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SHEDIAC.

Shediac, N. B., March 5—Miss Jessie Likely, of St. John, arrived in town on Monday of this week, and is the guest of Miss Joy Charters, Point du Chene.

On Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 6 Mrs. James McQueen at her home, Sackville street, gave a very pleasant little afternoon fancy work to a number of her town lady friends at which Miss Likely was guest of honor. Miss Joy Charters assisted Mrs. McQueen in serving her guests. Little Miss Muriel McQueen very sweetly gowned in white and pink ushered. Owing to the afternoon being extremely stormy a number of those invited were unable to attend. An observation contest which formed a very attractive feature of the entertainment was taken part in by those present, Miss D. Johnson being the fortunate lady, who was awarded a dainty Limoges cup and saucer. Among the guests were Miss Likely (St. John), Miss Charters, Miss McDougall, Miss Inglis, the Misses Harper, the Misses Johnson (Sackville), the Misses Evans, Miss Burnyeat Miss Lulu Pierce, daughter of Rev. Thos. Pierce, Florenceville, is the guest of her friend Miss Laura Dickie, Main street East. Miss Pierce, who with her parents resided in Shediac at one time for some years, has many friends in town who are welcoming her once more in their midst.

Mr. Steeves, of Moncton, spent Sunday last with his daughter, Mrs. W. R. Williams, Calder street.

Capt. W. Milne, of cruiser Canada, Halifax, was in Shediac for some days this week, the guest of his sister, Mrs. H. W. Murray.

Master Hazell Williams has returned home from a visit to his grandparents in Moncton.

Mrs. E. H. Allen recently visited Moncton friends.

Mr. D. Stuart Campbell, of Sackville, visited his home in town this week.

On Saturday afternoon of last week an enjoyable ladies' fancy work was given by Mrs. E. G. Coombs, Main street, from 3 to 6, at which a number of the ladies of the town were present, the Misses Johnson, of Sackville, being the guests of honor.

Miss Joy Charters received, and with Miss Lena Tait assisted nine hostess at the serving period. Those present were Mrs. R. C. Tait, Miss Tait, the Misses E. and D. Johnson (Sackville), the Misses Annette and Gertrude Evans, Mrs. James McQueen, Miss Fannie Lyons, Miss Beatrice Harper, Miss O'Brien, Mrs. O'Brien, Miss J. Charters, Miss L. Melanson, Miss Burnyeat, Mrs. A. J. Tait, Mrs. W. A. A. Russell.

On Friday afternoon of last week Miss McDonald, was hostess at an informal tea, at which a number of her young lady friends were most pleasantly entertained. Those present were Miss Alice Burnyeat, Miss O'Brien, the Misses Annette and Gertrude Evans, the Misses Johnson (Sackville), Miss Beatrice Harper, Miss Edith Inglis, the Misses Lena and Hilda Tait.

One of the large and highly enjoyable social functions of the season was given on Friday evening of last week by the Misses Weldon at their home the Weldon House, at which a large number of the young ladies and gentlemen and married ladies of the town were present. The first half of the evening was devoted to a highly interesting and enjoyable advertisement guessing contest, in which Miss Lena Tait and Mr. Leon Melanson were the successful lady and gentleman competitors. Miss Tait was awarded a very handsome bouquet of pink carnations, while Mr. Melanson was the recipient of a pack of cards. At 11.30 the guests repaired to the large dining room where a most tempting repast was served, after which the tables were cleared and dancing became the order of the hour. Those present were Mrs. H. W. Murray, Mrs. A. J. Webster, Mrs. H. B. Steeves, Mrs. Thomas Gallagher, Mrs. A. G. Lawton, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. Edwin Freeze, Mrs. G. Blakney, Miss Eva Melanson, Miss O'Brien, the Misses Harper, the Misses Tait, the Misses Johnson, Miss Burnyeat, the Misses Evans, Miss Deacon, Miss Bray, the Misses Lawton, Miss McDougall, Messrs. McFadzen, Harper, Melanson, Murray, Gallagher, Winters, Johns, Lyons, J. Stevens, D. Stevens, O'Brien.

Mr. J. Lyons, who has been home from the west on a visit to his parents in Moncton, is spending the week in town the guest of his sister, Mrs. James White, Main street.

