



FREDERICTON

Fredericton, April 27.—Baroness Huard, author of that most interesting book "My Home in the Field of Honor," was in the city last Saturday evening, and delivered a most interesting

## Social Notes of the Week

address on her war time experiences. The Baroness belongs to the United States by birth, as readers of her book are aware, and has done much to make the women of her native land understand how sadly Northern France has suffered during the war. Baroness Huard came to Fredericton under the auspices of the Sir Howard Douglas Chapter I. O. D. E., and at their recent meeting on Tuesday a cheque for \$100 was forwarded to the Baroness for her hospital in France.

Miss Edith Cudlip, who was visiting her aunt, Mrs. William Cruikshank, returned to St. John on Friday last.

Mrs. George N. Babbitt and Lieut. Archie Babbitt left on Saturday for St. Andrews, where they will visit Mrs. Allen R. Grimmer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Allen, baby and nurse of Winnipeg, arrived on Wednesday and will be the guests of Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Allen for two months.

Mrs. S. B. Wass and little daughter, left on Wednesday evening for Vancouver, where they will visit relatives for two months.

Mrs. P. C. Robinson of Port Elgin, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Fraser.

Mr. Richard, Bishop's Court, has invitations out for a farewell tea on Saturday for the Misses Sherman, who are leaving shortly to make their home in Toronto.

Mrs. W. B. McElliott entertained informally at bridge on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. T. Scott Ryder spent the week-end here, guest of Mrs. T. Carleton Allen, returning to St. John on Monday evening.

Miss Whitlock, who has been visiting Mrs. John Robinson, returned to her home in St. Andrews on Saturday.

Mrs. W. C. Crockett was hostess at a small but very delightful tea on Sunday last to meet Baroness Huard. The tea table, at which Mrs. Stevenson presided was decorated with pink snapdragons. Among the guests were: Baroness Huard, Judge and Mrs. O. S. Crockett, Dr. and Mrs. T. C. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Rees Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. C. Hawkins, Mrs. Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Taylor, Mr. John Stephens, Miss Stella Sherman, Mrs. Ethel Turnbull, Miss Stopford, Mrs. A. J. Gregory, and Mrs.

T. E. Ryder.

Mrs. E. A. Sturdee left on Wednesday for Halifax, where Capt. Sturdee is taking a course.

Mrs. Robert FitzRandolph returned from Montreal on Wednesday, having been called there by the serious illness of her mother.

On Sunday evening last, Mrs. Albert J. Gregory was hostess at a delightful supper party in honor of the Baroness Huard. The table was beautifully decorated with pink sweet peas and snapdragons. Among the guests were: Baroness Huard, Countess of Ashburnham, Mrs. Keitchum, Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. D. Lee Babbitt, Mrs. W. C. Crockett, Mrs. Valawright, Mrs. Hodley Bridges, Mrs. William Robinson, Mrs. Neales, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. George A. Taylor, Miss Edith Gregory and Miss Stopford.

Mr. Darrell Jago left on Tuesday for New York, enroute to England on a business trip.

Mrs. William Crockett and Miss Deanna Crockett, who have been spending the winter in Toronto and Quebec, returned home on Monday.

Mrs. W. S. Thomas was on Tuesday afternoon hostess at a small but very enjoyable bridge at her room on University Ave. Among the guests were: Mrs. Ernest Gregory, Mrs. Holden, Mrs. Albert J. Gregory, Mrs. P. C. Robinson, Mrs. Lee Babbitt, Miss Richardson and Miss Gregory.

Miss Clements was a week-end guest of Mrs. E. A. Sturdee, Charlotte St.

Lieut. Otty Cruikshank arrived home from the war via England and St. John on Saturday last. He left Fredericton last spring with the 104th, and in England was drafted into the 9th Canadian Machine Gun Section. Lieut. Cruikshank is home on a six months' leave of absence to recover from the

effects of shell shock.

The Mandoline Club had their weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. H. Tritter, St. John, on Wednesday evening.

