

Happenings of the Week

HEALTH OF EMPRESS WORRIES THE KAISER



EMPEROR AUGUSTA VICTORIA.

There are disquieting reports in regard to the health of the German Empress. Her Majesty has not been well for the last twelve months and the Kaiser is worried.

The artistic tea table in the drawing room had for its decoration yellow roses in a silver vase and on Thursday was presided over by Mrs. W. A. McLaughlin, and on Friday by Mrs. Clements. Assisting with the refreshments were Miss Pauline Balloch, of New York, Miss Avis Armstrong, Miss Vera McLaughlin, Miss de Sayre and Miss Alleyne Starr.

Many friends will be glad to hear that Mr. Roy L. Sippell, who is ill in the hospital, is daily improving. Miss Edith Gilbert, of Rothesay, left on Saturday last for a visit to Boston and New York.

Mrs. Frank P. Starr and his daughter, Miss Alleyne Starr, entertained on Tuesday evening at a delightful bridge and dance in honor of the Misses Montgomery Campbell. The fortunate prize winners were Mrs. Pennington Johnston and Mr. John Bell. The gown worn by the ladies were very handsome. The artistic home was as low with chrysanthemums and palms. Mrs. Starr wore a very handsome white silk with over dress of black lace. Miss Alleyne Starr was beautifully gowned in white and accented with black. Miss Montgomery Campbell, a becoming pink satin with corsage bouquet of pink carnations, her sister wearing a lovely gown of white with pink carnations. Among the many guests were Mr. and Mrs. Pennington Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. John Sayre, Miss Nora Robinson, Miss Mary MacLaren, Miss Frances Hazen, Miss Catherine McAvity, Miss Vera McLaughlin, Miss Marion Mace, Mr. Carroll Cudlip, Mr. Allen McAvity, Mr. George Morrissey, Mr. Stanley McDonald, Mr. John Bell, Mr. Frank Young, Mr. Roderick McLaughlin, and others.

Mrs. James S. Harding entertained at a delightful bridge last evening in honor of her guest Miss Dowdell, of Halifax.

Mrs. John H. Thomson has purchased Mr. Rupert Turnbull's house at Rothesay, but will not occupy it for a year.

Miss Bertha Bell, Leinster street, entertained Miss Edna Godfrey Thursday evening at a delightful sewing party. During the evening Miss Godfrey was the recipient of a beautiful chrysanthemum centerpiece. Among the guests were Mrs. Darling, Miss Tait, Miss Eason, Miss Louie Knight, Miss Mary Roberts, Miss Kathleen Magee, Miss Grace Ester, Miss Frances Godfrey, Miss Lottie Dodge and Miss Hazel Smith.

Mrs. Simeon Jones entertained informally at supper last evening in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Aubrey Schofield of Montreal.

Miss McMillan entertained informally at the tea hour on Monday in honor of Mrs. Aubrey Schofield of Montreal.

Miss Barbara Wilson entertained about twenty of her young friends at the Brown Betty on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Edith Skinner has been the guest of Miss Annie Scammell this week.

Miss Ida Tarbox is the guest of Miss Alice Hea at her residence Orange street.

The engagement is announced of Miss Avis Armstrong, daughter of Colonel J. Russell Armstrong to Dr. Frank M. Mansell, of Victoria, B. C., son of the late Colonel Mansell, D. O. C., of Fredericton, N. B.

Mrs. H. L. Spangler, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Springer, left on Tuesday night for the Hot Springs.

room. The dining room presented a very attractive scene, being decorated with hearts, the handsomely appointed table being centered with a huge pumpkin which contained numerous useful gifts for Miss Godfrey. As the guests repaired to the dining room the wedding march was played. Miss Godfrey was daintily gowned in pale blue crepe de chene with touches of pink and large white picture hat. Among those assisting with the refreshments were Mrs. Eustace Barnes, who poured, gowned in blue silk with black velvet hat trimmed with ermine and feathers, Mrs. R. S. Ritchie, Miss Elsie Hallmore and Miss Edith Barnes. Other guests were Mrs. H. P. Hayward (Montreal), Mrs. Roy Sippell, Mrs. Lively, Mrs. Francis Armstrong, Mrs. Ronald McAvity, Miss Hazel Smith, Miss Upham, Miss Frances Godfrey, Miss Tait, Miss Eason, Miss Nan Rowley and others.

