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FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

ROTHESAY

Rothesay, Jan. 9—Bishop Richardson and Mr. Herbert Schofield were here on Saturday and visited the college.

Miss Helen Fairweather, who has during the past few months been visiting among relatives in different parts of the United States, is expected home next week.

Miss Pattie Robinson entertained a number of friends at a skating party on Saturday; quite a number came from the city. The river ice was in splendid condition and was very gay with skaters and ice boats.

Misses Norah Robinson and Alice Green are spending a few days with Miss Catherine Bell.

Mrs. W. S. Allison spent Saturday here at the home of her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Puddington.

The Misses Bogart, of Annapolis, who have been visiting relatives in Rothesay, left for home yesterday and return to Wolfville to school.

Miss Lillie Raymond of St. John spent Tuesday with Miss Jean Daniel.

Mrs. W. J. Davidson entertained at a small luncheon on Friday. Among the guests were Mrs. Binning, Mrs. R. Barbour, Miss Barbour from St. John; Mrs. Puddington, Mrs. Bell and Miss Brock, of Rothesay.

The boys school reopened yesterday, most of the students and teachers having arrived on Tuesday.

Miss Lillian Brock left by Tuesday's C. P. R. en route to Savannati, where she will visit Mrs. John A. Calhoun.

Miss Row, of the Ellinor Home Farm, Nauwigewauk, spent Saturday with the Misses Thomson.

Master Moffet Bell was guest of master Ray Mackay, St. John, during part of the holidays.

Mrs. J. S. Armstrong is still gaining in health. Her sister, Mrs. Fred P. Robinson, of Fredericton, arrived on Tuesday to make a little visit.

Mr. Allan Kennedy was a welcome visitor on Wednesday.

Messrs. Harold and John Brock left on Thursday on a trip to New York.

Miss Ganong, principal of Netherwood, has gone on a short visit to friends. The school reopens next Tuesday.

Mrs. Grower and Miss Jones, who have been staying with Mrs. H. T. Hall during the holidays, expect to return to their home the first of next week.

Miss Peavery returned on Tuesday to Netherwood from a pleasant holiday visit to her brothers in Worcester (Mass.)

Miss Gladys Mitchell is spending a few days in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bogart and children are at the Kennedy House for a few weeks.

Miss Charlotte Vassie and Miss Mollie Robinson, of St. John, spent part of Monday here.

Rev. Mr. Montgomery was at Kennedy's on Tuesday, having brought a son to attend the boys' school.

Miss Bowman came out from the city on Thursday and spent a few hours with her friend, Mrs. J. S. Armstrong.

Miss Gillis, of St. John, was guest of Miss Puddington over Sunday.

Mrs. H. F. Hall has been visiting friends in the city, returning home Friday.

Mrs. George P. Trites expects to leave early next week to visit her sister, Mrs. Calhoun at Savannah.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Jan. 8—The residence of Dr. William Crocket was today the scene of a happy event when, at 4 o'clock, his daughter, Miss Hendekate, was united in marriage to Mr. H. Harper Smith, of Quebec, Rev. Willard Macdonald officiating. Only the immediate relatives of both families were present.

The bride was married in her traveling costume, a tailor made brown cloth suit, with hat to match. After congratulations, luncheon was served. Mr. and Mrs. Smith took the 5.50 train and will have a tour of about three weeks, going as far as Florida, Washington and New York before returning to their home in Quebec city. The bride was the recipient of many valuable presents, the bridegroom's gift being a diamond and pearl pendant. The bridegroom was presented by Mr. Scott, general manager of the Quebec & Lake St. John railway, and Mrs. Scott, with a superb tea service, and by the office staff with a cabinet of silver.

Many friends here will be interested to learn of the marriage of Mrs. Risk, formerly teacher of the kindergarten school here, to a gentleman living in Toronto. The marriage took place at the Christmas time.

A quiet wedding was celebrated this evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride, when Miss Laura Inch was united in marriage to Mr. George Herbert Winters, Rev. J. W. McConnell officiating. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a traveling costume of English grey tweed with hat and furs to match. The groom's present to the bride was a handsome gold watch set with diamonds. The pin which accompanies the watch and which serves as a guard, comes direct from the Klondike gold fields, and is a crescent of nuggets around a maple leaf of gold and silver. Mr. and Mrs. Winter took the 9 o'clock train for a tour of the provinces.

Mrs. George Hatt, of Vancouver (B. C.), is visiting her mother, Mrs. Clark, Westmorland street.

Miss Vera Van Buskirk left yesterday for Sackville Ladies' College to continue her studies.

Miss Smith, of Quebec, is the guest of Dr. Wm. Crocket and Mrs. Crocket.

Mrs. Rainsford Wetmore entertained a thimble party on Monday evening.

