



happenings of the Week

MRS. ALICE MEYNELL FOR POET LAUREATE.



Mrs. Alice Meynell, the first woman in the history of England to be mentioned in connection with the post of Poet Laureate, is not unknown to America. Several years ago she crossed the country on a mission and for a time in Philadelphia, where she gave readings from her poems, of which four volumes have had American editions.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, July 2.—Mrs. F. DeL. Clements and children of St. John are summering at Springhill, N. B.

Miss Elida B. Hunter returned home on Saturday after a pleasant week spent in St. John.

Mr. Allan F. Randolph and Mr. and Mrs. Guy A. F. Randolph of St. John were in town for the week-end, having come up in Mr. Allan Randolph's new automobile. While here Mr. and Mrs. Guy Randolph were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Stephens, Waterloo Row.

Miss Edith A. R. Davis, who has been on the teaching staff of a Van-der-voort school for the past nine months, is spending the vacation with her aunt, the Misses Davis, Brunswick Road, at the house of Mrs. Richardson at "Bishop's Court."

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The town was exceptionally gay the past two weeks. Visitors in Shediac were guests of honor at a number of highly enjoyable social functions.

On Friday afternoon last Mrs. E. Freeze at her home in the West End entertained at bridge. Guests were present for four tables and the pretty prize on this occasion fell to Mrs. Gordon Blair. Mrs. Freeze was assisted in serving by Miss Webster, Miss Bray and Miss George Coffey. Ladies present were: Mrs. J. R. Bruce, Mrs. Jas. White, Mrs. Jas. McQueen, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Jas. Weldon, Mrs. Ritchie, Regina, Mrs. Jas. Lamb, Mrs. H. B. Steeves, Mrs. Robt. Jardine, Mrs. A. G. Lawton, Mrs. A. J. Webster, Mrs. Wortman, Mrs. J. T. McEwen, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Webster, and Miss Bray. Mrs. J. C. Webster was a guest at the tea hour.

One of the largest social events given in some time took place on Saturday afternoon last, when Mrs. Jas. Stewart gave a very enjoyable bridge party at her summer cottage, Pt. du Chene. Ladies were present for six tables and handsome souvenirs in cut glass, were given to the victors. The ladies present were: Mrs. J. R. Bruce, Mrs. Jas. White, Mrs. Jas. McQueen, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Jas. Weldon, Mrs. Ritchie, Regina, Mrs. Jas. Lamb, Mrs. H. B. Steeves, Mrs. Robt. Jardine, Mrs. A. G. Lawton, Mrs. A. J. Webster, Mrs. Wortman, Mrs. J. T. McEwen, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Webster, and Miss Bray. Mrs. J. C. Webster was a guest at the tea hour.

Rev. George Steel, who has been pastor of the Methodist church here for the past three years, left town on Wednesday, accompanied by his wife and family, for their new home in St. John. They carry with them the best wishes of many friends, and previous to their departure they were guests of honor at a very pleasant tea given to them by the Methodist church, by members of the Ladies' Aid. On this occasion the honored guests were made the recipients of an address, and handsome presentation.

Mrs. Steel was guest of honor on Friday at an afternoon tea at which the Methodist church, by members of the Ladies' Aid, at serving time were Miss Frances Steel, Miss Isela Avar, and Little Margaret Robidoux, and Anna Avar. The guests were: Mrs. J. R. Bruce, Mrs. Jas. White, Mrs. Jas. McQueen, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Jas. Weldon, Mrs. Ritchie, Regina, Mrs. Jas. Lamb, Mrs. H. B. Steeves, Mrs. Robt. Jardine, Mrs. A. G. Lawton, Mrs. A. J. Webster, Mrs. Wortman, Mrs. J. T. McEwen, Mrs. Stewart, Miss Webster, and Miss Bray. Mrs. J. C. Webster was a guest at the tea hour.

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Recent arrivals at the Weldon include Mrs. Manzer and Miss Eleanor Bell, of Lowell; Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Stead, of Chatham, are also at the hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Harper and little Doreen Harper, who spent a fortnight's holiday here, left town on Monday for Sussex. They were accompanied by Miss Beatrice Harper, who is the guest of Miss Burns.