Mr. Frederick Taylor was host at a delightful dinner at the Union Club on Wednesday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald McAvity, Miss Frances Hazen, Miss Constance McGovern, Miss Mary MacLaren, Miss Catherine McAvity, Mr. Malcolm Fraser, Mr. C. F. Inches, Mr. Malcolm McAvity, Mr. Colin Mackay and Mr. Fraser Campbell. After dinner the party attended the Kermess ball.

Miss Louise Knight entertained at the tea hour on Tuesday in honor of Miss Edna Godfrey, and during the afternoon Miss Godfrey was the recipient of a variety shower, when she received many pretty gifts. Among those present were Mrs. Ernest Knight, Miss Sadler, Miss Frink, Miss Matthews, Miss Coster, Miss Doherty and others.

Mr. G. S. Mayes, president of St. George's Society, and Mrs. Mayes, entertained the officers of the society and their wives and several friends at a reception and musicale at their residence, Lansdowne, on Wednesday evening, in honor of their guest, Mrs. Grace Bonner Williams, whose delectable singing on Tuesday night gave so much pleasure to many ladies and gentlemen. Mrs. Williams sang several selections at the reception, much to the enjoyment of the guests present.

Mrs. James U. Thomas was hostess at an informal dinner on Wednesday evening in honor of Mrs. Charles McPherson, of Winnipeg. Other guests were Mrs. C. W. de Forest, Mrs. F.

E. Sayre, Mrs. Simeon Jones, Mrs. P. W. Thomson, Mrs. Sherwood Skinner, Mrs. H. C. Schofield and Miss Grace Skinner.

Mrs. James Harding entertained at an enjoyable bridge on Friday in honor of her guest, Miss Dowdell.

Mr. J. A. Lively gave a cheque on Thursday to Mr. H. C. Rankine, treasurer of the Protestant Orphan Home, for \$100.00, the share of the proceeds of the opening concert of the new Imperial Theatre so generously given. St. Vincent Orphan Asylum received a similar amount.

Mrs. E. Alban Sturdee gave a charming children's party on Tuesday afternoon from three until six in honor of her little niece, Miss Anna Clements, who with her mother will leave shortly for the South. Many delightful games were played. Mrs. Sturdee being assisted in entertaining the young folk by the Misses Sturdee and Miss Alice Schofield. At dinner the guests received a very pretty gift and a fancy pumpkin filled with sweets. Among the little guests were Miss Paula Fowler, Miss Cecelia Jean and Frances Clements, Miss Frances and Jack Frith, Miss Barbara Fairweather, Miss Peggy Jones and Miss Helen Haycock.

Mr. Beveridge's many friends regret that he has been transferred to Toronto and leaves on Sunday night.

The young ladies and gentlemen taking part in the Bohemian dance in the Kermess were entertained at dinner at the Sign of the Green Lantern on Saturday evening. The tables were beautifully decorated for the occasion, the menu cards being very artistic and appropriate, and a delicious dinner served. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schofield, the Misses Sturdee, Miss Frances Hazen, Miss Lillie Raymond, Miss Catherine Coster, Miss Constance McGovern, Miss Dorothy Cudlip, Miss Mr. Percy McAvity, Mr. Cyrus Inches, Mr. Malcolm McAvity, Mr. Barton Roderick McLaughlin, Mr. Arthur Rankine, Mr. Guy Merritt, Mr. Frederick Fraser, and others.

Mrs. A. Pierce Crockett, King Square, entertained at a handkerchief shower on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Miss Edith Gilbert.