The fourteenth annual meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Church of the Fredericton Diocese Branch of the Women's Auxiliary of the Church of the Fredericton Diocese, was held in St. John this week. The delegates from this city were: Mrs. George Allen, president; Mrs. Rupert Taylor, Miss Stella Sherman and Mrs. Spriggs of the Cathedral; Miss Fannie Taylor of St. Ann's Parish Church; Miss Nora Thompson of the St. Mary's Church; Mrs. C. H. Giles, Miss Wilkinson and Mrs. F. del. Clements of St. Peter's Church, Springfield; and Mrs. Wm. Jago and Mrs. Thomas Robinson of St. Mary's Church. The delegates returned on Wednesday evening. Nursing Sister, Emma Humble arrived in Fredericton on Saturday last, after spending fifteen months in France. She went overseas with the Kitchen unit from New York, and was directly to Ramsgate. The hospital was also an English institution, but the majority of the staff were American.

Miss Stella Sherman is the guest of Mrs. A. R. Shipp, Church St.

On Wednesday evening, Mrs. G. N. C. Hawkins was hostess at a most enjoyable bridge party at her home on Charlotte St. The lucky prize winners were Mrs. W. S. Crockett and Judge Crockett. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Judge and Mrs. O. S. Crockett, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. de Mille, Mr. and Mrs. Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Babbitt, Mrs. Stevenson, Mrs. Burchill, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Popplestone, Dr. and Mrs. W. C.

Crocket, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. George A. Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Montgomery.

The wedding of Miss Lois Manson Cross, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Cross to Douglas Gordon Estlin of this city, as announced on Wednesday afternoon in the German Street Baptist Church, St. John, by Rev. S. S. Poole. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a beautiful gown of white net over white satin and carried a bouquet of bridal roses. The bridegroom, Miss Helen Marr, wore pale blue crepe de chine. Mr. Paul Cross was best man, and little Marjorie Estlin acted as flower girl. Mr. and Mrs. Krohn left on a wedding trip to New York and on their return will reside in this city. Among the relatives who attended the wedding from home were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Albert Krohn, Mr. Walter Krohn, Mrs. A. B. Krohn, Mrs. Harry Walker, Mrs. R. G. Lee, Mrs. Gales Krohn and Mrs. Willard Krohn of Vancouver, who is visiting in Fredericton.

Miss Irene Machum, who has completed her training course in the McRae Hospital, Melrose, Mass., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Machum.

SUSSEX

Sussex, April 27.—The Ladies' Aid of the Berwick Methodist Church will hold a supper at the home of Mrs. Fred Fenwick on Tuesday, May the 1st, at which a small admission fee will be charged.

Dr. Sutherland, who last year was associated here for some little time with Dr. McAllister, and who has lately been in New York, proposes to return to Sussex about June 1st, to open an office and practice his profession here.

Mr. Harold C. Currie, electrician, of St. John, who in future will be in charge of the projection department at the Lyric Theatre, arrived in town today, and will at once go on duty.

The box social held last Thursday evening in aid of the Red Cross Society, was a success, both financially and socially, the amount realized from the sale of boxes being forty-four dollars. The society extend thanks to all who in any way contributed to the success of the evening.

The Hampton Dramatic Club will present at the Apohaqui Hall on Monday next, the 30th inst., the three act farce comedy, "All Fangled Up." The entertainment is under the auspices of the local branch of the Red Cross Society, and the proceeds are for patriotic purposes. There will be specialities between acts and ice cream will be on sale.

Mr. Clifford Fox, formerly with the Mills-Eveleigh Company, at Sussex, has accepted a position with Mr.

B. H. Smith. He has already arrived to take up his duties.

Boston harbor has been mined and is being patrolled. A 12 foot steel mesh net protects the entrance and the harbor has been closed to shipping, except between sun rise and sun set.

The north channel will be the only passage for vessels entering or leaving port and they must be under federal pilotage.

Miss Isabelle Keith and Miss Nina Cogan were in St. John this week. Mrs. L. L. Stockton, Pettitodiac, is visiting friends in Sussex.

Mrs. S. Stockton from Edmonton, Alberta, is visiting Mrs. Moore, Albert St.