The Misses Weldon and Miss Elsie Jarvis left on a holiday trip to P. E. Island.

Mrs. O. M. Melanson and Miss E. Melanson were in Quebec for a short time last week.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Atherton and children left on Friday for Amherst shore where they will spend the summer.

Mrs. D. W. Harper and little daughter arrived on Monday to remain the summer at Mrs. Harper's home.

Mrs. Weir, of Boston, arrived in town this week to spend the summer.

Mrs. Land, who has been spending the past two months with her sister, Mrs. R. McAfee, left on Monday for her home in Millarville, N. B.

Miss Jennie Weir, of Boston, is the guest of Miss Louise White.

Misses Marguerite and Constance Campbell entertained at tennis on Saturday afternoon at "Fox Hill."

Mr. L. Dwyer, of St. John, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. Bev. Trites, of Sackville, is the guest of Dr. Ryder.

Mrs. G. D. McEwen, of Moncton, was the guest of Mrs. George Sherwood on Tuesday.

Mrs. Stammers and Miss Stammers came from Hampton on Tuesday to spend the holiday with Mrs. Scott.

Mrs. S. William Barnes and Miss Sylvia Barnes, Miss Kathleen and Miss Dorothy March, of Hampton, spent July first in town.

Dr. and Mrs. O. B. Price and son, Dr. O. B. Price, Jr., spent Tuesday and Wednesday in town the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Daly.

Mrs. Killam and Mrs. Humphrey, of Moncton, were guests of Mrs. Scott for the holiday.

Mrs. J. M. Kinnear entertained at tennis on Saturday afternoon at "Fox Hill."

Mrs. Armstrong and Miss Florrie Armstrong, of St. John, were the guests of Mrs. George Fairweather, of Sackville, for the week-end.

Mrs. T. Shaw, St. John, spent the week at her home here.

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Mrs. J. Mercereau, of Chatham, was in town for camp and was a guest at "The Knoll" over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ryan and family, of Sackville, N. B., were guests in town for camp and were a guest at "The Knoll" over Sunday.

Miss Jennie Manchester spent Sunday with Miss Ethel Davis.

R. D. Davis, of St. John, spent Sunday at his home.

Mrs. Charles Keith, of Petittodick, was a week-end guest of Miss Helen Scott.

Mr. Barnett, of Somerville, Mass., is spending some time with his sister Mrs. C. H. Fairweather.

Mrs. J. M. McNair, of Moncton, who is training for a nurse in New Brunswick, is the guest of her aunt Mrs. G. N. Pearson.

Mr. James Powerie was in town for over Sunday.

Mr. A. R. McLean, of St. John, spent Sunday in town at "Maplehurst."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waite, of St. John, were in town for the week-end.

WELSFORD

Welsford, July 4.—Brewer Patterson of Montreal is the guest of Mrs. Harding at Wash-ton-wish.

Walter Howe was the guest of Miss Frances Woods for Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Floyd is spending her vacation with her sister, Mrs. Cassidy. James Howe spent the holiday at Brown's Flat.

John Woods of Fredericton, spent Sunday at home.

Miss Lyle Lingley is spending her vacation with her parents.

Miss Addie Harding returned to New York Saturday morning.

Edward McKinney is visiting his sister at Routh.

Mrs. Allingham and family are occupying their summer home.

Mrs. J. M. Deane, of Wilsford, and her husband, Mr. Clark, spent the holiday at McAdam.

Miss Wilson and Miss Cougle of St. John were guests of Mrs. Scott for Sunday.

Hugh Tully, of New Hampshire, is spending his vacation with his aunt, Mrs. Sullivan.

The many friends of Michael McDonald will be pleased to know that he is much improved in health.

Miss Barlow was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Traflet for the holiday.

Mrs. Dugald of Montreal visited Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Jones.

The Women's Institute held their monthly meeting Wednesday afternoon.

Civic Pay Day.

Cashier Willet yesterday paid out \$3,139.15 in wages to workmen employed by the city during the past two weeks as follows:

Perry \$ 536.12
Water 2,396.32
Public Works 5,213.31

The Clearing House.

Clearings for the week ending July 3rd were \$1,397,474, and for the corresponding week last year, \$1,458,925.