ROTHESAY

Rothsay, Oct. 24.—Netherwood and Rothsay College, which closed on Friday last, were closed on Friday last, and the Thanksgiving vacation, reopened on Tuesday. Mr. Mallett, of the college teaching staff spent the holidays at Lennoxville, Que.

Hon. William Pugsley and Mrs. Pugsley, who were here for the summer, have reopened their residence on Prince William street, St. John and moved there this week.

Many friends were sorry to say good bye to Mrs. John H. Thomson on Tuesday, when she started on her journey to Europe to be gone several months, going first to Southern Italy via New York and Madeira.

Others leaving here on Tuesday were Mrs. H. A. Calhoun and her daughter, Miss Alice Cole, who are leaving Rothesay to make their home in Sackville.

An announced engagement of much local interest is that of Miss Avis Armstrong and Mr. Frank Mansell. Miss Armstrong has spent several summers here and her many friends are extending congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell arrived home on Saturday, after visiting New York and Boston. Their son Mr. Moffit Bell, who is a student at Kings College, Windsor, and his friend, Mr. Harley, were here for the holidays.

Jean Daniel also came home on Saturday, returning from a visit to friends in Kingston, Ont., and Montreal.

The Ladies' Bridge Club met with Mrs. Charles Taylor on Tuesday evening, about twenty guests being present.

There were quite a number of visitors from the city in Rothesay on Thanksgiving Day, among those who dined at the Kennedy House were Mr. and Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley and daughter, Mrs. Charles Bostwick and children, Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Foster.

SUSSEX

Sussex, Oct. 24.—Mr. R. D. Davis of St. John spent the holiday at his home here.

Mrs. Bert Corey of Glenora, Alberta, arrived here Saturday and is the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. W. H. White.

Mrs. Emily White was in St. Stephen attending the Baptist convention last week.

Misses Gretchen and Sybil Miles are home from Mount Allison for the holidays.

Miss Jean Peacock spent the holidays in Fredericton.

Miss Grace Kirk was in Fredericton for the holidays the guest of her sister Miss Kathleen Kirk.

Mr. Gordon B. McKay spent the holidays in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dixon of East Hampton, Conn., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKay on Saturday.

Miss Dorothy Carlson of St. John was the week-end guest of the Misses Godfrey.

Miss Prescott of Albert was the guest of Miss Ethel Davis over Sunday.

Miss Iva Fairweather of Moncton is spending a few weeks the guest of Mrs. Edna Godfrey.

Mrs. Brock of Rothesay spent Monday in town the guest of Mrs. George Sherwood, Church Ave.

Mrs. Bert Corey left on Thursday for Boston to spend a week.

Mr. Jack Davidson has returned from a week's visit in Fredericton. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert McArthur, who have been guests of Mrs. McArthur's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. DeBoe, have returned to Toronto.

Miss Mae Arnold is spending a few weeks in Boston with friends.

Miss Katherine Mosher of St. John spent the week-end at her home.

Dr. and Mrs. Wm. Burnett left this week for their home in Vancouver.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Kinney were in St. John last Friday.

Miss Jean Peacock spent the holidays in Fredericton.

ST. ANDREWS

St. Andrews, Oct. 24.—Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Everett have gone to Northfield, Mass., to spend a few weeks.

Mr. A. Allerton has gone to England to spend some time with relatives.

Mrs. G. Babbitt and Master Gerald are visiting friends in Fredericton.

Miss Alice Grimmer was hostess at a very enjoyable thimble party on Saturday last in honor of Miss Helen Gunn, of Westville, N. S.

Mr. Percy Odell is spending his vacation in Sackville.

Mrs. A. Allerton gave a very pleasant informal dance on Thursday last in honor of Mrs. Paul Revere, of Leominster, Mass.

Miss Maude Greenlaw was called home last week from the U. N. B. Fredericton, by the serious illness of her mother.

The Misses Morris left last week for Boston, where they intend spending the winter.

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