Miss Mabel Bowder, of St. Mary's, was the hostess at a whist party on Monday evening when a pleasant time was spent. Miss Johnson and Miss Stella Sherman tied for the ladies' first prize and in the play-off Miss Johnson won. The ladies' consolation prize was won by Miss Annie Hanebry, Mr. John took the gentlemen's first prize, and Mr. Jardine the gentlemen's consolation.

Mr. O. S. Crocket, M. P., accompanied by Mrs. Crocket and young son, left last evening for Ottawa where Mr. Crocket will continue his parliamentary duties and Mrs. Crocket will go to Coaticoke (Que.), where she will spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. Stevenson.

The Ladies' Club met with Mrs. Flewelling on Tuesday evening and enjoyed a pleasant game. Mrs. C. W. Hall was the winner of the first prize and Mrs. Sharp took the consolation prize.

Mrs. A. A. Sterling entertained at bridge on Monday evening.

Mrs. Ketchum gave a tea today to a large number of her friends at Elmhurst. In the tea room Mrs. A. J. Gregory and Mrs. Sharp presided and were assisted by Miss Crookshank, Miss Florence Whitehead, Miss McKnight, Miss Balloch and the Misses Stockford.

Mrs. A. Pierce Crocket, of St. John, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Chisholm at Marysville.

Mrs. J. J. Fraser Winslow will entertain at cards on Friday evening.

The Imperial Order of the Daughters of the Empire will meet with Mrs. P. M. Macdonald on Friday evening.

The Young Ladies Whist Club met with the Misses Sterling on Monday afternoon at their pleasant home on Brunswick street and enjoyed a delightful afternoon.

CHATHAM.

Chatham, N. B., Jan. 7—Mrs. J. B. Hachey and children, of Bathurst, are visiting her father, Mr. Henry Kelly.

Archdeacon Forsyth and Mr. F. E. Neale left Tuesday morning for St. John as delegates from Chatham parish to the Church of England Synod meeting.

Mr. Gordon Logie returned to Toronto Saturday night.

Miss Stella Flaherty, of Loggieville, is visiting Miss Beatrice Flaherty, Water street.

Miss Minnie McDonald returned Saturday from a pleasant visit to her sister, Mrs. James Doyle, Jacquet River.

Mr. Rodrick Fraser has returned to Toronto to finish his course at the Ontario College of Pharmacy.

Miss Margaret Hall and Queenie Salter have returned from a visit to Bathurst.

Mr. Fred. Carvell spent part of last week in St. John, the guest of Mr. F. B. Fitzgerald.

Mr. Thomas Kane, of Boston, is renewing old friends in town this week.

Miss Laura Borden spent last week with friends in Loggieville.

Miss May Ryan returned Saturday from a visit with friends in Bathurst.

Miss Pearl McNaught is visiting Miss Ilda Babkirk, Loggieville, this week.

Mr. Thomas Perley returned to his home in Sackville Monday.

Miss Nan Creaghan, of Newcastle, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Harry Millar returned to her home in Fredericton Monday morning. She was accompanied by her sister, Miss Sadie Stevenson.

Miss Alice Johnson, of Loggieville, is visiting friends in Chatham this week.

Mr. Charles Wilkinson returned to St. John Tuesday morning to resume his studies at business college.

Mr. and Mrs. S. U. McCully returned from Truro Saturday, where they were visiting their daughter, Mrs. Florence McMullen.

Miss Minnie Harvey, of Newcastle, is spending this week with Chatham friends.

Miss Kate Brobecker left Tuesday morning for Boston, where she will spend the winter.

Mr. Murray Tweedie went to St. John last week.

Miss Margaret Phalen spent the last week with friends in Bathurst.

Miss Susie Ross and Miss Josie Bowie, of Oak Point, are visiting Chatham friends this week.

Miss Lizzie Stothard went to Fredericton Thursday.

Miss Nellie Hennessy, of Newcastle, is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. P. F. Duffy.

Dr. Baxter has returned from a pleasant visit to Nova Scotia.

Dr. Sproule spent last week at his old home in Sussex.

Miss May Desbrisay, of Newcastle, is visiting friends in town.

Mr. Ernest Foster has returned from Vanceboro, much improved in health.

Miss Alice Dillon, of St. John, is visiting friends in town this week.

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, Jan. 8—Miss Rose Dibblee is visiting friends in Toronto and Chicago.

Mr. Frank Dickie, of the Royal Bank staff, Halifax, spent the holidays in town.

Mrs. S. P. Waite, of Andover, was recently a guest of Mrs. George Gable.

Mrs. L. A. Phillips, Mrs. George Phillips, Miss Ivy Nichols, Miss Lucy Phillips and Miss Martha Phillips returned last week after spending Christmas in Worcester (Mass.)

Mr. J. W. Wallace, of the Bank of Montreal at Andover, spent New Year's in town with his parents.

Mr. Walter Sprague, of the Bank of Montreal, Hartland, is spending his vacation in town.

Mrs. Nettie Hand and family are at home after spending the holidays at Linnens (Me.)

