

happenings of the Week OTTAWA

Ottawa, Aug. 27.—Miss Frank Cochran and Miss Edith Cochran returned to town Thursday from Kennebunk Beach. They are again at their apartments at the Roxborough. Mr. J. L. Chabot, M. P., returned Friday from his trip abroad.

Mrs. E. J. Chambers and family returned home Friday from Stanley Island.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Code have left on a boat trip to Newfoundland.

Sir Wilfrid and Lady Laurier left Friday by the former's private car "Canada" to visit Sir William Wheelock at Newmarket.

Messrs. Clarence Jameson, M. P., and H. Tremaine, M. P., are in town for a few days on departmental business.

Colonel and Mrs. Andrew Thompson have been in England and on the continent for a couple of months, are sailing for home on the 28th inst.

Miss Marjorie McLaren has returned home from Whitby, Ont.

Mrs. William Scott and family returned from Little Metes this week. Sir Rodolphe Forget is in town for a few days.

Mr. Norman Guthrie has returned from visiting his family at St. Andrews.

Miss Daisy Lynch has left for Saskatoon to visit her brother, Dr. Arthur Lynch.

Saturday, Aug. 28.—Shediac has been very gay socially ever since the early part of the summer and many pleasant functions have taken place. The most novel of the season's social events occurred on Wednesday evening, when Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Shaffer and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith entertained at a masquerade seaside dance, at the Shaffer-Smith cottage, Cape Bruce. Abundance of bunting and greenery formed an artistic setting for the varied and handsome costumes worn, and for the fantastic and original dress in evidence on both the ladies and gentlemen present. Excellent music was furnished by the Shediac parlor orchestra and other musicians attending. A number of strangers were among the guests and the occasion was heartily enjoyed by all. The guests included Mrs. J. D. Weldon, the Misses Weldon, Mrs. Lawrence, the Misses Lawrence, Miss Hamilton, Boston, Mrs. Rob. Jardine, Miss Jardine, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. Talbot, Calgary, Miss Webster, Miss B. Harper, Shelburne, Mrs. Chapman, Miss Ken Chapman, Mrs. Edward and Miss Ruth Edwards, Bruce, and Messrs. R. Jardine, R. Murray, E. Roberts, Bishop, Montreal, J. Bruce, Porto Rico, McKenzie, Kingston, B. Robb, Cooke, and McGregor, Moncton, and Rev. Percy Colthurst, St. John.

Mrs. F. Robidoux and Mrs. Eric Robidoux, at the home of the former, "The Willows," entertained during the week at afternoon tea in honor of Mrs. N. Robidoux, Ottawa.

Pleasant social functions of recent date were the teas at which Mrs. Chas. Roberts at her home, Queen street, was hostess on last Thursday and Friday afternoons from 5 to 6 o'clock. The aides to the hostess on the first occasion were her sister-in-law, Mrs. Roberts, Miss Muriel McQueen, and the Misses Annie and Jane Roberts. Mrs. Blair presided over the pouring of tea. Pretty cut flowers adorned the small tea tables at which the guests assembled. Ladies present included Mrs. Chas. Harper, Mrs. Lawrence, Mrs. O. M. Melanson, Mrs. L. Dorion, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. R. Jardine, Mrs. Jas. McQueen, Mrs. Moore, Mrs. Sornay, Mrs. H. McDonald, Mrs. D. S. Harper, Mrs. H. B. Steeves, Mrs. Talbot, Calgary, Mrs. Blair, Mrs. J. D. Weldon, Mrs. Jas. E. White, Mrs. White, St. John, Mrs. M. Casey, Mrs. T. Landry, Moncton, and Mrs. W. McKinnon.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Roberts was assisted by Mrs. M. Casey who poured tea and the young ladies to serve the guests were the Misses Roberts and Miss Muriel McQueen. Ladies present were Mrs. E. Patrice, Mrs. B. C. Oulton, Mrs. A. Evans, Mrs. DeWolf, Mrs. H. W. Murray, Mrs. C. C. Avar, Sackville, Mrs. J. Livingstone, Mrs. Kelly, Miss Burns, Halifax, Mrs. G. A. White, Miss McKee, Halifax, Mrs. M. Connor, Mrs. J. Connor, Mrs. Alvin Murgidie, Mrs. S. Macdonough, the Misses Mills, Mrs. Howe, Mrs. W. Avar and Miss Roberts.

