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HALIFAX NOTES.

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Mar 20.—On Tuesday of last week Mrs Wesley Smith gave a very pleasant 'At Home' at her residence, Göttingen St. Mrs T A Cosman is receiving her friends on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week at 88 Sackville Street. The concert held in St. Mary's Hall on Monday evening under the auspices of St. Mary's Dramatic class was a decided success. Many interesting specialties were introduced and the affair was in every way enjoyable.

On Friday of last week, Mrs. McRae also gave a very pleasant and most enjoyable reception to a large number of friends, at her residence Spring Garden road. Mrs David McPherson gave a large 'at home' at her residence on Monday afternoon. Over 250 invitations had been given. Mrs Wilkinson, wife of Col. Wilkinson of Halifax and Miss Harvey are visiting in Kentville. Mr and Mrs Joseph Wood entertained a number of young people at their home on Monday evening. A pleasant time was spent with music and games. Mrs Charles and Miss Kathleen Smith have returned to their home in Kentville, after a short but pleasant stay in the city.

Mrs J B Bennett has returned from Windsor where she has been visiting for the past month. The Irish concert in the Orpheus Hall on Friday evening last was well patronized and thoroughly appreciated. A very interesting program was carried out, the best of our local talent assisting. The North End Whist Club met last week at the residence of Mr and Mrs Chas Johnson, Kaye St. A very pleasant evening was spent. The club has furnished much amusement for its members during the past season. Lady Tupper, wife of Sir Hubert Tupper has been here for the past week. She will leave in a few days for Montreal. Mr George Mitchell, M. P. gave a delightful dinner to a number of his friends on Tuesday evening of this week. At a recital given at the Conservative of Music last Tuesday evening, Miss Jean Moody made her debut as a pianist. She was well received and her every number liberally applauded. Several other pupils assisted and helped to render the occasion an enjoyable one. Dr Drummond is to give one of his famous dialect readings here on Friday evening. Persons of literary instincts are looking forward to the occasion with pleasure, which promises to be most pleasant and instructive. Miss Edith Little, St John, is visiting Mrs C C Blackadar, 227 Pleasant street. Mrs D McPherson has issued at home invitations for Friday afternoon at her residence, Campbell Road, from 4.30 to 7 o'clock. The Misses Robertson, daughters of Mr Wm Robertson, and Miss Stairs, sister of Capt H B Stairs, leave on a trip to Boston tomorrow, via Yarmouth S S. The many friends of Mr John Glazebrook will be glad to learn the operation which he underwent at the hospital, was a success and good hopes of speedy recovery are held. Miss Beckwith, Mr Madill, Rev Mr Mader, were passengers by Beta for West Indies. Mrs (Hon) D McPherson was at home to her friends on Friday afternoon last. Mrs Dr Dickey of Charlottetown is in the city visiting her parents, Dr and Mrs Freneman. Mr and Mrs L Wurzburg of London have arrived in the city. They are guests at the Halifax.

WINDSOR.

MAR. 20.—Mrs Arthur Woodill, Halifax, formerly of Windsor arrived here last week and will remain for a time the guest of Miss Annie E Robinson. Mr Dick Willets, son of Rev Dr Willets, President of King's college, Windsor, who has been attending Military college, Kingston, has been appointed to a lieutenancy in Baden Powell's constabulary. Mr George MacCallum has gone to New York to visit his brother Lawrence, of that city for a few weeks. He was accompanied as far as Boston by his sister Miss Grace MacCallum, who will remain there for a short time and then go to Shelburne to visit her sister Mrs T H White. The marriage of Miss Madeline Black second daughter of Dr and Mrs J B Black, Windsor to Rev T Davies, B A curate at Truro, and son of Rev S Davies of Seaford Halifax, Co, will take place on Wednesday, April 17. Miss Black is one of Windsor's very popular young ladies and Mr Davies is well known in town having made many friends while attending King's college. Miss Annie Biggley has been in Parraboro visiting her sister, Mrs Jeffers. Miss Dorothy Smith was in Halifax last week. Miss Elsie McHefley of Shubenacadie, left recently for Denver, Colorado. Mr and Mrs F W Derkin have returned to Weymouth. Mr D Murphy and sister Miss Ethel of Maitland are guests in Truro with the Misses Murray. Miss Edna Stirling has returned home from Berwick and Wolfville where she has been visiting friends. Mr Harley Dodge has returned to Sydney to resume his duties in the Commercial bank in that town. Miss Ethel Shand is now visiting with friends in Boston and vicinity and will remain there till after Easter. Mrs Clarence Dimock visited Mrs. Owen in Annapolis for a few days last week and is now visiting friends in New York. Mrs. David Crowe, Onslow, is visiting her old