Another most enjoyable social affair was the whist party given by Mrs. H. W. Murray on Tuesday evening at her home, Main street East, at which guests were present for six tables. Miss Minnie Weldon acted as usher and assisted in the serving and entertaining during the evening. The fortunate lady player of the evening was Miss Mary Weldon, while Mr. D. DeBlois Harper succeeded in carrying off the gentleman's prize. At midnight a most tempting repast was served after which the light fantastic was enjoyed until the early hours. The guests present were Miss O'Brien, Miss E. Johnson (Sackville), Miss Burnyeat, the Misses Mary, Minnie and Elsie Weldon, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Miss Beatrice Harper, the Misses Bessie and Mollie Lawton, Miss J. Charters, Miss Likely (St. John), Messrs. Bourque, Harper, Stevens, Murray, Milne, McFadzen, Newman, Melanson.

Miss Douglass, of Bouctouche, who has been the guest of Mrs. H. A. Scovil, Main street East, during the past few weeks, returned home on Monday.

The Misses E. and D. Johnson who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Russell, Main street, for some weeks intend leaving for their home in Sackville tomorrow (Friday.)

Mrs. A. J. Webster is giving a rink party this evening (Thursday) to a number of the skaters of the town in honor of Miss Likely, of St. John.

A very delightful rink party was given on Thursday evening of last week by Miss Eva Melanson at the handsome residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Melanson, Main street East. After a couple of hours spent at the rink the merry skaters were driven to the house where hot refreshments were in readiness. Miss Fannie Lyons, Miss Hazel Palmer and Miss Evangeline Melanson assisted in the serving. After full justice had been done the ample repast, dancing became the entertainment of the hour and was indulged in with a very great deal of pleasure by the young people present. When the small hours had been reached the guests were driven to their respective homes, having had a most delightful evening. Those present were: The Misses Johnson (Sackville), the Misses Evans, Miss O'Brien, Miss Lyons, the Misses Harper, the Misses Tait, the Misses Weldon, Miss Brey, Miss Carters, Mrs. H. Palmer, Mrs. Thomas Gallagher, Mrs. A. J. Webster, Mrs. J. V. Bourque and Messrs. McFadzen, Murray, Harper, Gallagher, J. and D. Steven, O'Brien and Lyons (Moncton), Bourque, G. and P. Robideaux.

Miss Evangeline Melanson entertained a number of her young friends at a birthday party on Monday of this week at her home, Main street East. The young people all had a very merry time.

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SUSSEX.

Sussex, March 5—The Younger Set Whist Club were entertained by Miss Jean Langstroth on Tuesday evening.

The Ladies' United Missionary Reading Circle met with Mrs. H. G. Kennedy on Thursday evening.

Miss Mary Allen very pleasantly entertained her girl friends on Friday evening last at Mrs. Robert Morison's. Those invited were Misses Annie Parks, Etta Phillips, Bessie Parker, Mabel Murray, Bertie Maggs, Gertrude Sherwood, Eloise Steeves, Daisy Carlton, Ethel Davis, Lottie Meggs, Kate White, Grace McKay, Eleanor Maggs, Laura Robinson, Alice Howes, Christina Howes and Eliza Howes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Tilley gave a social dance on Monday evening to a few of their friends. A few of the invited were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Dryden, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Short, Miss Laura Robinson, Miss Louise White, Miss M. Burgess, Miss Sara Byrne, Mr. A. Forsythe, Mr. Howard Robinson, Mr. Harold Dryden, Mr. Charlie Fairweather, Mr. Rodgers.

The E. E. E. Club was entertained this week by Mr. and Mrs. George Bain, Church avenue.

Mrs. Brewer, of Woodstock, is the guest of Mrs. J. F. Tilley, Church avenue.

Mr. C. W. Short and Mr. J. Frank Tilley left by the C. P. R. Wednesday for California, where they will spend a few months for their health.

The Methodist Ladies' Missionary Society met with Mrs. Wm. Maggs on Wednesday afternoon.

The Ladies' Whist Club met with Mrs. H. H. Dryden on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Wm. Bluett returned from Boston Tuesday, where he had been called on account of the illness of his wife, who is visiting friends there.

Mrs. G. B. Fenwick went to St. John on Thursday.

Judge A. S. White went to St. John Wednesday.

The boys of the Grammar school gave a skating party to their friends Thursday evening, in Alhambra rink.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Brown, of Chatham, are guests of Mrs. Charles Brown, Pitt street.

Mr. W. D. Turner has been ill for the last week with a severe attack of quinsy.

DORCHESTER.

Dorchester, March 5—Miss Gilbert is the guest of friends in St. John for some weeks.

Mrs. Dobson is in town visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. C. Palmer.

Mrs. H. W. Palmer and Miss Nellie Palmer returned from Montreal on Friday last, where they have been for the past month, and are spending some time at the Windsor hotel before returning to their own home.

Mr. Banfield, manager of the Royal Bank, who has been confined to the house with grippe, is able to be on duty again.