Mrs. S. S. Stockton, Pettitodiac, is visiting friends and relatives in Sussex.

Mrs. Charles Yeomans, Pettitodiac, was guest of Mrs. J. A. McAfee at Royal Hotel, a few days this week.

Mrs. Edwin. Elliott, Annapolis Ridge, spent a few days last week in town, the guest of relatives.

G. F. Smith and family are moving to St. John this week, where they will in future reside.

Mrs. Shewen, Miss Ethel Jeffries and Miss Alice Howes, were in St. John this week, attending the meeting of the Diocesan Branch of the W. A. in connection with Trinity Church.

Mrs. James Manchester and Mrs. Geo. Secord were in St. John this week, attending the W. A. meeting.

Mrs. Edmundson and Miss Edmundson, Alberta, are guests of Mrs. C. W. Stockton, "The Willows."

H. H. Dryden, Truro, N. S., was visiting friends in Sussex, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cunningham of Vermilion, Alberta, guests of Mr. Cunningham's mother, Mrs. Hugh Cunningham, Peter St.

Mrs. Everett Vanwart is in Ottawa being called there by the serious illness of her brother Major H. W. Follins.

Mrs. Stewart and little daughter of Dalhousie, are guests of Mrs. Stewart's sister, Mrs. G. Hazen Tdair.

Mrs. Geo. Hoyte is visiting relatives and friends in St. John.

Miss Christina Howes is visiting friends in Boston.

Among the ladies visiting in St. John this week were Mrs. Oscar Roach, Mrs. Lansdowne, Mrs. Shewen, Mrs. Goodfellow, and Mrs. Richardson, who are attending the W. A. meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. James McWha of St. Stephen, are visiting their daughter, Mrs. M. A. McLeod St. George St. for a few days before leaving for Sydney, N. S., where they will in future reside.

Mrs. Wm. Cole, Moncton, is the guest of Mrs. Eldon Moore.

In a united family happiness springs up of itself.

Of all important things the first is not to cheat conscience.

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TILL 9 O'CLOCK.



## JOHNSON'S SPECIAL TEN DAY'S SALE OF UP-TO-DATE Ladies', Misses' and Children's Ready-to-Wear Garments

Commencing today we will place on sale some very desirable lines in Sport Suits, Middies and Skirts; also special bargains listed below:

Smart Style Middies with large cape collar, two pockets and belts	Sale Price \$1.90
Striped Middies, coat style, pockets and belt	Sale Prices 90c., \$1.35 and \$1.60
Special Plain White Middies, large collar and belt	Only \$1.35
Girls' Middies, age 6 to 14 years	Sale Price, 69c., and 95c.
White Skirts, new styles	Sale Price 95c.
White Skirts, with stripes and large checks and spots	Sale Prices, \$1.65 to \$2.95
Three Special Lines in White Voile Waists	Sale 65c., 98c., and \$1.35
New Crepe de Chene and Silk Waists, all shades	Special Price, \$2.48
Silk Waists, odd lines	Sale Prices \$1.00 to \$5.00

Silk Hose First quality, all shades, Only 48c.	Silk Hose Seconds Only 25c.	Cotton Hose All Shades, Good Quality Only 24c.	Lisle Hose Black & White, Extra Special Value, 32c.	Children's Lisle Hose, Black Only 23c.
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Separate Skirts in Tweeds and Serges	Sale Prices \$2.98 to \$6.90
Silk Sweaters, in all shades	Sale Prices \$6.50 and \$8.90
Brushed Wool Sweaters at	\$3.48, \$4.50 and \$5.69
Serge Dresses, navy and black	Sale Prices \$5.50 to \$9.95
Raincoats, extra special	Sale Prices from \$3.50 to \$14
Ladies' and Misses' Suits, all good styles and materials, Sale Prices \$12, \$15, \$20 and \$25	
Ladies' Coats, in checks, stripes and corduroy	Only \$5.00
Ladies' Coats, tweed, serge and white polo, at	\$8.00 and \$9.75

Corset Covers. Regular Price, 35c. Sale Price 4 for \$1.00.	Gowns. Sale Prices, 85c., \$1.10 and \$1.35.	House Dresses. Sale Prices 89c., 98c., \$1.25 and \$2.40.
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Underskirts. Sale Prices from 65c. to \$6.25	Overall Aprons. Sale Prices 49c. and 69c.
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Special for Saturday Morning Only—12 BLACK SILK UNDERSKIRTS will be put on sale at \$1.65 each. Special Saturday Afternoon Sale—6 LADIES' RAIN-COATS at \$3.00 each. SEE OUR WINDOWS.

