

THE EVENING TIMES STAR, SAINT JOHN, N. B. WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1926

Social Personal and Club News

Santa Claus Is Present At The Delightful Christmas Treat Held Last Night For Boosters

There were about 150 of the members of the Booster clubs of the Y. M. C. A. who attended the Christmas treat and entertainment held for their pleasure at the recreation centre last evening and each of all of them had a perfectly wonderful time.

They took part in a most enjoyable entertainment and then Santa Claus arrived and distributed well-filled and handsomely decorated socks to every one present. The old gentleman has never received a more ecstatic reception than that he was accorded last night and he proved himself a merry old fellow who provoked much laughter. Not only did he distribute the stockings for the Boosters but he also made the presentation of some very nice gifts to their leaders.

Mrs. A. B. Clark received from him a gift from the members of the Intermediate Booster Club, Miss Edna Hunt received a gift from the Star Boosters and two gifts were presented to Miss E. Poore, general secretary, who has had the supervision of the clubs and had charge of last night's most successful party. One of these gifts was from

the leaders of the Boosters and the other was from all of the Booster members.

Besides the Boosters there were present at the party their parents and younger brothers and sisters, members of the Board of Directors of the Y. W. C. A. and other guests.

THE PROGRAM

The program opened with the carol "O Little Town of Bethlehem." Under the direction of Mrs. A. B. Clark the Intermediate Boosters gave a very well executed drill and a quaint and pleasing country dance. Everybody present joined heartily in the game of Musical Mats and then the Star Boosters sang a carol very nicely. Mrs. A. W. Ealey greatly interested her large audience as she told a Christmas story and then "Holy Night" was sung.

Following the program the lights were turned low and the Christmas tree was suddenly illuminated with many electric lights. At this critical moment, when the Boosters were exclaiming "Oh!" in admiration of the tree Santa Claus arrived and there was tremendous excitement and great joy.

About 400 Attend White Gift Event In Main Street Baptist; Excellent Program Rendered

One of the most successful and enjoyable of the White Gift entertainments yet held for the Sunday school of the Main Street Baptist church, was held last evening when about 400 attended and the teachers of the school gave a splendid presentation of the most ludicrous skit, "Fifteen Miles to Happy Town."

Following the performance the various classes presented their white gifts of provisions, clothing and other articles to be given to the poor.

A large automobile, in which 25 persons were accommodated, was used as the most important piece of stage property for the entertainment and when the white gifts were presented they filled the automobile almost to overflowing. After the gifts had been presented Santa Claus appeared and distributed oranges and bags of candy to all of the pupils. W. J. McAlary, superintendent, presided.

In the presentation of "Fifteen Miles to Happy Town," the characters were supposed to be on their way to a convention but in fact they never got there, because the car would not go for the good reason that its brakes were so bad and word came that there was a storm at the convention town that it had been decided to postpone the meeting until the next day.

The parts were taken by the teachers of the Sunday school. Mrs. R. Mitchell represented the county chairman; Mr. Walter Perry was the wife of a man who owned an automobile and therefore knew everything about automobiles; Miss Jessie Scott was a prominent delegate and was accompanied by her six daughters, who were the Misses Irene Spencer, Phyllis Knapp, Donna Olinstead, Allison Niles, Virginia Foley

Fine Program of Y. P. A. of Queen Square Church

A charming program of Christmas carols featured the meeting of the Queen Square Y. P. A. last evening. Blair McLean was in charge of the program and the president, Charles Todd, occupied the chair. The various vocal numbers of the program were introduced by a most interesting essay on Christmas carols of all countries and dating as far back as the fourth century, which was prepared and read by Miss Roberta Smith. Each time that Miss Smith came to a different country, the reading was delightfully interrupted by a vocal rendering of that country's most characteristic carols. Those who took part in the pleasing entertainment were as follows: Norwegian carol, by Miss Doris Sargeant; German carol, sung in unison; Spanish carol by Letitia A. King; French, by Mrs. L. V. Linley; and Old English carol, sung in unison. Mrs. Blair McLean was the accompanist of the evening. The Y. P. A. decided that the regular meetings would be adjourned until January 31, 1927.

NEW HAT FORMS

Rue de la Paix milliners, in an effort to get away from the two simple high-crowned cloche hats, are producing turbans with draperies arranged to suit the wearer's face, made of fur, ribbon, lace, satin, crepe de Chine, velvet or fur. The color is chosen to go with the coat or costume. With a fur coat the hat may match the dress, or with a cloth coat over a silk dress the hat matches the coat.

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A COP—A FIB—A WEDDING



Miss Paula Wurtzman, 21, Buffalo social service worker, was motorist with Alfred Conn, law student, to a football game at Columbus, Ohio. They were arrested for speeding in Cleveland, and left when they told the cop they were on their way to get married. Driving on they decided to make the trip a reality—and when they reached Columbus they hunted up a minister.

Social Notes

Miss Robertson entertained very informally at bridge at the family residence, Robtway, on Monday afternoon, in honor of Miss Edith Bauld, of Halifax, who is the guest of Colonel and Mrs. W. B. Anderson, King street east.

Miss Helen Frances MacFarlane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown MacFarlane, of Fredericton, who has made her home in Saint John for some years, and Blair C. Brown, of Toronto, Ont., son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown, of Camelon, Shropshire, Scotland, were married Monday afternoon at five o'clock at Christchurch Cathedral by Very Rev. Rev. Scott Neales. On Monday evening they left for Toronto, where they will reside.

Cadets Allan Sparling, David MacLaren, Morris Robinson, Maurice MacFarlane, of Fredericton, and James McVitty, Jr., students at the Royal Military College, are expected in the city today to spend Christmas at their homes here.

