

friends from Sackville and the surrounding country invaded their home to celebrate their silver wedding. On behalf of the company, Mr. C. E. Lund presented the bride and groom of twenty-five years with an elegant silver tray and fruit dish. Short speeches were also made by Mr. W. Turner, Mr. C. W. Cahill and Mrs. S. Lowe of Amherst. Mr. Patterson, although taken entirely by surprise, made a neat reply, thanking the friends for their kindness. The evening was a particularly enjoyable one. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Elise Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Caleb Phinney, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lund, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gass, Mr. and Mrs. W. Turner, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cahill, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Bower, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. D. Siddall, Mr. and Mrs. Seaman Lowe, and others.

Miss McLeod, of Mr. Allison teaching staff, spent Sunday at her home in Point de Bute.

The friends of Miss Annie Trueman will be glad to hear that her condition is somewhat improved.

Ernest Mayton and his daughter, Miss Belle Paton, of Charlottetown, spent a few days last week as guests at the ladies' college. They left on Friday on an extended trip to Europe, Egypt, and the Holy Land.

Mrs. Fred. Allison entertained a number of her lady friends on Monday evening.

McADAM JUNCTION.

McAdam Junction, Feb. 19.—Miss Stella Walsh returned to her home in St. John Wednesday morning after a pleasant visit with relatives in town.

Gordon McKenzie is confined to his home by illness.

Mrs. Arch McDonald visited St. John last Wednesday.

Mrs. Harry Watt and little son, Ronald, have been visiting relatives in Canterbury.

Miss Mabel McLeod spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in St. Stephen.

E. E. Nason, who has been confined to the house for some weeks, is gradually recovering.

Mrs. Reid, of Port Elgin, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. Hoyt.

Miss Ruth Humphrey went to Brownville Saturday evening to spend a few days.

Mrs. Paul Dow has returned from a visit in St. Stephen.

Miss Alice Ryder spent last Saturday and Sunday at her home in St. Stephen.

Mrs. Stanley Robinson, of Henderson (Me.), is visiting Mrs. E. A. King.

Miss Minnie Miller visited St. John last week.

Miss Alice Sullivan entertained a large number of her girl friends at a thimble party on Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Bertha Chase spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Fredericton.

Miss Ruth Green spent last Saturday in St. John.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Union church held a meeting in the principal room in the High School on Tuesday afternoon.

A number of young people of this town went to Vancouver last Friday night, to attend a dance which was held that night.

Miss McClelland, of Woodstock, spent Sunday in town.

BATHURST.

Bathurst, N. B., Feb. 20.—Miss Frances Gilvin returned from a week from St. John to relatives in Chatham.

The many friends of Mrs. P. J. Burns are glad to know that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bishop and their baby boy came during the week from British Columbia, where Mr. Bishop had been in one of the branches of the Royal Bank. While here they are guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. Gilbert.

Miss Besse Melvin came on Friday from Boston to make a visit to her home people here.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson is a guest at the rectory, where he is recovering from a confinement was given him at St. George's on Sunday last.

Mrs. J. P. Byrne and Mrs. E. McKay have returned from a visit to Campbellton.

Miss M. Robertson is making a visit to Rexton this week.

Mrs. K. Cinnamond, who has been very ill for some weeks, is now much improved.

ST. ANDREWS.

St. Andrews, Feb. 20.—Mr. Thomas Bailey, an aged and respected resident, died on Thursday night at his home, after a long illness, at the age of eighty-eight years.

He was afflicted with rheumatism for several years, and was cared for by his daughter, Mrs. John Craig. The funeral took place on Sunday at 2.30, the Rev. Mr. Collingwood conducting the service.

Leutenant Robert Langford has returned to Halifax. His vacation was pleasantly spent here.

Miss Besse Grimmer has been visiting Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer in St. Stephen (N. B.) for a short time.

Miss Besse Andrews arrived from Boston last Tuesday and is at Ministers Island.

The Rev. W. Wilson Lodge's lecture on Thursday evening last was highly appreciated by a fair audience. It was unfortunate that several social functions prevented many from attending the lecture.

Miss Winifred Maloney contributed a solo during the evening. Miss Eva L. Stoop gave a recitation which were, as usual, very much admired and appreciated.

John Simpson entertained a few friends on Tuesday evening at his home.

Messrs. Frank Pye, Allen McDonald and Frank Howe gave a pleasant dance and supper to a number of their friends on Thursday evening last at Lake View Cottage, Chamcook Lake.