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home, Mr. Alex Frame's, Shubenacadie, nursing her aunt in her illness. Rev. Joel Mader, Shubenacadie has gone to Jamaica. He will be absent six weeks enjoying a rest and the balmy air of a tropical climate. Mrs. Gates, Middleton, and little daughter were in town last week the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Gates. They left on Thursday to visit Truro. Mr. W M Russell, son of J A Russell, who was on the staff of the Bank of Montreal at Kingston has been transferred to the branch of that bank at Deseronto, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. De W. Smith were last week entertaining Mr. Nat Littler of Halifax.

Latest styles of Wedding invitations and announcements printed in any quantities and at moderate prices. Will be sent to any address. Progress Job Print.

KENTVILLE.

Mar. 20.—Mrs C F Rockwell is paying a visit to Windsor. Miss Hennigar of Canning was the guest last week of Mrs G W Woodworth. Mrs J C Starr has returned home from a brief visit in Bridgewater. Arthur Blanchard who has been attending the military school in Toronto came home last week. Mrs John Millar of Canning was in town a few days last week. Mrs Wilkinson and Miss Harvey of Halifax, are spending the week in town. Miss Harvey is the guest of her brother, W C Harvey of the Union bank. Mr Frank Chipman who has been attending Dalhousie law school, returned home on Saturday. Miss Banks a former teacher in the Academy spent last week in town, the guest of Mrs Carroll. Invitations are out for the celebration of Mr and Mrs Charles F Masters' golden wedding to be held on Monday March 18. It is expected that a large number of guests will be present. An event of unusual interest to the people in Kentville took place last Monday, it being the golden wedding anniversary of Mr and Mrs Charles A Masters of this town. On March 17, 1851, they were married, at Wilmot, by the Rev Ingram Bill, at the home of the bride. Mrs Masters was then Miss Charlotte E Morse, daughter of Beniah Morse, Esq. of Wilmot, Annapolis Co. The newly married couple at once came to Kentville, where they settled, on the same place where they now live and have resided there ever since. They are one of the oldest families in the town or in the country. Friends and relations by invitation were received during the afternoon and evening, from 2 to 4, and from 7 to 10 o'clock. In the afternoon the more elderly people paid their respects to the bride and groom, who had thus revived the relation of 50 years ago, and sat in state, as they did then, to receive the congratulations of those who were glad to give them. In the evening the house was thronged with the representative people of Kentville, as well as by relatives and friends from Port Williams, Cornwallis, Boston, Truro and other places, also telegrams from many localities, from the States, Sydney, C B, etc., were received during the day, conveying kind wishes and regrets. Mr and Mrs Masters received many gifts appropriate of the occasion.

WOLFVILLE.

Mar. 19.—Mrs W J Higgins entertained a few friends on Wednesday evening. Miss Morse who has been visiting at Dr Bowles' has removed to Greenwich, where she will stay with her brother. Mrs Irene Elder Morton of Wilmot, is in Wolfville, the guest of Mrs I B Oakes. Mrs D H Eaton of Kentville, has been the guest of Mrs B O Davidson this week. Miss Alice Craig is visiting her sister, Mrs C A Patriquin.

YARMOUTH.