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Uncle Dick's Chat  
With a Child

My Dear Kiddies:—  
Isn't it a treat to be awakened  
the morning by the bright sun  
streaming in through the window,  
then to lie listening to the birds  
they burst forth in song. Each ap-  
pears to rival the other in supren-  
e and sweetness of tone. Spring  
is it late in arriving such as in  
case, is always a welcome visitor.  
is it not, she who renews every  
in our bodies and after the long  
ted slothful feeling of winter  
us to be filled with vitality and  
ness. To live in all the enjoyment  
life, even as many of you young  
and girls, who without a thought  
care or worry, gaily romp and  
the sunshine of youth.  
Make the most of your days  
school and play. Kiddies, as the  
the springtime of your lives; it is  
period in which you make prepara-  
for the years to come, when you  
leave school behind and take  
place in the busy world of to-  
Let me remind you, boys and  
of that which I spoke last week to  
your mind upon something ahead  
never be swayed from your pur-  
another thing. The result, I am  
very best. Don't be half-hearted  
your work, be thorough; a life may  
pend upon what you do.  
To illustrate, let me tell you a  
story. At the time of the Zulu  
in Africa, a certain officer  
his aide-de-camp were almost  
rounded when seeing an opportu-  
they seized the stirrup of their  
and sprang into the saddles. Un-  
tunately the left stirrup strap of  
officer's outfit snapped, and he  
him to the ground. Before regular  
his feet, the Zulus were upon him  
put him to death.  
It was afterwards found out that  
workman in making the saddle,  
had failed to attach the stirrup  
security. The result, months  
wards, and in a distant land, the  
death of a gallant young officer.  
Moral—Perform all the duties  
have to the best of your ability.  
The new contest this week is  
out of the ordinary, and as the p  
are of particular value. I am sure  
will all have a hard try to capture  
of them.  
Next week I hope to be able to  
nounce as to a debating contest,  
as referred to in a recent issue.  
The Allies' Aid Society are hold  
their Japanese are held in the  
Women's Exchange Rooms today  
aid of comforts for soldiers, and  
hoped to realize a fair sum of mo-  
also that those interested will do  
cake, etc.  
The girls have been working  
and I am sure you will all wish  
every success.  
With best wishes and heaps of  
to the thousands of nephews  
niece.  
From Your  
Uncle Dick

Children's Edition

Answers to  
Letters Received  
by Uncle Dick

Elsie, Shephard, Prince of Wales  
How are the music lessons pro-  
ing? I was pleased to have your  
Marjorie Atkinson, Tracy Station  
What a nice letter you are able  
write. Yes, delighted to have you  
a member. Your picture was good  
Vera Mary, Newton—Thanks  
your letter, and glad to have you  
a member of the Corner.  
Nellie Mary, Newbury—Yes, cer-  
ely, and only too pleased to have  
as a member.  
Edgar Arsenault, Sunnyvale—  
an interesting letter you can  
Only to glad to have you as a  
ber.  
Leander Arsenault, Sunnyvale—  
is your brother in England gettin  
now? Very pleased indeed to  
you both as members.  
Olive Carter, Pennfield Ridge—  
certainly and I have entered  
name. Get some of your school  
to join.  
Marion Farns, Knapwick—W  
sporty dog Buster must have be  
was a pity you had to give him  
Leroy Dodds, St. George—Hope  
have got over the footsoreness.  
is the pen working now?  
Hilda Copp, Charlottetown—G  
see you are enjoying the Corner  
Marion McPhail, Woodstock—