Miss Nina Tait returned from Boston last week, after having spent the winter north with her cousin, Mrs. Harmon Curtis.

Mr. George Oulton, of St. John, visited his mother, Mrs. Oulton, in town on Sunday last.

Mrs. M. B. Palmer is recovering from a severe attack of grippe, and is able to be out again.

Mr. Roy Sumner, of Moncton, spent Monday of this week in town.

Mr. Lionel Teed, son of Mr. M. G. Teed, of St. John, is visiting his grandmother, Mrs. D. L. Hanington, for some weeks.

Mr. J. F. Villard, of Rexton, is in town this week.

Mrs. A. W. Chapman has been confined to the house with a severe cold.

Miss Marjory Bell is attending the ladies' college, Sackville, once a week for instruction in pipe organ.

Mr. John C. Dandry, of Harvard University, spent Tuesday in town.

The Dorchester Cornet Band played for skating in the Sackville rink, which they hired for the occasion.

Mr. Fred. Chapman and family have moved from their late residence and are now living in part of the house owned and occupied by his father, Mr. S. L. Chapman.

HARTLAND.

Hartland, March 6—John R. Stevenson, a well known farmer of Rockland, is so ill of heart disease that his death is expected at any time. His family is in pitiful circumstances as besides his own illness the house is under quarantine for scarlet fever.

Mrs. Mansfield Crabb, of Cloverdale, is very ill.

Mrs. Shepherd M. Boyer is still confined to her bed, and her chance for an early recovery does not seem favorable.

George Britton is about to move his family from Rosedale to H. N. Boyer's house at Somerville.

Arnold MacFarland will leave in a day or two for Medicine Hat, Alberta, to take up his work in the C. P. R. telegraph department after a few weeks spent at his former home here.

Miss Ethel Armstrong has returned from Andover, where she has been spending a few weeks with her mother and sister.

Mr. and Mrs. John Good, of Moncton, are visiting Rev. H. C. and Mrs. Archer here and Mrs. James Gardiner at Waterside.

Arthur Avery, of Knowlesville, is at McElhiney's Hotel suffering from the effects of an injury to a leg received while at work in the woods. Dr. MacIntosh is the attendant surgeon.

Mrs. Louisa Glass is very ill again.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Aser, Jr., on March 5.

Hartland, March 7—W. S. Henderson, who has lived at Windsor since his buildings were destroyed by fire last summer, was in Hartland yesterday looking for a suitable site upon which to erect a new residence.

Mrs. Moses Hallett and son, Ruel, have been visiting Mrs. Hallett's daughter, Mrs. M. Howlett, at Bairdsville.

For her extra services rendered on election day Miss Blanche Nevers, the N. B. Telephone operator, was presented with a purse of $8 by those who were concerned in hearing the returns by telephone.

Mrs. A. W. Estabrooks, of Rockland, was visiting friends here on Thursday and Friday.

Woodford Craig is home from the Restigouche where he has been engaged in lumbering.

James Drysdale, of Woodstock, was the guest of his sister, Mrs. G. O. Watson, on Friday.

Rev. C. M. Corey, who has been engaged in missionary work in the Canadian Northwest, will preach from the Baptist pulpit on Sunday evening.

J. C. Everett was visiting friends at Windsor this week.

PARRSBORO.

Parrsboro, March 6—Miss Gertrude Smith is home from Amherst for a couple of weeks.

Mr. J. H. Gillespie is in Halifax for a few days.

Mr. H. W. McKenna was called to Kingston last week by the serious illness of his father.

Mr. S. W. Dench left on Friday for Fairbanks, Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. McAvinney, who have been the guests of Rev. Dr. Foley, returned to Newark (N. J.) on Thursday.

Mr. Frank Pugsley, of Windsor, spent last week in town.

Miss McKay, of New Glasgow, is visiting her sister, Mrs. McDonald, Church street.

Mrs. P. L. Spicer entertained a few young people on Saturday evening.

Mrs. McNutt, of Chatham, is visiting Rev. F. M. and Mrs. Young.

The marriage of Miss Maisie Chisholm, of Antigonish, to Mr. P. A. Williams, of Sydney, took place at Antigonish on Tuesday. Miss Chisholm, while the guest of Miss Frances Ryan last summer, made many friends in Parrsboro, who will be interested to hear of her marriage.

Mrs. A. V. Forbes and Miss Pearle Forbes, who have been visiting Mrs. M. Pierce, returned to North Sydney on Monday.

Mr. A. E. Seeley, of Moncton, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Aikman have returned from Montreal.

Mr. William Day, who has been attending Dalhousie Law School, came home on Saturday.

Rev. Dr. Foley and Mrs. Foley spent last week in Halifax.