Mrs. Frank Tilley has returned to her home in Sussex after a visit in town.

Mrs. M. McManus reached home on Thursday after spending New Year's in St. John.

Mr. Perley Hartley and Mr. Avard White left last week to resume their studies at Sackville.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Garden entertained a number of the friends of their niece, Miss Marguerite Lamb, at bridge on Thursday evening. The guests were: Miss Mary Wright, Miss Margaret Dibblee, Miss Jean McLardy, Miss Rilla Boyer, Miss Hattie Gabel, Miss Nellie Bull, Miss Laura Bolmain, Miss Bessie Boyer, Miss Helen Woolverton, Miss Helen Dibblee, Miss Georgie Balmain, Miss Maude Smith, Miss Trixie Augherton, Miss Sarah Nicholson, Miss Marguerite Smith, Miss Mabel Nicholson, Messrs. Raban Vince, Beresford Connell, Frank Woolverton, Roy Watt, Don McCormick, Douglas Winslow, Clyde Camber, Leslie Wilmot, Wendel Jones, Walter Sprague, Charles Jones, Perley Hartley, Mr. Bolt, Mr. Jones.

Miss Amilla Boyer left on Monday to resume her studies at the Kindergarten Training School, Truro, after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. C. E. Sunder.

Miss Marguerite Lamb will leave today for Halifax, where she is studying at the Ladies' College.

Mr. George True spent New Year's day in St. John.

Mr. Raban Vince and Mr. Charlie Jones returned to the U. N. B., Fredericton, last week, after spending the holidays at home.

About a hundred friends of Captain T. S. Duncan and Mrs. Duncan gave them a surprise party on Saturday evening, it being the fiftieth anniversary of their wedding. Mr. and Mrs. Duncan were recipients of a purse of gold.

Miss Mary Wright entertained a few friends at a coasting party on Friday evening. The guests were: Miss Marguerite Lamb, Miss Margaret Dibblee, Miss Hilda Torrup, Miss Helen Dibblee, Miss Rilla Boyer, Messrs. Clarence Sprague, Charles Jones, Walter Sprague, Leslie Wilmot, Clyde Camber, Mr. Jones.

Miss Eva Newcomb spent last week in St. Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith spent Sunday in Rockland.

Mr. T. M. Jones left on Monday for Edmundston on legal business.

Mrs. E. R. Teed returned on Saturday from St. John, where the holidays were spent.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Watt and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Watt.

Mrs. George Ferguson, of Fredericton, is visiting Mrs. Harrie Curry.

Woodstock, Jan. 10—A very quiet wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harrison W. Rogers, Northampton, on Tuesday, Jan. 7, when James C. Hovey and Martha E. McGee were united in marriage. Rev. E. C. Turner performed the ceremony. Mr. Hovey is manager of the Cobbler-Sexton Mining Company, and has made many friends in Northampton, and Miss McGee is a very popular young lady. They will be at home at Northampton on Jan. 21 and 22.

R. E. Sir Knight Theo. Cushing, provincial prior of New Brunswick, under the Sovereign Grand Priory of Canada, made an official visit to Woodstock Perceptory, No. 41, K. T., last night. A large gathering of the Sir Knights of the preceptory assembled at the hall to meet the prior on this his first official visit. After the routine business and the inspection of the priory, the Fraters went to the Royal Cafe, where refreshments were served. The toastmaster was Sir Kt. Hagerman.

The King, God Bless Him, National Anthem, The Great Priory, Prior Cushing. The prior took occasion to congratulate the members of the craft in Woodstock for their zeal in all things pertaining to Masonry and upon the flourishing state of Knight Templarism in this part of his district.

Knight Templars was responded to by Preceptor Hagerman, who gave a brief history of the formation of Woodstock Preceptory and of the efforts of the charter members of the preceptory toward organization.

The officers of the preceptory, by Mayor Munro and others.

PETITCODIAC.

Petitcodiac, Jan. 9—Mr. Lloyd Corey, who has been spending the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis T. Corey, returned Friday to Halifax, where he will resume his studies at Dalhousie Law School.

Mrs. Robert Seeley and young son returned Thursday from a short visit in St. John.

Rev. W. B. Armstrong spent Sunday in Salisbury.

Miss Margaret Lynds, who spent a few days of last week here, the guest of Miss Laura Fowler, left Saturday for Fredericton to resume her duties on the teaching staff of the normal school.

Mr. Sanford Ryan, M. P. P., of Albert county, was in the village last week, the guest of his brother, Mr. Heber Ryan.

Mrs. David A. Smith, of St. Martins, spent the week-end here with friends.

Mrs. Fred. Davidson, of Sussex, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Herrett, returned home Saturday.

Mrs. G. L. Brown, of Calgary (Alta.), spent a few days of last week with Mrs. G. F. Fowler.

Mrs. S. C. Goggin entertained a number of friends at tea Monday evening, in honor of her guest, Mrs. F. A. Taylor, of Moncton.

