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HALIFAX NOTES.

PROGRAMME for sale in Halifax by the newboys and at the following news stands and centres.

The walls, from the main entrance to the upper halls were handsomely decorated with spruce and holly.

The "musical and literary" portion of the "at home" was carried out in the spacious examination hall.

- 1. Piano solo..... Miss Hildebrandt
2. Chorus..... "Undergraduate's Lament"
3. Address..... Dr. Forrest
4. Scottish song..... Mr. Crawford
5. Reading..... Miss Waddington
6. Piano solo..... Miss Hildebrandt
7. Male quartet..... Messrs. Telfer, McKay, Allen and Wood
8. Instrumental solo..... Miss McMillan
9. Song and chorus..... "The Olden Days"
10. Chorus..... T. D. Aiken and students

Dr. Forrest's address of welcome was brief but hearty. He smiled on the St. John footballists as more than welcome, a sentiment the utterance of which the students received with hearty cheers.

Saturday we are going to lose Major and Mrs. Dorman, and Major Loes Hall; also Capt. Kelly, A. M. S. Major and Mrs. Dorman will be much missed by many friends, and no doubt they will have pleasant recollections of Halifax, at which the early days of their young married life have been spent, and their two pretty children born.

Lara again, and well welcomed too. Bravo His pania Club, you deserve success. What old writer is it that says, and truly, "the more music there is in a city the less vice." It is not the more you encourage young people, especially young men, in artistic pursuit, the better they are for it.

Those interested in the progress of high-class music in Halifax will be glad to learn that the quartette, whose playing at several concerts last winter gave so much pleasure, is not defunct. Since Mr. Walthers' departure his place has been taken by Herr J. J. Siebelts, and under the leadership of such an able musician and violinist the quartette may be expected to make rapid progress.

Mrs. (Mayor) McPherson's "at home" last week was largely attended, in spite of the disagreeable weather. It was a little awkward reaching His Worship's residence, in consequence of the house blockade on Lockman street, especially as the motorman could not see a foot before him, owing to the dense fog which was in the atmosphere.

Mrs. Robert Fickford has issued invitation for "at home" at her beautiful residence, 91 Inglis street, this afternoon.

AMHERST. PROGRAMME for sale at Amherst by W. P. Smith & Co.

Dec. 2.—Saturday evening was the twenty-fifth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. James Moffatt. They were delightfully surprised during the evening by the arrival of a large number of their friends at their handsome home on Church street.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. W. J. Moran gave a large afternoon tea at Rose cottage for her sister Miss Darling of Toronto. The hostess was looking much improved in health and was assisted by Miss Moffatt and Miss Brown in serving her guests.

Miss Dawson and Miss Wright of Sackville spent Sunday with Miss Helen Phipps.

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Night Calls. are not pleasant calls, but should you require a druggist any hour of the night, my NIGHT DISPENSER can be found at 6 Germain Street, REMEMBER THE STORE, ALLAN'S PHARMACY, 35 King Street.

Church on Sunday in the absence of the pastor Mr. Harris who was in Boston attending the funeral of his brother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mowat of Oxford spent Thanksgiving with Rev. Mr. and Mrs. McGeorge, Rupert street.

Among those who went to Moncton last Wednesday to attend the Albert concert, were Mr. and Mrs. T. Logan, J. Misdley, Townsend, Mrs. Jones, Dickey, Miss Laura Johnston, Miss Purdy, Miss Main, Miss Christie, Miss May Christie, Dr. McQueen, Mr. R. A. Borden, Mr. F. W. B. Moore, Mr. Chesley, and Mr. C. C. Black. They returned delightfully with the result of their journey.

Mrs. C. T. Hillson spent Thanksgiving with her friends in Moncton.

Mrs. H. Forest of Sackville was the guest of her mother Mrs. Richard Lowerson the first of the week.

Miss Evelyn Giffins of Kentville is paying a visit to her friends Miss Miss Tighe, Willowdale, she is being warmly welcomed by her many friends made during previous visits.

Miss Annie Hickman went to Boston on Saturday for a short visit to her aunt Miss Blackthorn.

Miss Nellie Chapman has been paying a visit to her uncle, Mr. Allan Chapman and Mrs. Chapman in Dorchester.

On Friday evening Mr. Bert McLeod entertained the whist club at his home on Church street. A few of his friends who are not members of the club were also present and a very pleasant evening was enjoyed. The prizes were taken by Miss Bessie Sutcliffe and Mr. Wyde.

