



The pleasant and long-anticipated visit of the Governor-General and party is still the chief topic of discussion.

The daily papers have given such a detailed account of the entertainment so carefully prepared by our city officials and so heartily entered into and to all appearances so much appreciated by the distinguished visitors, that Progress finds, at this late hour, very little left to comment upon.

The ladies are still discussing the pleasing appearance of Lady Minto and her charming young daughters and those who were privileged to spend some hours in her company on Thursday afternoon, when she entertained the members of the Women's Council were enthusiastic in their praises of the one who holds such an important place in Canada's social world.

The reception tendered to the vice-regal party on the evening of their arrival was attended by fully five hundred persons. The interior of the court room presented a brilliant spectacle. The gentlemen wore the conventional evening dress, while many of the toilettes of the gentler sex were conspicuous by their beauty and richness.

Lady Minto was attired in a handsome gown of white silk with drapings of black net and sequins. She wore a corset and collar of diamonds. Harrison's orchestra, stationed in a room adjoining the reception room added not a little to the enjoyment of the occasion.

The sail on the river in Mr. R. Thomson's new Yacht Scionda was also a pleasant feature of the entertainment of the guests. Mayor Daniel was the host on this occasion. A recherche lunch was served on board and the time passed with pleasant conversation and in viewing the ever fascinating scenery of the St. John River.

The Governor-General and party on Thursday for the border towns where they were enthusiastically received.

Mr and Mrs Robert Thomson, Misses Thomson and Mrs Percy Thomson and a few friends left in the yacht Scionda on Thursday morning on a pleasure cruise down the bay. They will visit Bar Harbor and Eastport and will be absent about a week.

Mr and Mrs John M. Thomson and the young people who have been their guests in camp have returned to the city. The outing was much enjoyed. Mr Chipman and his sister Miss Constance Chipman who were among the guests remained in the city for several days, before returning to their home in St. Stephen.

The members of the golf club who went to St. Andrews on Monday had a very pleasant trip. In the ladies with the St. Andrews golfers the St. John ladies were victorious, while the gentlemen were, as usual, badly beaten.

The players were: Misses Thomson, M. Thomson, Burpee, T. Malcolm, Stetson, Nellie McAvity, Nellie Parks, Geo. McAvity, Thos. Dunning, G. West Jones, F. Stetson, Teddy Jones, J. T. Hart, E. A. Smith, Rev. J. D. Fraser, C. J. Coster, J. D. Hazen, F. H. Hart, Waldo Skinner, Mr. Longley.

Mrs C. J. Coster, Mrs J. D. Hazen, Mrs Geo. McAvity, Mrs G. West Jones, Mrs G. F. Smith, Miss Vroom, Miss Vassie, Miss McAvity, accompanied the players on the trip.

Mr and Mrs E. A. Smith have returned from a ten days holiday trip to St. Martins.

Among the city people who are guests at Kennedy's Hotel, St. Martins are Mr and Mrs W. H. Trueman and little daughter, Mr and Mrs Stephen McAvity and family. There are also a great many American visitors at this pretty resort.

Mrs Fairweather and daughter, Miss Daisy are enjoying a pleasant visit with relatives at Bridgetown.

Miss Nev'n of Boston arrives here this week and will be the guest of her aunt, Mrs E. A. Smith, Carleton street.

Dr and Mrs Edward Montgomery of Boston are visiting the Doctor's parents in the West End.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter MacLaughlin of Minneapolis who have been visiting the former's parents here left this week for their home. Miss Mattie MacLaughlin accompanied them and will spend the winter in that city.

Miss Ethel Nutt is home from a lengthy trip to England.

Miss Maud Cameron left on Monday morning for Canning, N. S., where she will visit her sister Mrs. Joseph Bigelow for a month.

Notwithstanding the very inclement weather of Tuesday evening, the Neptune Rowing Club excursion scheduled for that evening was quite well attended by the gay young people, whose ardour even the thickest fog does not seem to dampen.

The worshippers of terpsichore were in abundance on Tuesday evening, there was a plenty of room on the spacious decks, the music was excellent and it is very little wonder that the hours passed swiftly and pleasantly.