Miss Mary Allen, who spent the holidays here, returned Saturday to Sussex.

Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Corey were in Moncton last week visiting friends.

Mr. Elmer Brown, who has been enjoying his vacation at his home here, returned Wednesday to Wolfville.

Miss Ada Allen left Saturday for St. John, after spending a fortnight's vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Allen.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Steeves and Miss Elva Steeves returned Tuesday from a very pleasant trip to Boston.

Mr. Isaac P. Jones and bride, of Moncton, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones.

Miss Alice Jones, of River Glade, spent a few days of last week with Miss Helen Fowler.

Mr. T. Allen, of Port Elgin, who has been visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Allen, returned home Thursday.

Rev. S. A. Bayley, pastor of the Methodist church at Wadena (Sask.), and bride, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Church for a few days.

On Friday evening a very enjoyable concert was given in aid of the United Baptist church vestry fund. Local talent was ably assisted by Miss Margaret Lynds, of Fredericton, and Mrs. F. A. Taylor and Miss Mae Atkinson, of Moncton, whose several numbers were very highly appreciated. Following is the programme:

Part I.

Chorus—Make a Joyful Noise.. H. G. Briel
Solo—Love Me and the World is Mine .... Ball
Mrs. F. A. Taylor.
Reading—Old Mother Goose........Ward
Miss Margaret Lynds.
Double quartette—Nearer My God to Thee.. ....J. R. Sweney
Solo—Selected.... ....
Miss Mae Atkinson.
Reading—(a) Making An Orator....Crane
(b) Imph—m .. ..Selected
Miss Margaret Lynds.

Part II.

Solo—Sing On.. .. ..Lingi Denza
Mrs. J. S. McFadden.
Duet—Venetian Boat Song.......... ....J. Blumenthal
Miss Mae Atkinson, Mrs. F. A. Taylor.
Reading—The Swiss Good Night..Selected
Miss Margaret Lynds.
Solo—Good Bye, Sweet heart, Good Bye...... ....Von Tilzer
Mrs. F. A. Taylor.
Chorus—All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name.... ....James Ellor

ST. ANDREWS.

St. Andrews, Jan. 9—The dance in Audraleo hall was a great success, more than sixty couples attended, and all enjoyed themselves, as floor, music and refreshments were all that could be desired.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Cockburn entertained Mr. and Mrs. Judge Cockburn and family, also their guests, Miss Alice Hannah, of St. Stephen, and Mr. C. G. McLean, of Montreal, on New Year's day.

Miss Augusta B. Wade has returned from Carleton, where she has been enjoying her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Cougle.

Miss Martha A. Osborne returned on Saturday to take up her work in the intermediate school.

Mr. Woods, of the Grammar school, returned on Friday with the Shamrocks from St. John. As a natural consequence the townspeople were pleased at the result of the basket ball game in St. John with the Algonquins, and gave the team a good reception. Mr. William Mallory sent a barouche drawn by four white horses to the train to convey the team to Kennedy's hotel, where a sumptuous dinner awaited them.

Miss Margaret Kerr has accepted the position of assistant to Miss Osborne in the intermediate school for this term.

Mrs. McBride and daughter, of Bayside, have gone to Brockton (Mass.) to reside.

A convenient barn has been finished in connection with Spruce Hill cottage, at Chamcook Lake, by the owners of the cottage.

Sheriff Stuart made a trip to Houlton (Me.) last week. The many friends of Dr. L. B. Stuart were glad to hear from the sheriff on his return that the doctor is improving in health, after a long and tedious illness from typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Robinson, of Henderson (Me.), have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James McDowell, for New Year week.

Mrs. John A. Clark returned to St. John, taking Aurora from here to St. Stephen, thence to St. John by Shore line railway.

Mr. Royden Smith returned to Fredericton on Saturday last to resume his studies at the U. N. B. Yesterday a telegram was received by his parents, stating that Royden was sick with mumps. It is hoped he will soon recover.

Messrs. Fraser Armstrong, Skiff Grimmer, George Cockburn, Percy Rigby and Archie Shirley took Monday's train for Fredericton. It is to be hoped that the mumps will kindly pass them by.

Mrs. Will Burton is visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Hibbard at present.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKay are visiting with friends in Calais (Me.) this week.

Miss Laura Wilson made a short visit to St. Stephen and Calais this week, returning by the Aurora on Friday.

Miss Bessie Hanson has gone to Sackville to enter the ladies' college.

Mrs. J. D. Grimmer was in St. Stephen for some days last week among her friends.

Miss Bertha Carson has been suffering from an attack of grippe, which is prevalent here at present.

Mrs. Frank P. Barnard is a prisoner in her room from a severe cold since Sunday last.

Miss Helena Rigby had a few friends at her home on Monday evening. A very pleasant time was enjoyed for some hours with cards and music. Dainty refreshments were served during the evening. Miss Rigby is an admirable hostess.