Miss Daphne Paterson, who is in her junior year at McGill University, is expected home today to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Paterson, Leinster street.

Mr. James McInerney arrived home from McGill University on Saturday and is spending the holiday season with his mother, Mrs. J. P. McInerney, at her home in Orange street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McLean and little son expect to spend Christmas the guests of Mr. McLean's mother, at her home in St. Stephen.

Mrs. Daniel Mullin of Saint John, N. B., spent the week-end at the Chateau Frontenac, Quebec, and left Monday for Montreal, where she will be joined by her daughter, Miss Catherine Mullin, who is a student at the Sacred Heart Convent, and will return home with her mother.

Mr. W. J. G. Thomson, of Halifax, is expected in the city to spend Christmas, and will be the guest of Colonel and Mrs. W. B. Anderson, King street east.

Mr. Fraser Fulton, son of Rev. and Mrs. R. G. Fulton, who is attending McGill University, is expected home today to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Leonard MacGregor, of Saint John, N. B., arrived in Montreal Sunday and are guests at the Ritz Carlton.

Master Edward Robertson arrived on Saturday from Northampton, Mass., to spend the vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Stanley Robertson, Paradise Row.

Mrs. G. B. Hardwick, of Annapolis, returned recently from West Saint John, where she had been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Andrew Burns.

Dr. and Mrs. H. H. Hagerman, of Fredericton, left on Saturday night for Detroit, where they will be met by their son, Bernard H. Hagerman, and spend Christmas there. Mrs. G. N. C. Hawkins and Miss Betty Hawkins, of Fredericton, also left on Saturday night for Montreal to spend Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Hawkins.

The Misses Florence and Jean Clancy arrived in the city Monday from New York to spend the Christmas vacation with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James E. Clancy, 68 Murray street.

Miss Elizabeth Seely left last week-end for New York to spend the holiday season with her sister, Mrs. Frederick Stevens.

Allan R. Curry arrived yesterday on the Montreal train from Kingston, Ont., where he is a student at Queen's University. He is spending the Christmas holidays with his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Gribble, 10 Queen square.

Miss Helen Firth, assistant supervisor of Junior Red Cross in New Brunswick, is leaving today for her home in Donkstown, where she will spend Christmas. She is returning to Saint John on Monday.

Miss Elizabeth Stead, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stead, a student at McGill University, is spending the Christmas holidays with her mother, Mrs. Mary E. Gribble, 10 Queen square.

Saint John Art Club Receives Donations For Use In Studio

A large case of sketches, pastel drawings and art materials of many kinds from the studio of the late Mrs. Herbert Tilley at Randolph has recently been received for the school of the Saint John Art Club by the teachers, Miss E. R. Holt. The gift has come through Mrs. FitzRandolph and the school, the council of the club and Miss Holt are all exceedingly grateful for a gift that is most welcome.

Mrs. Herbert Tilley was one of the most gifted artists that New Brunswick has produced and her pastel drawings of children would be hard to excel. Some of the sketches, pastel drawings of children and studies from life, which are included in the recent gift, are very beautiful. The best of these will be shown at the next lecture of the Art Club, which will be held in January, when Wallace Alward will be the speaker.

The art material will be very useful for the Art School pupils and in the studio. The gifts were sent by Mrs. FitzRandolph when Mrs. Tilley's studio was being closed.

The Art School closed on Saturday last week for the Christmas vacation and will reopen early in January. Splendid reports continue to come in regarding the success of graduates of the Saint John Art School. Wallace Brander, a member of last year's graduating class, is making fine headway in the Art Institute at Chicago. Ted Campbell, another member of the class, has won first and third prizes in poster competition and Miss Edythe Mitchell, who is now home on vacation from her art work, is as enthusiastic as ever.

Friends of Mrs. Margaret B. Olive, who is convalescent at the Saint John Infirmary, will be glad to hear that her condition is now much improved.

Friends of S. L. Murphy, West Saint John, formerly of Forbes Point, N. S., will be pleased to learn that he has returned to his home after having been a patient in the General Public Hospital for the last three months.

Miss Joan Wallace, of Sussex, spent the week-end with her friend, Miss Wiles, 102 Queen street.

MATCH WOMEN'S HATS
Man's ties to match the girl's hat is one of the novelties of the fall styles observed in couples strolling down the Boulevards or promenade in the Bois de Boulogne.

This is seen in dark red tones with Midway's hat and her gentleman escort's tie decorated in fine gold thread. Blue comes next.

The hats are bought first. Then the gentleman is told to produce a tie of a given shade. Some of the men have solved the problem by allowing the women to buy their ties, an occurrence hitherto regarded as casting a reflection on the gentleman's manhood.

HALF-SEASON STYLES
Simple forms and subdued colors characterize the half-season styles now being shown at Paris. For morning dresses light flannels, fine jersey, plain satin and crepe de Chine, in various shades of beige and grey, are the materials most employed.

Particularly attractive afternoon dresses are made in black, brown, green and grey satins with long sleeves tight and slightly rucked at the wrists and necks cut to the base of the throat finished off by a little turned back collar and bow end tie, or a lace jabot.

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LADY ASTOR'S HAT JOLTED

Lady Astor's new felt hat of blue gave parliamentarians a jolt when she wore it the first time in the House of Commons, after her return from the United States. It was not the fact that the millinery, trimmed with scarlet and shaped along lines of the "vagabond" model which is one of the season's best sellers, was made in America that attracted attention but because nearly always heretofore Lady Astor has worn discreet black or beige.

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