All sorts of lovely refreshments and dainty ices were served and although the moon did fail to put in an appearance the excursion was none less enjoyable.

Former students and friends of the Sacred Heart Academy, for many years conducted in this city, are much grieved to hear of the death of Madame Richards, which took place at the Sault Au Re-collet Convent on Saturday last. Madame Richards had reached the advanced age of 80 years and upwards of fifty years of her life has been devoted to the education of young ladies.

A pretty early morning wedding took place at St. John's Presbyterian church on Tuesday, when Miss Tillie McDade, youngest daughter of Mrs. J. McDade of Gilbert street and sister of Mrs. R. J. Wilkins was united in marriage with Mr. D. J. Waterbury formerly of this city, but now of New York. The Rev. T. F. Fotheringham tied the nuptial knot, which was witnessed by many friends of the young couple. The guests included only immediate relatives.

The bride wore a most becoming and strikingly stylish costume of violet broadcloth, with hat of corresponding colour. Her attendant Miss Gertrude Northrup of Halifax wore pink organdy with picture hat. The groom had the support of Mr. Arthur Kerr.

At the conclusion of the interesting ceremony the bridal party drove to the International pier, where Mr and Mrs. Waterbury embarked for Boston en route to their home in New York.

Another nuptial event of considerable interest to St. John people took place at Fredericton on Wednesday, when Augustus Cameron of Cameron & McTavish, of St. Stephen, led Miss Helen Daisy, third daughter of Edgar Hanson to the matrimonial altar. The marriage ceremony was performed at 6 o'clock at St. Ann's church, Canon Roberts, D. D. officiating, and a number of friends being present.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was handsomely attired in a travelling costume of castor broadcloth and wore a Gainsborough hat and carried a bouquet of bride roses. Miss Carman presided at the organ and played the wedding march.

Mr and Mrs. Cameron left by C. P. R. express for St. John en route to Nova Scotia, where the honeymoon will be spent, after which they will take up their residence at St. Stephen.

Both bride and groom have many friends in St. John who join with Fredericton and St. Stephen in hearty good wishes.

Mr and Mrs R. L. Johnston spent Sunday last at Quispamsis.

Mr Gerald Carleton, a literary celebrity of Galway, Ireland is a guest at the Victoria hotel this week. He is travelling with several American friends.

Mr and Mrs A. George Blair are guests at Bellevue Hotel, Rothesay.

Mr and Mrs Walter Foster and infant child are visiting Mrs Foster's mother, Mrs Vassie at Rothesay.

Miss Frances Stead has been visiting friends at Rothesay.

Much sympathy is felt for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Magee in the death of their bright young daughter, Miss Helen. Miss Magee had been a constant sufferer for the past two years and her death was not wholly unexpected. With her many young friends the deceased was particularly well liked and she will be sincerely mourned.

Picnics, both public and private are now the order of the day. Among those to take place next week are the Cathedral Sunday school which has its outing at Torryburn on Tuesday, the Carleton baptist church will picnic at Westfield and a city Methodist church will go to Crouchville. Picnics are always happy events and there is no reason why these should prove exceptions.

Miss Florrie O'Neil, of Elliot Row is spending a few weeks at Loch Lomond.

Miss Olive Stone has returned from a lengthy visit with relatives in Nova Scotia.

Miss Ada White left yesterday for Moncton and Point DuChene where she will spend a three weeks vacation.

Mr Henry O'Leary one of the editors of the New York Press, spent Sunday with friends in the city. He was accompanied by his mother and was en route to Richibou, his former home.

Miss M. Jennie Kirkpatrick of Newark, N. J. is visiting friends in the city.

Dr and Mrs W. H. Steeves of Fredericton have been in the city visiting Mrs Steeves parents, Mr and Mrs Clark.

Mr and Mrs D. Hopper and family are summering at St. Andrews.

Miss Sadie Christie of Fredericton is in the city, the guest of her friend Miss Annie McCurdy, Main street.

Miss Gertrude Lawlor is spending a fortnight at Quispamsis.

Miss Lizzie Maguire of Waterloo street is also visiting in that vicinity.

Mrs P. Marry and children of Douglas Avenue are spending the month of August at Bayswater.

ST ANDREWS.

Aug. 1.—The Vice-regal party are expected to arrive here this evening.