Miss Hazel Grimmer has returned from a visit to Mrs. Fred. E. Rose in St. Stephen.

Mrs. G. Harold Stickney has been quite sick for some days, but is down stairs again. Mrs. Langford kindly took the organ for Mrs. Stickney on Sunday.

Miss Johnson, bookkeeper at Grimmer & Keays, and Miss Wilson, bookkeeper at Greenlaw & Co., have returned from a very pleasant visit to their homes.

Mrs. E. A. Cockburn gave a most enjoyable party on Tuesday evening to the young friends of Miss Gwen Jack, who is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Cockburn for the winter months.

Mrs. G. King Greenlaw's party for the young people on Saturday evening was very pleasant, and all had a good time.

Miss Lottie Hartt entertained a large number of young friends on Friday evening last at her home with music and dancing.

Miss Carrie and Miss Madge Rigby gave a most pleasant party to some of their friends on Monday evening.

Mr. Archie Cunningham took Monday's train for his home. Archie had a fine time while here, and his friends will look forward with pleasure to his annual summer visit.

Mrs. A. W. Mahon's at homes on Monday evenings are so very pleasant that the number of friends increases at each gathering.

Mrs. Will A. Carson receives her friends every Wednesday afternoon and evening.

The sewing societies in connection with the different churches have resumed their work this week, with the addition of members. A very pleasant and profitable meeting of the Women's Sewing Society was held at Mrs. John Simpson's on Tuesday.

Captain John Simpson arrived on Tuesday's boat, and hopes to remain at his home for some time. A period of rest is very necessary for the captain.

Mr. Frank Mallory, of the Bank of Nova Scotia here, has been transferred to Bridgetown (N. S.)

The Misses Bessie, Beatrice and Daisy Andrews are enjoying a visit in Boston and vicinity. Beatrice and Daisy will return next week. Miss Andrews will remain in Boston.

THE BORDER TOWNS.

St. Stephen, Jan. 8—Society has been rather gay in the border towns during the past week. On New Year's night Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred L. Eaton threw open their handsome home in Calais and entertained a large number of ladies and gentlemen with the ever popular game of bridge, given for the benefit of the golf club. There were nearly 100 guests. The prizes were won by Mrs. Harry Haley and Mr. John C. Taylor. After the bridge supper was served and the evening was closed with dancing, Mrs. Eaton's large and spacious house giving a grand opportunity for waltzing. The toilettes of the ladies were extremely handsome and stylish. Mrs. Eaton was attired in a grey voile over grey taffeta. She wore ornaments of diamonds.

Mrs. J. Edwin Ganong, a beautiful gown of pink broadcloth, with embroidered trimmings; diamonds.

Mrs. N. Marks Mills, pretty dress of white silk trimmed with rich lace.

Mrs. Harris D. Eaton, pink broadcloth dress.

Mrs. George Downes, gown of rich black chantilly lace.

Mrs. Harold Purves, dainty gown of pale green and white silk, with trimmngs of lace.

Mrs. Edgar G. Beer, beautiful gown of champagne crepe de chene trimmed with panne velvet of a darker hue, with touches of gold, and ornaments of diamonds.

Mrs. George Wilson, lovely gown of pink radium silk, trimmed richly with lace; pearl ornaments.

Mrs. Frank C. Murchie, rich white silk dress with trimmings of yellow silk passamenterie; diamond ornaments.

Miss Ethel McAllister, pale green silk with trimmings of lace.

Miss Elsie Lyon (Bangor), lovely frock of white lace, corsage bouquet of roses.

There were many other lovely gowns, but space forbids a description.

Mrs. John G. Murchie is entertaining a party of ladies with whist at her handsome home in Calais this afternoon, from 3 until 6 o'clock.

Mrs. J. Edwin Ganong gave a most elaborate luncheon bridge at her pretty home on Thursday at 1.30 o'clock. There were sixteen ladies present. The luncheon was served on four tables, which were decorated with violets and lilies of the valley. Immediately after the luncheon bridge occupied the attention of the guests. The prizes were won by Mrs. Ralph Horton, a pair of silver embroidery scissors, and Miss Elsie Lyons, who received a pretty book for addresses. Mrs. Walter Murchie was awarded the consolation prize, a bouquet of sweet English violets. The luncheon was given for the pleasure of Miss Elsie Lyons, who is Mrs. Ganong's guest. There were some very handsome gowns worn. Mrs. Ganong was attired in a dainty gown of white embroidered batiste with a sash of Dresden silk. Miss Lyons wore a pompadour muslin, blue and white in color, a most dainty gown, and most becoming.

The Misses Boardman are entertaining a number of lady friends at their home in Calais this afternoon.

Mr. Henry F. Todd has been spending a few days in Boston during this week.

Miss Elsie Lawson entertained a skating party at the Stevens skating rink on Friday evening, and at a later hour in the evening was the hostess at a supper at her home. The evening was extremely pleasant and bright with moonlight. The skaters enjoyed themselves greatly.