Mrs. Roberts also entertained a number of the young people for her daughters, the Misses Annie and June, 590 was played at three tables and prizes won by Miss Marion White, Moncton and Edward Talbot, Calgary.

In honor of her grandson, Edward Talbot, Mrs. D. S. Harper entertained at a young folks' party at her home, Sackville street, on Tuesday evening. Games and dancing were the features of the evening's entertainment. Boys and girls present included Jean Webster, Fred and Bob Webster, Gladys Smith, Russell and Donald Smith, Elizabeth Blair, Muriel McQueen, Anne and June Roberts, Dean Smith, Reginald Curran and Allen Talbot.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tait, the Misses Edith and Eleanor and Master Allen Tait, and Miss G. Evans, left town Wednesday on a motor trip through the Annapolis Valley, along the South Shore, other parts of Nova Scotia and Sydney, Cape Breton. The Misses Burns, Halifax, are visiting Mrs. Burns, Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bruce and child, of Porto Rico, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bruce at Bannockburn, Shediac Cape.

Miss Hatheway, of New York, is visiting the Misses Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Richbuck, to be guests of their daughter, Mrs. John Livingstone.

Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, Newcastle, is at the home of the Misses Evans, Main street.

Mrs. C. C. Avar, Sackville, is the guest of Mrs. H. W. Murray, Belcourt.

Mr. Earle O'Brien, Halifax, was in town this week.

Mr. W. G. R. Humphrey, Halifax, is at the Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Webster are on a trip to Toronto and Montreal. Mrs. Webster will visit friends in New York before her return.

Mr. Leon Melanson, the Misses Laura and Evangeline Melanson and Mrs. Jas. E. White are leaving town this week to attend the Toronto exhibition.

Alex. Johnston, Deputy Minister of Marine and Fisheries, and Mr. A. R. Tibbitts.

Mr. D. Lorne McGibbon, of Montreal, is coming to town this week to attend the races.

Owing to the full meet of the Connaught Park Jockey Club many members of the smart set are returning to town from the summer resorts earlier than usual. Sir Charles Fitzpatrick, who was expected to occupy the Royal box on the opening day, was unfortunately unable to do so. The popular president of the Jockey Club, Mr. H. B. McGovern, and his wife, will be present, accompanied by a party of friends. A number of distinguished strangers are also expected in town for the races.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. McGovern have returned to town to attend the races and are staying temporarily at the Victoria Chambers. After the races are over they will return to their summer residence, Hillcrest, and will not open their town residence for some time yet.

Hon. Clifford and Mrs. Sifton are also in town for the races.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Macdon, who have been spending the summer at the Manor Richelle, Pointe a Pie, have left for Rimouski on a fishing and hunting trip, accompanied by Col. H. C. Lowther.

Colonel Lowther, the popular and efficient military secretary of His Royal Highness, the Duke of Cornwall, is sailing on Oct. 2nd for England, to rejoin his regiment, the Scots Guards, his leave having expired.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. J. Christie, Sir Henry Bates, Mrs. A. J. Christie, Mr. Barrett, P. Dewar, Miss Katie Christie and Mrs. Flewellyn N. Bates returned on Monday from St. Patrick's, where they spent the summer. Miss Marjorie Cook has left on a visit to Toronto for two weeks, the guest of Miss Dorothy Blackie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gray and Mr. Arthur Graves returned home Friday from Gough, N. B., where they spent several weeks. After their return to town they are spending time at the Rexton.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Armstrong have returned to town after an extended visit to Vancouver and other western points.

Mr. Frank Nelson assistant secretary of the department of the interior, left Sunday night on a trip of inspection of the Dominion land offices.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerew Taylor, of Kingston, are in town for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. James Ferris and Miss Ferris have returned home from Prince Edward Island, after spending the summer at the Wightman House, Lower Montague.