MAR. 20.—A masquerade carnival was held in the rink on Friday evening last. Some of the costumes worn by the skaters were pretty and strikingly original. A good time was enjoyed by all in attendance. Miss Ethel Reyrum is paying a visit to friends in Watertown, Conn. Mr N S Trefry has returned to Boston after a pleasant visit to friends here in town. Miss Hannah Butler has gone to pay a visit to friends at Boston. Miss Alice Carey is also spending a short vacation at the Hub. Misses Robertson and Miss Stairs of Halifax

were here for a short time last week. They were enroute to Boston and were passengers on Saturday evening's boat for that city.

Mr and Mrs J McCallum are paying a visit to friends in Boston. Mrs L Bent and Miss Eva Bent were passengers on last Saturday's boat to Boston, where they will remain for a few weeks.

Miss Lizzie Parker and Miss Ida Moulton also left on the same day for a short vacation at the Hub.

Mrs John C Bowman is spending some time with relatives in different parts of Massachusetts.

False Croup.

This is a form of laryngitis, occurring in young children, which is accompanied by a spasmodic drawing together of the vocal cords, occasioning more or less difficulty in breathing. It is usually called simple croup by both mothers and doctors, but it is a much less serious affection than true croup.

True croup is an inflammation, usually diphtheritic with a membranous exudation filling up the larynx whereas false croup is spasmodic and of short duration.

False croup may begin suddenly and without warning, but usually the child has a cold for a day or two before the croupy symptoms appear. The attack comes on during sleep and the little patient is awakened by the urgent need for breath.

Sometimes there is difficulty only in respiration; in other cases an effort is required to force the air out as well as to draw it in.

Accompanying the difficulty in breathing is a short, ineffectual cough of a harsh, metallic character. There is usually more or less fever, sometimes a very high one, and the pulse is rapid and hard. The child seems to be in imminent danger of suffocation—and sometimes actually is—but generally the spasm of the larynx relaxes after a while and the child falls asleep. In many cases the attack, if it has been severe, terminates with a fit of vomiting or coughing up of a large quantity of mucus.

A second attack may occur the same night or the next night, or there may be no subsequent seizures.

The following morning the child is generally in his usual health, except for a slight hoarseness and a spasmodic, metallic cough, or there may be a little difficulty in breathing for a day or two.

Although the symptoms of a sharp attack of spasmodic croup are often terrifying, it seldom ends fatally in a previously healthy child. Convulsions or unconsciousness may follow a severe attack in a delicate child.

Relief may be obtained by applying to the throat a cloth wrung out of hot water. The inhalation of steam rising from a vessel of hot water in which a teaspoonful of compound tincture of benzoin had been dropped will sometimes break up a spasm. In severe cases the child may be made to vomit by giving him warm salt water, or by tickling the back of the throat with a feather.

It is not always easy to distinguish between true and false croup, and it is safer to call a physician in every case.

A King on the Congo.

Mr. Holman Bentley's book, "Pioneering on the Congo," gives an amusing account of the first attempts of the missionaries to proselytize a grim old negro king, to whom the idea of christianity was new.

He sat in state, and was a due regard for his dignity as a monarch, looked with indifference at the presents displayed before him. His slaves and soldiers shouted with delight as cloths, beads, and so forth, were spread upon the ground; but it was not until a clock work mouse was shown that the king himself was moved to smiles. A negro figure which danced when wound up, drove him into shouts of delighted laughter.

He gave the missionaries a sight for their house, but paid no attention to their teachings, regarding them simply as strange folk, the makers of magical wonderful toys.

After several months it chanced, during a famine, that a poor little slave boy was cast out to starve by a brutal master. One of the missionaries brought him home, and fed and nursed him. But after seven weeks of care and kindness the outcast died, and was buried by the missionaries with every token of respect and honor.

Then the old king made a speech in public, declaring that this kindness to a poor slave child, for whom nobody cared, had impressed him more than all the gifts or sermons of the strangers.

"This man nursed poor Tompe, and helped him," the king said, "and when he died buried him as if he had been his uncle, in a lot of warm cloths, and fenced in his grave. I know of it all. There is something in it that is wonderful. I cannot understand it."

Men may be impressed by the ceremonies, the sermons and the arguments of different sects, but it is when the teacher holds out his hands in brotherly love to the poor and outcast that they see the Christ Who speaks through him.

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