Messrs. M. D. Walsh, James Walsh, Harry Gillespie and W. B. Gavin spent a couple of days in Amherst the first of the week.

The many friends of Miss Jo Gillespie will be interested to learn that she is at present engaged as special nurse for Thomas A. Edison at the Manhattan Hospital, New York.

The Misses Cook entertained a number of their friends at a charade party a few evenings ago. Those present were Mrs. F. A. Rand, Misses Maud Rice, Bessie Forsythe, Mayme Brownell, Alma McMillan, Alice Yorke, Greta Lambkin, Messrs. R. Hardwick, A. Lockhart, C. Huntley, H. Tucker, G. Dalton and W. Elderkin.

The drama, Lucia's Lover, put on by a number of the young ladies of St. George's Chancel Guild, on Monday evening, was a decided success. Those taking part were Mrs. T. C. Choisnet, Mrs. H. Pettis, Misses Hattie Pettis, Mary Woodworth, Lottie O'Neil, Mary and Isabel Boyce. Others who participated in the musical part of the programme were Mrs. Henry Pitts, Mrs. Borden, Mrs. S. S. Harvie, Messrs. G. Backhurst, W. J. Hunt, T. C. Choisnet and D. O'Neil. The play was to have been repeated on Tuesday evening, but owing to the illness of Miss Mary Boyce, it was postponed until after Lent.

MONCTON

Moncton, March 6—Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Robinson are visiting friends in Petitcodiac.

Miss Miles, of St. John, who is a student at the Ladies' College, Sackville, spent the week-end in the city, the guest of her cousin, Miss Florence Mitchell.

Miss F. Copeland is in Salisbury, the guest of Miss Louise Wortman.

Mrs. Percy Bolton is visiting friends in Woodstock.

Friends of Mrs. George Seaman regret to hear of her illness and are hoping she will soon be convalescent.

Miss Mary Peters is spending a few days with friends in Sackville.

Miss Fannie Lyons is spending some weeks in Shediac, the guest of her sister, Mrs. James White.

Mr. and Mrs. George Purdy, of Amherst, are visiting their son, Mayor Purdy.

Miss Annie Robertson, of Rexton, is staying with friends in town.

Mr. E. H. Sinclair, of Newcastle, spent Monday in the city.

Mr. P. S. Archibald has returned from a pleasant trip to Porto Rico.

Mrs. J. H. Wran is suffering from an attack of grip.

Dr. P. J. Gallagher has returned from a brief trip to Fredericton.

Moncton friends are interested in the announcement of the marriage of Miss Bertie Lindsay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Lindsay. The ceremony took place on Feb. 26 at the bride's home in Riviere du Loup. The young couple have the best wishes of many friends. The bride is a sister of Mrs. E. W. Givan, of this city.

Mr. Dan. Russell, of Buffalo, spent part of the week in the city. Mr. Russell formerly resided here and her friends were glad to see him again.

Rev. J. C. Robertson, of Toronto, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. H. Crandall.

Miss Grace Brown spent the week-end with friends in Sussex.

Mrs. R. W. Simpson entertained a few friends at bridge on Saturday evening.

Mrs. George Willett was hostess at a small and informal tea on Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spear are spending a few days with relatives in Sussex.

Mr. and Mrs. S. S. Burpee, of Edmundston (N. B.), are the guests of their daughter, Mrs. T. C. Burpee.

Mrs. Frank L. Thompson has returned from Fredericton, where she was spending a few days with friends.

Mrs. J. Edward entertained quite a large number of her friends at bridge on Saturday evening. Among those present were Premier and Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. O. J. McCully (St. John), Mrs. E. A. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wilkinson, Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Williams, Mr. Dimock, Mrs. A. F. Burt (Shediac), Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Shannon, Dr. and Mrs. Somen, Miss Jennie Webster, Mr. and Mrs. D. I. Welch and Miss Edith Davis. Some very pretty gowns were worn, the majority being in white or black. The hostess received in a white voile; Mrs. C. W. Robinson, white silk and diamonds; Mrs. E. A. Harris, heavy black silk with cut jet trimmings; Mrs. L. C. Harris wore her wedding gown of white silk; Mrs. Wilkinson, grey silk; Mrs. McCully, black silk; Mrs. Walker, heliotrope voile over silk; Mrs. Somers, black satin; Mrs. A. E. Williams, white satin with lace; Mrs. Welch, black silk; Mrs. Burt and Miss Davis, who assisted the hostess in looking after the comfort of the guests, wore a pretty pale blue frock.

Mrs. Edward entertained again on Monday afternoon at bridge for ladies only.

Miss Burt, of Shediac, is the guest of Miss Bessie Ackman.