Mrs. J. A. Ruddick has returned home from Biddford Pool where she spent the summer.

Miss Alden Gordin is the guest of Mrs. N. A. Belcourt at Blue Sea Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Paday returned to St. John, after spending the week at Biddford Pool.

Mrs. Jack Macpherson and Miss Edith Macpherson are returning early next week from Portland.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Bliss and family returned home on Saturday night from Stanley Island where they spent the summer.

Miss Ruth Pentland, of Quebec, who has been the guest of Mrs. Warren S. Lyman, has left to visit friends in Kingston.

Mrs. and Mrs. Arthur Dorey and Miss Dorey arrived home on Saturday from Portland where they spent several weeks. Miss Scott will remain there until next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Aylwin and family are returning from Tremont Park next week.

Mr. and Mrs. Manning Stiles, of Mount Vernon, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Tibbitts. They made the trip from Mount Vernon by motor.

Mrs. O. H. Sharpe is entertaining informally this evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. Taylor and Mrs. Tibbitts' guests.

Hon. J. D. Hazen and party are returning to Ottawa next week from their western trip. The party were met Monday at Port Arthur by Mr.

Mrs. Nettie Morrison and Mr. Robert Morrison have invitations out for a dance on Friday evening at the home of their aunt, Mrs. E. A. Chart.

Miss Gertrude Sherwood left on Friday for Halifax to spend a few days with her brother, Mr. Walter Sherwood.

Miss Edna White, who has been spending the summer at her home here, returned on Saturday to Jersey City, U. S. A.

Mr. Charles Short, of Kallispell, Montana, arrived in town on Friday and is the guest of his mother, Mrs. H. H. Dryden, Church Follies, of Fredericton, are guests of Miss Louise Neale at "The Rectory."

Miss Alice Davidson was guest of honor at a variety shower held in the middle floors' rooms on Tuesday night by the Rebekahs. Miss Davidson is to be a principal in an interesting event in the near future.

About forty of the U. N. B. engineers are camping on the military grounds and will probably remain for several weeks. Much practical work will be carried out. Professor Stiles, assisted by E. T. Berry, are in charge.

Dr. and Mrs. Murray's little daughter, Elizabeth, met with a painful accident last week. While playing she broke her arm.

Miss Mary Archibald, Hopewell, is the guest of Mrs. Hagen Adair.

Otis Sherwood was in Sussex this week.

Mrs. Land has returned from a visit to friends in P. E. Island.

Mrs. Leigh Langstroth and children are guests of Mrs. Robert McFee.

Miss Margaret Murray, Charlotte town, is the guest of Mrs. Frank Roach.

Mr. P. Titus is the guest of Mrs. Arthur Keith.

Mrs. Bessie Campbell is visiting friends in Hartford, Conn.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Atherton and family, who have been spending the summer at Amherst shore, returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Padgett, of Sydney, are guests of Mrs. Harley White, Church avenue.

The Misses Campbell, Fox Hill, were hostesses at a delightful tea on Thursday evening at their home.

DORCHESTER

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Mrs. Warden Pipe, who has been at a pleasant bridge on Tuesday evening for her daughter, Miss Lila Foster and guests Miss Fairweather, and Mrs. Coster. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ryan (Paris), Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. James Friel, Mr. and Mrs. George Payant, Misses Emily Teed, Helen Bradley, Myra Lockhart, Doris McGrath, Muriel Chapman, Nina Tait, Allen Chapman, Doris De Veber, Mr. John Carmichael, Richard, Ada Palmer, Alice Fairweather, Miss Coster, Messrs. Allison, Aysart (Moncton), Will Hickman, Joe Hickman, Ted McGrath, Herb Palmer, Sydney Willett, (Moncton), Cyril Chapman, Lionel Teed, Will Tait, McQueen, Gerald and Fred Foster.