Mrs. T. A. Hartt entertained a few friends on Friday evening at her home.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, of St. Stephen, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. Richardson last week.

Mrs. Fred. Andrews entertained the members of her Sunday school class Friday evening.

Mrs. G. Herbert Lamb gave a most enjoyable party at her pretty home on Thursday evening. Bridge and euchre were enjoyed for several hours, when a most delicious supper was served. Miss Mary Ross assisted Mrs. Lamb in the dining room. Among the guests were Mrs. R. E. Armstrong, Mrs. F. Andrews, Mrs. G. H. Stickney, Mrs. John Wren, Mrs. T. R. Wren, Mrs. F. A. Stevenson, Mrs. Jennie Clarke, Mrs. E. Odell, Mrs. John Simpson, Mrs. T. A. Hartt, Mrs. T. T. Odell, Mrs. Frank P. Barnard, Mrs. N. M. Clarke, Mrs. King Greenlaw, Mrs. G. Durelle Grimmer, Mrs. Owen Rigby, Mrs. George Lowery, Mrs. M. N. Coddison, Mrs. Edward Cockburn, Mrs. Richard Keay, Mrs. P. G. Hanson, the Misses A. B. Wade, Mary Ross, S. A. Algar, Jessie Main, Anna P. Odell, Mrs. N. M. Clarke, Mrs. E. A. J. Tait, Miss Burnsteyn.

Mr. G. Cooper visited St. John friends during the week.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Moore, who left before Christmas on a trip west and south for the winter months, are at present spending some time in New Brunswick.

Miss Margaret Evans left on Monday of this week to visit friends in Newcastle.

Miss Leoline Doiron has returned from a short visit to Moncton friends.

Miss Jennie Webster returned on Saturday last from spending some weeks in

Thursday evening with duplicate whist and bridge.

Miss Annie Billings enjoyed having a few friends to tea on Thursday.

The sewing guild of All Saints church will meet at Mrs. T. R. Wren's home on Friday evening.

Miss Harry Jones, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, St. Stephen, spent Sunday at his home.

Mr. C. E. Dalton, government inspector of boilers, was in town this week and looked over the steamer, Viking, which he ordered to be laid up for repairs, after a thorough examination. The steamer, however, will shortly be on the route again.

Miss Jessie Main was called to Point de Bute on Tuesday on account of the illness of her brother-in-law.

Mrs. W. A. Carson entertained a few friends on Wednesday.

On Monday evening a game of basketball was in town for a few days this week. The game was played at the Shamrock, stood 10 to 29, in favor of the Shamrocks.

CAMPBELLTON.

Campbellton, Feb. 20.—Mrs. Baker, of Metapedia, is the guest of Mrs. George G. MacKenzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Mackay returned to Bathurst on Saturday, having spent a week with Mrs. Thomas Malcolm.

Hon. Wm. Pugsley and Mrs. Pugsley were in town for a few days this week.

Mrs. W. S. Thomas and Miss Alexander spent Wednesday with Mrs. Percy Baker in Metapedia.

Mrs. H. Luman entertained the married people's whist club on Thursday evening. The meeting was of an exceptionally pleasant character. The prizes were won by Mr. H. Tappan, Mr. E. H. Anderson, Mr. C. F. Clare and Mr. Geo. MacKenzie.

During the past week a number of very pleasant evenings of bridge have been given in honor of Mrs. W. D. Thomas, of Sussex, who is the guest of Miss Lucy Alexander. On Friday evening Mrs. Thomas Malcolm entertained about twenty guests. Among those present were: Mrs. Byrne, Mrs. Mackay, Bathurst; Mr. and Mrs. F. MacKenzie, and Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas, St. John; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tappan, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest MacKenzie, Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Miss Alexander and Mr. Hope.

On Monday evening Mrs. James Morton was hostess at a very enjoyable ladies' bridge. The prizes were won by Mrs. Thos. Malcolm and Mrs. Blackhall. The guests included Mrs. W. S. Thomas, Mrs. E. Blackhall, Mrs. S. Benson, Mrs. Thos. Malcolm, Mr. George G. MacKenzie, Mrs. Jasper Davidson, Mrs. Lingley, Mrs. MacLachlan, Mrs. Wilson, Miss Alexander and Miss Jellott.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. Ernest MacKenzie entertained at a small bridge in honor of Mrs. Thomas.

Mrs. H. G. MacLachlan entertained the married people's whist club on Thursday evening.