Mr. J. A. Flett is sending the week in Montreal.

Miss Margaret Price is visiting friends in Fredericton.

Mrs. O. J. McCully, of St. John, is the guest of Premier and Mrs. Robinson.

Mrs. Starkey and Miss Starkey are spending the week with friends in Fredericton.

Miss May Sears, of Sackville, spent Sunday at her home in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert M. Wood, of Sackville, spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Sumner.

Miss Ella Hallett is the guest of relatives in Fredericton.

Mrs. W. A. Lockhart arrived from St. John on Monday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cole.

The Misses Trenholm have returned to their home at Point de Bute after a month's visit with relatives in town.

Miss Schwartz has returned from Calgary, where she has been spending a year with her sister, Mrs. Clyde Johnston.

Miss Jessie Parkhill has returned to Rexton after visiting her friend, Miss Jessie Donald.

Miss Mame Chapman returned on Monday from a lengthy visit with friends in St. John.

Mr. Frank Curran, of Bathurst, spent Tuesday in town.

Mrs. A. E. Williams entertained a large number of friends on Monday evening, bridge being the amusement.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Peters spent Tuesday in St. John.

Mr. A. E. Taylor, of Enderby (B. C.), is the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. W. Burnyeat.

Mrs. C. T. Purdy entertained a few friends at tea on Monday evening.

Mr. Thomas Williams left for Montreal on Tuesday evening.

The weekly tea at the curling rink on Monday was in charge of Mrs. F. W. White, Mrs. Somers and Mrs. F. W. Sumner.

Mrs. Peter Murray has returned from a trip to Toronto.

Mrs. Beer, of Toronto, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Dustan.

Mrs. R. A. Steeves left on Tuesday on a trip to Boston.

Miss Ethel Dunbar, of Mulgrave, is the guest of Mrs. Thomas Jones.

Miss Hal. Jones entertained at bridge on Wednesday afternoon and again on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Fred Ferguson has returned to her home in Richibucto, after a pleasant visit with friends in town.

Mrs. H. W. Dernier entertained a number of her friends at a thimble party on Saturday afternoon and on Wednesday evening was hostess at a small tea.

BATHURST.

Bathurst, N. B., March 5.—On Thursday evening a most enjoyable whist and dancing party was given to a number of young people at the home of Mrs. H. White.

The many friends of Mrs. S. Williamson are pleased to learn that she is much improved.

Mr. and Mrs. James Melvin gave a very much enjoyed driving party on Tuesday evening to a number of friends.

Mrs. Avernia Smith has gone to Dalhousie for a few weeks.

Mr. Peter Leger left during the week for Detroit, where he will spend a few months.

Mrs. Sormany, of Tracadie, and Mrs. Langis, of Beresford, were guests this week of Mrs. P. J. Veniot.

Mrs. S. R. Shirley entertained a large number of friends at a dancing party on Monday evening.

Mr. George Allison has returned from a visit to his home people in Quebec.

Innisfail, an Irish drama in four acts, will be presented in the Opera House by local talent on March 17th. The play, which is a very good one, has been carefully studied and practised by those taking part and there is no doubt a large audience will greet the performers on St. Patrick's night.

Mrs. C. P. Hickey, of Chatham, is making a visit to her home people here.

BRISTOL.

Bristol, N. B., March 7—C. J. Estabrooks, C. P. R. agent at Caribou (Me.), was visiting his former home here this week.

Mrs. John Hutchinson, of Colorado, is spending a few days in the village, the guest of Mrs. Thomas Ebbett.

Inspector Meagher is visiting the schools in this vicinity.

Mrs. Lois Gregg and Mr. Willard Grey, of Good's Corner, were married on Wednesday at the home of the bride's father, S. E. Estabrooks, the ceremony being performed by Rev. B. F. Freeman, of Centreville.

Mrs. Ebbett has received word of the death of her brother, Nehemiah Grey, of Long Settlement, which occurred suddenly on Wednesday last. Mr. Grey was about 45 years of age, and leaves a wife and three small children, besides an aged father and mother.

Lewis Lockhart, of Wicklow, has bought the Isaiah Lockhart farm here, and will take possession in a short time.

Mrs. James Tompkins, of East Florenceville, died on Friday, aged 80 years. She is survived by one son, Nathaniel Tompkins.

ANDOVER

Andover, N. B., March 5—Mrs. McLaughlan, of St. John, is the guest of her brother, Mr. J. Allen Perley, for a few weeks.

Miss Bessie Lawson spent the week-end at her home here, returning Monday.

The Andover town team of basket ball drove to Washburn (Me.) on Saturday last, playing a match game with the boys of that town, the score being 12—23, in favor of Washburn.

