

Miss Floss Johns has returned from a visit to Boston.

Miss Annie Temple, daughter of Rev W H G Temple, of Seattle, arrived in town last week and is the guest of Mr and Mrs Arthur Rogers, Cliff street. It is Miss Temple's intention to remain in Yarmouth until April, spending her time with her relatives and friends. Before returning to Seattle she will pay a brief visit to New Brunswick friends.

Mr Edward S Williams and Miss Lois Clements, sister of Mr Fred Clements, of Barclay, Clements & Co., Boston, were married by the Rev Robert Pegrum at the Congregational church, Sunday evening after the service.

**WOLFVILLE.**

Dec. 11.—Mrs J Elliott Smith before her departure for Halifax, where she will spend the winter gave a very pleasant whist party on Tuesday evening to a number of her friends from Wolfville and vicinity and Kentville.

The Bowling club are now organized for the winter and hold weekly meetings at the homes of the different members. On Tuesday last they held an interesting meeting at Kent Lodge the home of Mrs Moore.

Mrs Y E Sherwood gave a delightful party recently to a large number of her young friends. Dancing was the order of the evening.

The ladies of the Anglican church held a successful fancy sale on Thursday afternoon last in Temperance hall.

**KENTVILLE.**

Dec. 12.—Miss Emily Lovitt of Yarmouth, is the guest of her sister Mrs H H Wickwire.

Mr J E Farrell of Boston, paid a flying visit to his old home last week.

Mr and Mrs White of Shelburne, who have been visiting at the Rectory, the guest of the Rev. C. DeW. White, returned home on Tuesday.

It is a matter of great rejoicing to the young people of the town that we are to have an open air rink this winter. The dyke near the carriage factory is to be flooded and kept in good condition.

The Quadrille Club has been reorganized and will give their opening dance on New Year's night. A very pleasant time is anticipated.

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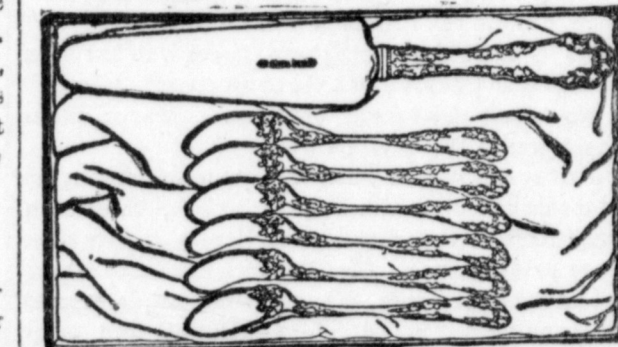


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