Mrs. E. H. Anderson has issued invitations for a bridge on Friday evening at her home.

Campbellton, Feb. 20.—A. J. Watson, who has been leader of the Citizens' Band for some time, left for Kentville (N. S.) Tuesday morning, where he has accepted a good position.

Miss Lottie Cripps, of Chatham, is visiting her sister, Mrs. D. A. Harquail.

A masquerade carnival will be held in the skating rink Monday next. Four prizes will be given for the best and most original costumes.

Miss Mabel Shirley, of Bathurst, returned home Tuesday morning from a visit to friends in town.

A number of their friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Devereaux Wednesday evening, it being the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding. An enjoyable evening was spent, and Mr. and Mrs. Devereaux were made the recipients of many valuable presents.

In a game of hockey played Wednesday night between two local teams, the Victorias and Thistles, the former were the winners by a score of 5-0.

SHEDIA.

Shediac, N. B., Feb. 20.—Miss Ernestine Robidoux is visiting friends in Montreal.

Mr. A. J. Webster returned home from a month's trip to Quebec.

Rev. W. Penna, who has been confined to his residence, Methodist parsonage, owing to illness, is now able to move.

The Misses Johnson, of Sackville, are the guests of Mrs. W. A. Russell, Main street.

Mrs. C. A. Dickie most enjoyably entertained a few friends at tea on Monday evening of this week at her home, Main street.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Robidoux, in honor of her guest, gave a highly enjoyable dinner at home from 4 to 5, at which a large number of the young ladies of the town were present.

Miss Alberta Murray, prettily gowned in white, ushered, while Miss Edith Inglis and Miss Georgia Robidoux assisted in serving the guests. Mrs. W. A. Russell poured tea and little Miss Anna Avaril also assisted messes as aide. Mrs. Robidoux received in becoming gown champagne silk, lace trimmings. Among those present were the Misses Ward, Miss Mayne (Rogersville), the Misses W. A. Russell, Misses Doiron, Miss Beatrice Gillard, Miss Leeger (Bathurst), the Misses Weldon, Miss Bray, Miss Charters, Miss L. Steven, the Misses Harper, Miss Tait, Miss Leonie Doiron, Mrs. Fred. Robidoux and Miss Edna Cormier.

Another extremely enjoyable little social function of the week was the fancy work at home, given from 3.30 to 6.30 on Wednesday afternoon by Mrs. W. A. Russell at her home, Main street, in honor of her guests, the Misses Johnson, of Sackville. Miss hostess had as aides Mrs. Evans, Miss Johnson, Miss Harper and Miss Tait. Mrs. R. C. Tait presided in the tea room. Among those present were Mrs. J. L. Newman, Mrs. H. W. Murray, Mrs. E. J. Webster, Mrs. E. G. Coombs, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. G. M. Blakney, Mrs. M. E. Evans, Miss Gertrude Evans, the Misses Johnson (Sackville), Miss Charters, Miss Steven, Mrs. A. J. Tait, Miss Burnsteyn.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Russell are entertaining at a rink party this evening (Thursday).

Mrs. Leger, of Bathurst, is visiting friends in town.

The members of the central school are holding a concert in the assembly rooms of the school on Friday evening of this week. The concert is being looked forward to with much pleasure by the citizens of the town, as the pupils have been preparing for it for several weeks past. The orchestra is to be one of the leading attractions of the evening.

Mrs. Albert Steeves and little child, of Dover, Albert county, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. Doucette, Sackville street.

NEWCASTLE.

Newcastle, Feb. 20.—Mrs. R. Leighton has returned from a visit to friends in Millerton.

Mr. and Mrs. Denison, of Toronto, were in town this week. Mr. Allen J. Ferguson this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus MacKenzie have a young son.

The young ladies of the Presbyterian church giving an entertainment on the evening of the 28th inst. in Beveridge's Hall.

A half holiday was granted by the trustees of the school on Monday, Feb. 23, and the children enjoyed a fine afternoon's skating at the mouth of the Tobique.

Miss Louise Pickett, of Hillandale is the guest of Miss M. Baxter this week.

Grand Falls, Feb. 20.—Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wheeler, of Florenceville, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Kirkpatrick.

Mrs. Marshall Ryan, of Woodstock, is the guest of Mrs. Gabriel Potrait this week.

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Miss Edith Burchill (Black)—White silk, pearl trimmings.

Miss Gowing (Chatham)—Black net over black silk, cream roses.

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