Miss Ada Gibson went to St. John last week.

Judge Gregory attended supreme court here on Tuesday and was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beveridge.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church entertained the younger members of the church who assisted in the concert given last week, at an at home on Thursday evening, from 8 to 10 p. m., at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Waite, and a very pleasant evening was spent by all present.

Mr. J. E. Armstrong spent a few days at his home, Perth Centre, this week.

Miss Louise Pickett, of Hillandale, is the guest of the Misses Everett, Carlingford.

Mr. Curtson, of Grand Falls, attended court here on Tuesday.

Miss Margaret Magill returned from Houlton on Saturday, to remain some weeks, owing to ill health.

Miss Emma De Merchant left on Wednesday for a two weeks' visit at her sister's, in Rhode Island.

The concert given last week by the young ladies of the Presbyterian church, was a great success in every way, $75 being realized and all taking their parts in a very creditable manner. A short programme was given before the intermission, consisting of songs, recitations and readings, after which the most important part of the concert was given, The Old Maid Convention, by twenty young ladies. Special mention should be made of the exhibition of Indian clubs, by Mr. Masters, the reading by Miss Helen Purdy, and the recitation from Drummond by Mr. David Wiley. Oglivey's orchestra, from Tilley, whose services were given free, gave their usual fine selections during the evening.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, March 5—Ashburton Place, the handsome residence of Mr. F. B. Edgecombe, was on Friday afternoon the scene of a brilliant gathering, when Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe was at home between the hours of 4 and 6 to more than 100 guests. Mrs. Edgecombe, who was gowned in a beautiful Parisian dress of black lace, with a corsage bouquet of crimson roses, was assisted in receiving by her guest, Mrs. Ryan, of Sackville. The spacious drawing room was beautifully decorated with roses and spring flowers. Hanlon's orchestra played a fine programme of music. In the tea room Mrs. W. T. Whitehead and Mrs. W. C. Crocket presided, and had the assistance of Miss Tibbits, Miss Bridges (St. John), Miss Sherman, Miss Winslow, Miss Cunningham, Miss Whitehead, Miss Logan (St. John), Miss Cooper and Miss Edith Edgecombe. Mrs. C. Fred. Chestnut and Mrs. J. W. McCready ushered in the guests. The tea room was a perfect bower of spring flowers, smilax and asparagus.

Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Johnston left last evening for Toronto.

Miss Hazel Bridges, of St. John, is visiting Miss Whitehead.

Mrs. Gilmour Brown entertained at bridge, four tables, on Saturday evening.

Mrs. C. W. Hall was the hostess on Monday evening of the whist club. Mrs. Dibblee won the prize.

After a pleasant stay with her friend, Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe, Mrs. Ryan left for her home in Sackville Wednesday.

Prof. Cartmell entertained a party of friends at the university on Monday evening, when Mr. Cartmell was considered an ideal host.

AMHERST.

Amherst, March 5—A number of young people met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Knight, Rupert street, on Thursday evening to bid farewell to R. G. Bailey, of Etter & Pugsley's, who leaves this month for the west. A pleasant repast was provided, after which Mr. W. McManning made a short address, expressing regret at Mr. Bailey's departure, and on behalf of the friends gathered, presented Mr. Bailey with a handsome gold watch, accompanied by a chain and locket, the gift of Mr. W. M. Chesley. Mr. Bailey, who was completely taken by surprise, expressed his regret at leaving so many friends. The rest of the evening was spent in social games. The party broke up at a late hour, all tendering before taking their departure their best wishes for future success to the guest of the evening.

Captain Henley, Albion street, is seriously ill.

A party of young people from Amherst drove to East Amherst on Thursday evening and spent a social time in dancing and whist at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Atkinson.

Cecil V. Thompson, of Fort Lawrence, left last week for a trip to Manitoba and other western provinces.

Harold Atkinson, of Lauder (Man.), who has been spending the winter in Fort Lawrence, left for his home last week.

Miss Copp, of Port Elgin, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. D. C. Allan, Crescent avenue.

Several of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McNeil gathered at their home on La Planche street to celebrate their twentieth anniversary.

N. A. Rhodes left on Thursday on a trip to New York.

Miss Brundage, of the academy staff, left on Friday to spend a few days with friends at the Joggins.

Mrs. Walter Chapman and son, Bertie, left on Saturday to spend a few days with Mrs. R. A. McLean, Wentworth.

Miss Henley, of the academy staff, spent Sunday at her home in Roslyn.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Silliker, of Halifax, have been spending a few days with Mrs. Silliker's mother, Mrs. Downey, Spring street.

