

Social Notes of Interest

Among those present at badminton in the Armories yesterday afternoon were Mrs. Walter Foster, Mrs. Sherwood Skinner, Mrs. F. Cavenhill Jones, Mrs. Stewart Skinner, Lt.-Col. and Mrs. Sparling, Mrs. F. R. Taylor, Major and Mrs. George Oland, Mrs. Gordon Macdonald, Miss Audrey McLeod, Miss Frances Kerr, Miss Barbara Jack, Mrs. Harry C. Patterson, Miss Darrell Morley, Mrs. Harold Chadwick, Major Larter and Mr. Allan Sparling.

Mrs. Frank Wilson entertained at a most enjoyable small tea yesterday afternoon at her residence, Chipman Hill, in honor of Miss Mary Armstrong, who will be a December bride. Mrs. J. Arnold Gibson presided at the tea table. After tea Miss Armstrong presented a traveling case, which held many dainty and useful little gifts. Those present were: Miss Mary Armstrong, Miss Ann Armstrong, Mrs. Hugh McLean, Miss Doris DeVeber, Miss Jane Crichton, Miss Elsie MacLaren, Miss Doreen McAvity, Miss Hortense Maier and Miss Elizabeth Armstrong.

Col. Murray MacLaren, M.P., is expected home next Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Ross left last evening for New York.

Major George Keefe, who has been in Nova Scotia, returned to town yesterday.

Mrs. F. W. Gilvan entertained at a delightful tea yesterday afternoon at the Sign of the Lantern Tea Rooms in honor of Mrs. W. A. Clark. Mrs. Nell McLean presided at the tea table which was prettily arranged with sprig flowers. She was assisted by

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Mrs. John McLean and Miss Alice Murdoch. Among those present were Mrs. Clark, Mrs. L. DeV. Chipman, Mrs. Kenneth Golding, Mrs. Hugh Gregory, Mrs. Andrew West Murray, Mrs. James Robertson Curry, Mrs. W. A. Fisher, Mrs. Grant Smith, Mrs. Howard Robinson, Mrs. Frank Peters and Mrs. John Gillis.

Miss Florence Connors, of Newcastle, who has been the guest of Miss Ethel Sanderson, West St. John, has re-

turned home. Miss Connors was here to be near her sister, Miss Annie Connors, who underwent an operation in the General Public Hospital.

Miss Agnes Bell Jones, R. N., who was for some time on the staff of the East St. John County Hospital, has resigned in order to take up her literary pursuits. She is residing with her sister, Mrs. W. H. McFarlane, 210 Lancaster avenue, West St. John. Miss Jones has written many poems and

several stories, one of the latter being published some time ago in the Canadian Home-Journal entitled "The Story of a China Teacup."

Miss Alva Gillespie, of Rockland, Mass., arrived on Monday and will be the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William C. Gillespie, 107 Charlotte street, for the Christmas holiday.

Mrs. Arthur E. Cox has returned from Montreal, where she visited her husband, who was operated upon recently in the Royal Victoria Hospital. Mr. Cox is showing great improvement in health.

Miss Vera Terris returned home yesterday after a four months' visit in Boston, during which time she filled many important engagements as vocalist at concerts and entertainments, in the Hub and in the neighboring cities.



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large luncheon in the House of Commons, given by political friends. On December 8 they were the guests of the Marchioness of Londonderry to meet the Prime Minister and members of the Cabinet. On the same day Sir George had an audience of His Majesty. Earlier Sir George and H. H. Stevens were the guests of the British Empire League at a dinner given at the Savoy Hotel. Major-General Seely, who presided, said that owing to the Conservative rally at the Albert Hall, the Prime Minister, the Duke of Devonshire, Lord Birkenhead, and other members of the Cabinet were unable to attend. The Colonial Secretary wrote expressing deep regret at not being able to attend to do honor to his old friend, Sir George Foster, and to acknowledge his distinguished services to Canada and the Empire.

BANKERS HEAR OF LIFE IN FAR NORTH

The second monthly dinner of the St. John Bankers' Institute was held last night in Pythian Castle, with A. K. Harvie in the chair.

Rev. A. L. Fleming, of St. John's (Stone) church, was the speaker and he gave an interesting address on "Life in the Polar North." Mr. Fleming spoke of the manners and customs of the primitive people of that far northern portion of Canada and gave an insight into their ethnological history and into the wonderful work being done by the missionaries in that hitherto part of the Dominion.

Major C. R. Merereau, Misses Peters and Brown and Messrs. Moore, Gregory and Punter gave very enjoyable musical selections.

JOHNSTON LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS

Officers for the ensuing term were elected at the meeting of the Johnston L. O. L. Monday evening. The new officers are as follows: W. A. E. Fleming, D. M.; W. J. Brown, chaplain; W. V. G. Stokes, recording secretary; Robert J. Goodrich, financial secretary; William Simpson, treasurer; James Johnston; D. of C. C. A. Titus; lecturer, Robert H. Johnston; P. of G. W. McKinney; lodge committee, George Elliot; Major McKinney, sr.; David Stratton, E. E. Marshall, K. D. Clifford, J. Holman.

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Recipes **Cranberry Jam** Into a saucepan put one quart cranberries and 2 cups water. Place over fire until water boils hard all over the saucepan. Cover and let stand 10 minutes. Remove from fire and let cool. This is to make the cranberries tender. Add 4 cups (1 lb.) sugar. Bring to a full rolling boil and boil hard for one minute, stirring constantly. Remove from fire and stir in one-half bottle (seant half cup) Certo. Stir, pour quickly and seal hot. If in jelly glasses seal at once with hot melted paraffin. **Spiced Cranberry Jam** Use the above recipe, but add one-half teaspoon ground cloves and one teaspoon ground cinnamon at the start before cooking the cranberries. **Cranberry Marmalade** This is something new and really delicious. Take 2 oranges and 1 lemon, cut in halves and remove seeds. Slice very fine or put through a coarse meat chopper. Put into saucepan with 8 cups water, cover and boil very slowly for three-quarters of an hour. Add 1 quart cranberries and cook 10 minutes longer. This measure 6 level cups of this mixture into a large bottle. If not sufficient of the mixture, add enough water to make the 6 cups. Add 8 level cups (1 lb.) sugar, mix and bring to a full rolling boil and boil 2 minutes. Remove from fire and stir in half bottle (seant half cup) Certo. Stir, pour quickly and seal hot. If in jelly glasses seal at once with hot melted paraffin. **Grape Jelly** You can make the most delicious Grape Jelly by using any of the well-known brands of bottled grape juice. Measure 4 cups of the grape juice and 6 cups (2 lb.) sugar into saucepan. Stir and bring to a boil. Stir in 1 bottle Certo and bring again to a full rolling boil and boil for 1 minute. Remove from fire; let stand 1 minute. Stir, pour quickly and seal hot. If in jelly glasses seal at once with hot melted paraffin.

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