Mr. John Hickman gave a delightful "action bridge" and dance for the young people, on Tuesday evening. Miss M. Chapman was the ladies' prize. The dance was a success. At midnight a dainty supper was served, the dancing was enjoyed until the wee sma's hours. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Y. Smith, Mrs. Vella, (Westville), Dr. and Mrs. Geo. Ryan, (Paris), Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Hanington, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Payant, Miss Doris McGrath, Misses Coster, Emily Teed, Nina Tait, Muriel Chapman, Carmelita Richard, Lila Foster, Alleen Chapman, Ada Palmer, Messrs. Will Tait, Ted McGrath, Lionel Bent, (Amherst), Cyril Chapman, Will McQueen, Herbert Palmer, Fred and Gerald Foster, Ralph Hewson, Lionel Teed, Will Hickman, Joe Hickman.

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to her a shower of linen, cut glass and silver, in anticipation of a happy event which is to take place in the near future. Mrs. Gorden's residence was beautifully decorated with flowers for the occasion. When Miss Lamb entered the room she was met by a shower of flowers. After the merriment subsided she was invited to sit down and open a large basket containing parcels of all sizes and shapes, much amusement being created by some of poetry accompanying the parcels. Dainty refreshments were served, and solos were sung by Mrs. G. W. Gibson, Miss Caroline Munro and others. Miss Lamb was gowned in golden brown silk with lace trimmings. Those present were, Misses Marion Winslow, Alice Neil, Mildred Carvell, Ethel Harwar, Mildred Balm, Alice Bowyer, Grace Jones, Caroline Munro, Cassie Hay, Mabel Lister, Edith Dalling, Campbell, Fredrickson, Maude Smith, Marguerite Smith, Myrtle Gabel, Jean Sprague, Mrs. Harold G. Deeds, Mrs. George W. Gibson, Mrs. Donald G. Nicholson, Mrs. Jack Dibble.

Mrs. John Stewart gave a delightful five o'clock tea to a few of her friends on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Rice Tupper, of Toronto. The guests were, Mrs. B. H. Smith, Mrs. Lee Raymond, Miss J. Bourne, Mrs. W. W. Hay, Mrs. W. S. Skiller, Mrs. C. H. L. Perkins, Mrs. Rice Tupper, Mrs. H. G. Deeds, Mrs. Welch.

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to her a shower of linen, cut glass and silver, in anticipation of a happy event which is to take place in the near future. Mrs. Gorden's residence was beautifully decorated with flowers for the occasion. When Miss Lamb entered the room she was met by a shower of flowers. After the merriment subsided she was invited to sit down and open a large basket containing parcels of all sizes and shapes, much amusement being created by some of poetry accompanying the parcels. Dainty refreshments were served, and solos were sung by Mrs. G. W. Gibson, Miss Caroline Munro and others. Miss Lamb was gowned in golden brown silk with lace trimmings. Those present were, Misses Marion Winslow, Alice Neil, Mildred Carvell, Ethel Harwar, Mildred Balm, Alice Bowyer, Grace Jones, Caroline Munro, Cassie Hay, Mabel Lister, Edith Dalling, Campbell, Fredrickson, Maude Smith, Marguerite Smith, Myrtle Gabel, Jean Sprague, Mrs. Harold G. Deeds, Mrs. George W. Gibson, Mrs. Donald G. Nicholson, Mrs. Jack Dibble.

Mrs. John Stewart gave a delightful five o'clock tea to a few of her friends on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Rice Tupper, of Toronto. The guests were, Mrs. B. H. Smith, Mrs. Lee Raymond, Miss J. Bourne, Mrs. W. W. Hay, Mrs. W. S. Skiller, Mrs. C. H. L. Perkins, Mrs. Rice Tupper, Mrs. H. G. Deeds, Mrs. Welch.

Mrs. H. V. Dalling was the hostess at a five o'clock tea to a large number of her friends on Wednesday afternoon. Mrs. John Watt poured the tea and coffee, and the Misses Campbell of Fredericton, and Miss Alice Niel served the guests.

Woodstock, Aug. 28.—Mrs. George Wetmore and Miss Marjorie Wetmore returned to St. John on Monday.</