Miss Lila Carr, Lower Victoria street, entertained a number of her friends on Friday evening.

On Thursday and Friday afternoons Mrs. G. K. McKeen, of Rupert street, was "at home" to a large circle of her lady friends in honor of Mrs. Murdock, of Bridgetown.

Mrs. A. W. Moffatt entertained a number of her lady friends at whist on Friday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Downey, Spring street, was the hostess at an enjoyable whist party Thursday evening.

Mrs. Fred Christie, Albion street, gave a pleasant whist party on Friday evening.

Mrs. E. C. Fuller, Lawrence street, entertained at a most delightful bridge on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Blanche Morrison, of Halifax, returned to her home on Monday after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Robt. Wilson, Acadia street.

Miss Hall, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. N. A. Curry, "Seven Gables."

Mrs. Seamen Bent entertained a number of her lady friends at her home on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Munroe and Miss Rice returned from their trip to New York on Saturday.

Mrs. Chisholm, wife of G. R. Chisholm, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, here, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mrs. D. C. Allan, Crescent avenue.

Monday evening the members of Marshlands Club formally opened their new quarters in the Royal Bank building by an at home, which was a brilliant success.

The guests were received in the large parlor or smoking room by President and Mrs. Pugsley, Vice-President Rhodes and Mrs. Rhodes, acting as host and hostess during the evening. The following is a list of the ladies present with their gowns:

Mrs. Robt. Pugsley, black silk; Mrs. E. N. Rhodes, white spangled net over pink silk; Mrs. J. H. Morrison, grey silk; Mrs. G. R. Chisholm (Pictou), black sequin over black silk; Mrs. J. H. McKenzie (Pictou), champagne lace over taffeta; Mrs. A. McKinnon, black crepe de chine; Mrs. D. C. Allan, black crepe de chine with sequin trimming; Mrs. Stuart Jenks, black silk with pearl ornaments; Mrs. Donald McDonald, white crepe de chine corsage, bouquet of pink carnations; Mrs. Jack McDougall, white lace gown over white silk, trimmings of cut steel; Mrs. Davison (Montreal), black crepe de chine over black silk; Mrs. George Douglas, white sequin net over white taffeta; Mrs. H. R. McCully, cream lace gown over cream satin and pearl trimmings; Mrs. Tennant, black satin striped chiffon with black sequin trimmings; Mrs. Walter Wood, white crepe de chine; Mrs. Stephen Coates, black crepe de chine, black trimmings; Mrs. W. T. M. McKinnon, white embroidered net over white silk; Mrs. H. A. Purdy, blue silk; Mrs. J. E. Rodger, blue silk voile; Mrs. A. D. Ross, black crepe de chine; Mrs. G. K. Chapman, white lace gown over chiffon and taffeta; Mrs. V. G. Curry, white liberty satin gown and carried a bouquet of yellow jonquils; Mrs. R. B. H. Davison, white lace over chiffon and taffeta; Mrs. C. D. Dennis, black net with sequin trimmings and touches of pink velvet; Mrs. J. R. Douglas, black crepe de chine with sequin trimmings and garniture of white thread lace; Mrs. W. F. Donkin, purple silk and white lace; Mrs. H. S. Dupuy, black satin with black velvet and sequin trimmings; Mrs. Chandler (Moncton), pink brocade satin, trimmed with ermine and white lace; Miss May Harris (St. John), white satin with red roses; Miss Alida Seaman, white moire silk with lace garniture; Miss Helen Fowler, white silk; Miss Helen Fuller, blue silk and white lace; Miss Ethelyn Hall (St. John), black sequin over taffeta; Miss Ida Tennant, white point d'esprit with trimmings of white satin ribbon and corsage bouquet of American beauty roses; Miss Dupuy, white silk; Miss Wilson, white crepe de chine; Miss Lilian Ratchford, white silk trimmed with white lace; Miss Florrie Sleep, blue silk with garniture of white lace and pink roses; Miss Freda McKinnon, pale blue silk with bands of satin and bouquet of violets; Miss Sadie McKinnon, white silk and val. lace with touches of blue velvet; Miss Grace Clarke, pale blue silk; Miss Lena Jodrey, white silk with silver trimmings; Miss Cresswell, white silk trimmed with white lace; Miss Nellie Chapman, white net over pink with pink velvet trimmings; Miss Pugsley, white embroidered lace over silk; Miss Winnie Black, black velvet with roses; Miss Alberta Black, white messaline silk with lace trimmings; Miss Violet Dupuy, white net over pink silk.

Rev. R. B. Layton left on the early train on Monday morning to attend the funeral of his uncle, D. F. Layton, of Folly Village.