Messrs. W. G. Keirstead and Fred. Goucher have returned to Wolfville (N. S.) to resume their studies at Acadia.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Harold C. Purves gave a tea between the hours of 4 until 6 o'clock, at Westwold, her new home in Elm street, St. Stephen, at which Mrs. Edgar G. Beer, of Toronto, and Mrs. Frank P. Lane, of Bangor, were the guests of honor. Mrs. Purves received in a stylish dress of green silk with trimmings of black velvet ribbon. Mrs. Beer looked exceedingly charming in her wedding gown, which is white satin trimmed with duchesse lace. Mrs. Lane, who also helped to receive, was attired in a dresden pink silk mull, over pink taffeta silk. There were about thirty-five guests and the tea was one of the most dainty and delightful given here this winter.

The Sunday school and congregation of Christ church enjoyed a delightful evening in the school room last Thursday evening. Instead of the usual Christmas tree laden with gifts, a post office was arranged. Several times during the evening telegrams arrived from Santa Claus, who finally reached St. Stephen, and Christ Church school room and took possession of the post office, where, in his mail bag, he had packages for every child, teacher and many visitors. The evening was one of rare enjoyment, and to the rector, Ven. Archdeacon Newnham, can be given the credit of the whole arrangement. Mr. Frederick Bolz personated Santa Claus. After the distribution of gifts there was a short address from the rector, recitations from several of the children, carols were heartily sung and refreshments of cake, fruit and candy were served and one of the happiest, jolliest evenings ever spent by Christ church Sunday school came to an end.

Rev. R. L. Sloggett, rector of St. Anne's church, Calais, has gone to Bangor to receive medical treatment and will be absent about ten days.

Mr. Ralph Clarke left on Saturday for Fredericton to resume his studies at the U. N. B.

Miss Mabel Smith has concluded a pleasant visit and returned to her home in Boston.

Mr. Harold Vroom has returned to Montreal to resume his electrical studies at McGill College.

Miss Edith Stevens was at home to a large number of young lady friends on Thursday afternoon, invited to meet her guest, Miss Edith Burdette, of San Jose, Costa Rica, who attends school in West Newton (Mass.), and who is spending the vacation season in St. Stephen.

Mrs. N. Marks Mills gave a pleasant bridge party at her home on Saturday evening for the pleasure of her sister, Miss Mildred Todd, and her guest, Miss Gardner, of Dennysville (Me.)

Mrs. George Wilson has invitations to a party for Thursday evening for the pleasure of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Beer, of Toronto, who are guests of Mrs. Beer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Murchie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Murchie have been visiting friends in Fredericton.

Mrs. Harris D. Eaton has gone to Providence, Rhode Island, to visit relatives.

Mrs. Frank P. Lane is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Murchie.

Miss Newcombe, of Woodstock, has been a recent guest of Miss Estelle Robinson.

Mrs. Howard Q. Boardman has gone to Eastern Pennsylvania to visit her daughter, Mrs. H. B. Cox.

Miss Margaret Black entertained a small party of friends at her new home in Milltown on Friday evening last.

Mr. Dean Murchie, of Dalhousie College, is home for the holiday season.

Mrs. Nickerson and Miss Virginia Nickerson left Calais on Saturday last for Greenville (N. H.), to visit friends.

Hon. H. A. McKeown, of St. John, was a recent visitor to St. Stephen, the guest of his sister, Mrs. George J. Clarke.

Mrs. M. A. McLean, of St. John, and Mr. Calvin McLean have been guests during the past week of Mrs. W. R. Carson.

Ven. Archdeacon Newnham, of Christ church, is visiting St. John this week.

Miss Ganong, of the Nertherwood school, Rothesay, is spending a few days in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ganong.

HAMPTON

Hampton, Kings county, Jan. 8—On Thursday afternoon, Jan. 2, Miss Margaret Evans entertained at an English drawing room tea, held at the home of her parents, the Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Evans, in Everett street, Hampton Station, and a most delightfully social function it proved to be. Among those present were Mrs. George McAvity, Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes, Mrs. Frank A. Young, Mrs. Hammond J. Evans (St. John), Mrs. E. G. Evans, Miss Dorothy Whalley, Miss Annie Cochrane, Miss Flossie Peters, Miss Frances Prichard (Owen Sound, Ont.), Miss Florence Prichard (Boston), Miss Marie Chislett (Owen Sound), Miss Minnie Travis, Miss Katharine R. Bartlett, Miss Fanny Fairweather, Miss Margaret Turnbull, Miss Mabel Scovil, Miss Emma Hull, Miss Elizabeth Ruddick, Miss Ella Murray, Miss Hattie Barnes and Miss Margaret A. Stewart.