The programme of entertainment provided for their excellencies are quite elaborate and no doubt all arrangements will pass off satisfactorily.

The presence of so many Americans in our town will lend a certain charm to the occasion.

Visitors still continue to pour into town. This delightful watering spot is much appreciated by tourists.

Miss Newham, Miss Edith Newham and Miss McBride of St. Stephen, and Miss Edith Wedderburn of Hampton, were in town on Wednesday last the guests of Miss Mary Hunt.

Mr and Mrs N. D. Hooper and family of St. John, are summering at the Morrison cottage.

Miss Bessie Eaton of Houlton, Me. has been the guest of Miss Stuart.

Miss Halliday, of Gorham, Me. is a guest of Mrs H. Johnson.

Mrs A. Euston and Master Burton are here from Boston.

Miss Nellie Douglas, of St. George, is at Mr and Mrs Hibbard's.

Mr and Miss McGarrity of Milltown, are spending their eighth summer in St. Andrews.

Mr and Mrs T. R. Mitchell who has been enjoying a short holiday on Grand Manan, returned home on Tuesday via St. Andrews.

Miss Townsend and Miss Louise Townsend, of Woodstock are visiting Miss Fannie Ross.

Mayor Howland of Toronto, is a guest of Lady Tilley.

Mrs James Paul of Montclair, N. J. is visiting her brother, A. C. Shaw.

Mrs Boyd of Calais is visiting her brother, Judge Cockburn.

CHATHAM.

Mrs Mary A. Williston of Bay du Vin is visiting friends.

Miss Annie Carter of Boston is here, visiting her sister, Mrs Donald MacDonald.

Miss Lily Sinclair returned on Thursday last from a holiday visit at Bay du Vin.

Mrs James Vanstone and children are spending the vacation at Eccuminac.

Miss Bessie Vanstone returned from Boston Tuesday, on a holiday visit.

Mr and Mrs Charles Robinson are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son.

Miss Zolpha T. Jardine, who has been in Lowell for the past two years, has returned to Chatham, to spend her vacation with her parents.

Mr and Mrs V. A. Danville and some friends visited the point on Sunday last.

A party of Chatham people, also one from Napan are having picnics down here. One of the party is Mr. John Stewart of Bangor.

Edward Had Some "Boy."

In England champagne is called 'boy' by many persons more often than by the more obvious pet name 'fizz'. The origin of the term 'boy' however, it is not generally known, but in a newly published book, 'The Private Life of the King,' this explanation is given:—

On one broiling hot day during the stay at Homburg, the king went for a picnic with a large party of friends. When luncheon arrived everything was beautifully cooked and cool, but what appealed most to every one were bottles of champagne standing in silver pails of ice, with white wet napkins round their necks. A small cupid of a 'Tiger Tim,' was told off to fly about and spill the trappo nectar into the glasses.

There was little ceremony observed, and the lad was distracted from the usual routine service by cries of 'Here, boy!'

'I say, boy!' 'This way, boy!' which gradually got abbreviated into, staccato calls—'Boy!' 'Boy!' 'Boy!'

Seeing one little lady, more bashful than the rest, sitting silently with her plate untouched before her the king said: 'Are you waiting for anything?'

'Yes, sir,' she answered, 'I am waiting for the boy.'

'Oh said the king, 'Pray take this,' handing her his glass, and taking her empty one from her. 'Now I'll have some boy, too.'

The magic sound of the king's voice brought the boy to his side and for the rest of the afternoon when any one's glass was empty the king kept up the joke by saying 'Have some boy!'

A Woman's Last Word.

If the two young people of whom Answers tells were not reconciled by their own absurdity, they at least furnished amusement for others.

They had been engaged, but had quarreled and were too proud to make up. Both were anxious to have people believe they had entirely forgotten each other.

He called at her home one day to see her father—on business, of course. She answered the door-bell.

Said he: 'Ab, Miss Jepkin, I believe. Is your father in?'

'No sir she replied, father is not in at present. Do you wish to see him personally?'

'I do, he answered, feeling she was yielding on very particular personal business, and he turned proudly to go away.

'I beg your pardon,' she cried after him, as he reached the lowest step, but who shall I say called?'

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