Rod Munroe, formerly of Dunlap Bros. & Co.'s office staff, now of the Inverness and Cape Breton Railway Company, spent a few days in town this week.

Mr. Wallace Downey, of New York, was the guest of his brother, Capt. W. A. Downey, today. Mr. Downey was called here by the serious illness of his father, Mr. Joshua Downey, of Minudie.

W. D. Barclay, manager of McKenzie & Mann system of railways and coal operations in Nova Scotia and Cape Breton, is the guest of John H. Hamilton on Havelock street.

Rev. George Brownell, who had been called to his former home by the illness and death of his father, the late Jeremiah Brownell, Northport, left for his charge in Pennsylvania today.

Mr. D. A. Morrison, who has been on a trip to Boston and New York, returned home on Wednesday.

The wedding took place at 6.30 on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Smith, Fort Lawrence, of their daughter, Miss Julia, and Mr. George Trenholm, son of Mr. Martin Trenholm, also of Fort Lawrence. The young couple will reside in the west.

Miss Morse, of Havelock street, daughter of Dr. Morse, left on Saturday night for Toronto. She expects to visit New York and other principal American cities before resuming her position.

Miss Minnie McElmon left at noon on Wednesday to spend a few days at her home in Oxford.

Mrs. H. L. Hewson was the hostess at a very pleasant at home on Tuesday evening.

Miss Agnes Fisher, of Mount Allison Ladies' College, Sackville (N. B.), was in town on Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert McPherson and children, of Springhill, are spending a few days in Amherst, the guest of Mrs. J. V. Ripley, Acadia street.

Claude C. King, of the firm of A. M. King & Son, of Annapolis Royal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ross, Chandler street.

W. Mattinson, formerly of Amherst, but now of Pictou, is spending a few days in Amherst.

J. H. Morrison left today on a trip to Halifax.

Miss Florence Carpenter returned home Tuesday evening on the C. P. R. from a trip to Sackville and Moncton.

Miss Black, of Springhill, who has been the guest of Miss Emily Christie, Albion street, left for her home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. McGuire, of Boston, who has been visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. John White, dressmaker, Spring street, on their wedding trip, have returned to Boston, where they intend to make their home.

CAMPBELLTON.

Campbellton, March 5—A. F. McDonald, of Nashwaak, has accepted a position as policeman here. It is understood that he is to be made chief.

F. L. Graham, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, New Richmond (P. Q.), is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Graham, here.

The Thistles, of Campbellton, defeated the Ramblers, of Dalhousie, in their rink Wednesday night by a score of 4-3.

Miss May Dickie, who was visiting Mrs. A. Dickie, of Moncton, returned home Wednesday night.

The medals which were presented to the Curling Club by A. G. Adams were won by D. F. McMillan's rink Wednesday night, by a score of 16-6. The winning team was: Harry Miller, C. W. Anslow, R. K. Shives, D. F. McMillan, skip. The opposing team was: Harry Smith, O. C. Ward, Harry Millican, J. T. Mowat, skip.

Captain James McPherson, of Port Daniel, has been appointed commander of the Lady Eileen for the coming year.

TRURO.

Truro, March 4—An interesting event took place on Monday evening, at the residence of Mr. W. H. Rennie, when Mr. Bernard Rogers, of Cummings & Rennie, was married to Miss Eveline D. Little, of East Dulwich, London (Eng.) Mr. Rogers is also a native of England, but has been in Truro for some time, and holds a responsible position with the firm of Cummings & Rennie. After the wedding a reception was held at the future residence of the bride and groom, in Dominion street.

Mr. Peter Barrett returned on Monday night from St. John, where she has been visiting relatives.

Miss Lillie Miller spent Sunday with friends in Oxford, returning to town on Monday.

Mrs. J. G. Bigney is to entertain the members of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Pleasant street Methodist church, tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Roy Gray, of Halifax, has been a guest with his brother, Mr. Gray, of the Nova Scotia Telephone Company.

On Thursday evening the ladies of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union met at the home of Mrs. A. R. Coffin, where a parlor meeting was held. Mrs. R. T. Craig was chairman and an interesting programme was given. The subject for the evening was Dr. Grenfell's Work in Labrador. Instructive and entertaining articles were read by Mrs. Craig. Mrs. Willard King, Mrs. L. Spencer and Mrs. W. P. Carter. Miss Lydia Edwards has prepared a talk, illustrated by a map of Labrador, on the progress of the work in Labrador. The music was supplied by Miss M. Yuill and Miss B. Lee, each of whom sang pretty solos, and by Mrs. J. McDonald and Miss Coffin, who gave a suitable duet. Refre