On Friday evening, Jan. 3, Miss Ella Murray gave a young people's party at her home in Main street, Hampton Station, consisting of Miss Mabel Scovil, Miss Marjory Barnes, Miss Margaret Evans, the Misses Frances and Florence Prichard, Miss Marie Chislett, Miss Flossie Peters, Miss Dorothy Whalley, Mr. Harry H. Scovil, Rev. Mr. Anglin and Mr. Harry Evans. The hours slipped along most pleasantly, with games, music and delicate refreshments.

On Saturday evening, Jan. 4, the beautiful home of Mrs. E. G. Evans, in Main street, Hampton Station, was the scene of a very jolly Salamagundi party, given for the benefit of her two sons, Roland and Harry, who have been spending their college and school vacation under the parental roof. Among the friends invited to participate in the festivities were Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Barnes, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fowler, the Misses Frances and Florence Prichard, Miss Marie Chislett, the Misses Ethel and Stella Fowler, Miss Florence DeVoe, Miss Margaret Evans, Miss Rose Ritchie (St. John), the Misses Hattie and Marjory Barnes, Miss Margaret A. Stewart, Miss Mabel Scovil, Mr. H. H. Scovil, Miss K. R. Bartlett, Miss Fanny Fairweather, Miss Margaret Turnbull, Miss Emma Hull, Miss Ella and Dr. J. Scovil Murray, Dr. F. H. Wetmore, Mr. Guy Humphrey and the Rev. Mr. Anglin. Six tables were arranged for some of the old fashioned games. The ladies' prize was won by Mrs. T. W. Barnes, and the gentleman's by Dr. Wetmore.

The Rev. Sedgwick A. Bailey, of Madina, Saskatchewan, and his bride, nee Miss Mary Lucinda Shanklin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel F. Shanklin, of Shanklin Settlement, who were married on Friday morning, Jan. 3, came here on the St. Martins train and, after spending a few hours as the guest of Miss Annie Cochrane, Railway avenue, left for the home of the groom's parents at Mechanic Settlement for a brief visit previous to their proceeding west, where Mr. Bailey is settled in charge of one of the mission stations of the Methodist church of Canada. Mr. Bailey is a Queens county boy, and was a few years ago attached to the St. Martins circuit.

An enjoyable bridge whist party was held by Mrs. J. M. Scovil at her home on Passekeag road on Thursday evening last. There were five tables, and the guests were Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Young, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. March, Dr. J. Scovil Murray and Miss Ella Murray, Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes, Dr. F. H. Wetmore, Mrs. N. M. and Miss Marjory Barnes, and Mr. H. H. Scovil. The first prizes were won by Mrs. F. A. Young and Mr. R. A. March, and the consolations by Mrs. March and Dr. Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Perry and child returned on Thursday last from Tracey's Mills, where they had been spending the Christmas and New Year vacation.

Mr. Ronald Evans returned to Sackville on Monday, where he will resume his studies on the reopening of the institutions.

The Misses Beatrice and Lillian Smith went to St. John on Thursday to spend a few days before resuming their studies at the University of New Brunswick.

Miss Clara Turner, teacher of domestic science in the Hampton Consolidated school, returned here on Saturday from her home in Carleton county, where she spent her vacation.

Miss Phoebe Robertson has returned to Hampton from her vacation to Campbellton, and has been assigned to the charge of grades seven and eight in the Consolidated school.

Mr. Percy Robinson, principal of the school at Canterbury Station, York county, who spent his vacation at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robinson, Passekeag road, went back to his duties on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Stewart and Miss M. A. Stewart have returned to Linden Heights from their visit to St. John during the Christmas and New Year weeks.

Mrs. J. E. Angevine and her three children returned on Tuesday, Jan. 7, from their visit to Calgary, where they have been visiting Mrs. Angevine's father, Mr. John E. Irvine, formerly of St. John. The party was met at Toronto by Mr. Angevine, who accompanied them home.

The following members of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Campbell, of Hampton Station, who came home for the holidays, left for their respective present residences on Thursday: Prof. H. Beverley and his youngest sister, Miss Price, for the Halifax School for the Blind; Miss Alma and a young land friend who had been her guest, for St. Stephen; Fred., who is a piano tuner at Truro, and Duncan, for Moncton, where he is in the employ of the I. C. R.

Mr. Fred. Patterson, the newly appointed teacher of manual training in the Hampton Consolidated school, entered upon his duties on Monday.

On Friday evening last a number of the parishioners of the Rev. Canon Hanington paid a visit to the Norton rectory and left an expression of their respect and esteem in the shape of a purse of more than $60, on the occasion of the twenty-fifth anniversary of his ordination.

Mr. W. E. McIntyre, of St. John, was here on Saturday entering into arrangements for the reopening of Heath Hall at an early day.

Miss Frances Prichard and her friend, Miss Marie Chislett, of Owen Sound (Ont.), who have spent the Christmas and New Year weeks with the former's mother and sister, at their home in Railway avenue, left on Monday for the western town, where Miss Prichard will resume her duties as teacher of household science in the Owen Sound Collegiate Institute.

MONCTON

Moncton, Jan. 10—Mr. and Mrs. Arthur MacMillan are visiting in Campobello.

Miss Lillie O'Brien has returned from Richibucto, where she was spending a few days with relatives.

Prof. McKee has returned from a pleasant trip to Charlottetown.

Hon. A. R. McLellan, of Riverside, spent Thursday in the city.

Miss Emma Condon, who has been spending a year in the West, has returned to the city and resumed her position on the teaching staff of the Aberdeen school.

Mr. Hector Landry, of Edmonton, son of Judge Landry of Dorchester, spent part of the week with friends in town on his return to the West.

Miss Josie Woodloch has returned to her home in Pugwash after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Frank O'Rourke.

Miss Alice Strothard has returned to Sackville to resume her studies at the Ladies' College, after spending the Christmas holidays in the city with her parents, Rev. James and Mrs. Strothard.

Mr. George A. Hutchinson and Mrs. Hutchinson are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Powell.

Mrs. C. R. Palmer returned on Tuesday from Sussex, where she was spending a few days with friends.

Miss Olive Williamson of Newcastle, is visiting friends in town.

Mrs. E. A. Williams has returned from a pleasant stay in Montreal.

Mr. Geo. A. Robertson is enjoying a holiday trip to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Townsend are in St. John, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dowling.

Mrs. W. A. Trenholm has returned from Boston where she spent Christmas at her home.

On Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock Mr. William A. Humphrey, proprietor of the Palace livery stables was married to Mrs. Lillian Ryan, the ceremony taking place at the home of the latter. Rev. Mr. Strothard, pastor of the Central Methodist church, officiated. Only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties were present. Luncheon was served at the close of the ceremony and Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey left by the C. P. R. for Boston and other American cities. The bride was married in her traveling gown of brown broadcloth with hat of Alice blue. Both bride and groom are well and favorably known in the city and have many good wishes for their happiness.

Rev. H. Grattan Dockrill spent part of the week in Midgic.

Miss Ruth Wyse is in Newcastle, the guest of her grandfather, Mr. Henry Wyse.

Mrs. S. A. Rand is spending a few weeks in Boston.

Dr. Keith left on Wednesday on a trip to Montreal.

Mrs. James Swetnam has returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Waterville (Me.)

Mrs. Hiram Trenholm, of Point de Bute, is the guest of her son, Mr. W. A. Trenholm.

Miss Jennie Dernier and Miss Mame Chapman went to Sackville Thursday to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wood.

Miss Tiffin has returned from Montreal where she has been spending some weeks.

Mrs. Tiffin is spending the week in St. John.

NEWCASTLE.

Newcastle, Jan. 9—Mr. Eldon Carruthers of Ferryville, cashier of the Bank of Nova Scotia here, has been transferred to Moncton, for which place he left today.

Miss Jean Robinson returned yesterday to Halifax Ladies' College, where she is a student.

Miss Bessie Ferguson, of Halifax Ladies' College teaching staff, returned to Halifax yesterday.

Misses Jean Doyle and Edith Adams returned yesterday to Sacred Heart convent, Halifax. Miss Adams belongs to New York, and has spent her vacation here with Miss Eileen Creaghan.

Mr. John Robinson, chief game warden, went to Fredericton yesterday for a few days.

Mrs. Andrew and Master Stewart Summers returned to Moncton last week, after a few days visit to Mrs. Henry McLean.

Mr. Charles Allison, of Sevogle, is home for a few days from Spokane (Wash.)

Miss Rachael Allison, of Sevogle, has gone to spend the winter in Portland (Me.)

Mrs. Laurence Cornfort spent several days this week in Bathurst.

Mrs. W. S. Brown has returned from Amherst.

Mrs. Isaac DeBoo, who visited Mrs. W. H. Bell and Mrs. L. B. Humphrey, returned to Sussex Monday.

Mr. Earl Ashford is home from North Dakota.

Mr. Richard Coltast returned to Newton Highlands (Mass.), on Monday.

Yesterday Rev. J. F. Rowley, of Millerton, was presented with a handsome coon coat by his parishioners of Millerton, Williamstown and English Settlement. Mr. W. Tozer and Miss M. Graham made the presentation.

Rev. and Mrs. Geo. S. Mitchell of Redbank, have returned from their visit to Pictou and Pugwash.

Misses Gertrude Clarke and Nellie Lingley have returned to Mt. Allison Academy.

Miss Kate Menzies, of Whitneyville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Bert Donald, of Upper Blackville.

Rev. I. N. and Mrs. Thorne are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Thorne, of Thornetown, Queens Co.

Miss Elsie Herder, of St. John's (Nfld.) who has been visiting Miss Louise Manny, left for Halifax on Monday to resume her studies.

Mr. Richmond Flewwelling, who spent his vacation with his aunt, Miss James O'Fish, returned to Rothesay College Tuesday.

Miss Gertrude Davidson, who spent the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs.

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