Mr. Howard Moffatt of St. John was here over Sunday the guest of his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Moffatt.

It is my duty to report the death of Mr. Geo. Miles, Hillcoat, N. H., has been ill for quite a time and died on Wednesday evening at his home on Victoria street. The funeral which took place on Friday afternoon in Christ church was conducted by the pastor Rev. A. E. Harris assisted by Rev. Cecil Wiggins of Sackville. The pall bearers were Mr. J. A. Dickey, Mr. E. J. Logan, Mr. A. W. Whitshire, Mr. Jas. Phillips, Mr. R. C. Fuller, a number of beautiful floral tributes were on the casket. The sad procession marched to the final repose of the A. M. band and the members of Ivy Lodge I. O. O. F. of which he was a member came next. The deceased was one of our most highly respected citizens and was the brother of Mr. H. A. Hillcoat, and Mr. Hendry Hillcoat. Much sympathy is expressed for his widow and family in their deep grief.

NEW GLASGOW. PROGRAMME for sale at A. O. Fitchard and H. H. Henderson.

Dec. 2.—The concert in aid of the "Aberdeen" hospital, in James church hall on Thanksgiving evening had a large and appreciative audience. The stage was beautifully decorated with potted plants, flowers and ferns. The following programme was rendered:

Orchestra, overture, Heyday, Miss Chisholm, Messrs. J. B. Anderson, S. Gordon, C. McNeill, and G. McKay. Quartet, Misses Oding and Blanchard, Messrs. P. Stewart and S. Stewart.

Piano solo, Mrs. James Primrose, Victoria. Faure. Solo, Sancta Maria, Miss Joan Oding. Reading, The Tay Bridge. Solo, Song Oh! Waltz Song, Luigi Denza. Piano solo, (A) Musical Procession, Greg Schumann. (B) Soaring, Mrs. Primrose.

Quartette, Selected, F. Clay. Solo, Sands of Dee, Miss Primrose. Orchestra Selection (Bohemian Girl).

The concert in the Methodist church on the same evening was a brilliant success. Miss Hyattman sang here also and received a hearty encore, the others who took part were Mr. Wright and Miss Millie, piano duet; Miss Jessie Wynnes Fraser, vocal solo; Miss Lockhart, recitation; Miss Chisholm and Mr. Wright, piano duet; Mr. N. W. Mason, reading; Rev. Mr. Nicholson gave an interesting account of a "visit to Chistown, San Francisco. After the programme cake and coffee were served by the ladies of the church.

Mr. J. E. McDonald has resigned his position in St. Andrews choir.

Miss Fanny Fraser and nephew, Fred, have gone to Marysville, N. B. to spend the winter. A complimentary dinner was given to Mr. J. Leslie Jenkinson L. B. at the Norfolk hotel on Monday evening. Mr. Jenkinson leaves on Tuesday morning for Halifax, where he is to be the principal in an interesting event, the bride is Miss Desbarres granddaughter of the late Mr. Justice Desbarres of the Supreme court of Nova Scotia. The usual toasts for such an occasion were proposed and responded to. The following were among the number: Those of present. Mr. George Patterson, chairman, Mr. J. Fred McDonald, vice, Messrs J. L. Jenkinson, J. D. McGeorge, H. C. Wright, M. H. Layton, James F. McLean, J. Howard, J. Underwood, J. McMillan, T. Cantly, W. D. Ross, G. B. Layton, F. C. Connor, S. J. Howe, B. Deyber, Graham Fraser, Dr. Kennedy, D. Grant, A. M. Fraser, E. Graham, A. O. Pritchard, S. A. Fraser, W. Sillies, W. R. McKeezie, D. R. Grant, H. K. Fitzpatrick, J. R. Munro, A. F. Douglas, Dr. J. W. McKay, J. W. Fraser.

An interesting and enjoyable entertainment was given by the members of the Y. M. C. A. Physical Drill class in Gymnasium hall on Monday evening, the horizontal bar swing, trick rings, club swinging were all very well done, the acting of Master Tom McDonald was especially good, also that of R. Chambers and LeLachere, the torch swinging was excellent, the electric lights were turned off, and the lighted torches presented a dazzling and beautiful effect. There were also some musical selections, a harmonica trio with banjo and piano accompaniment, banjo solo by W. McKay, solo by Jack Grant. The "Citizens band" under the leadership of Mr. J. R. Anderson were out on Thanksgiving day, and rendered some choice music.

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FARRBORO. PROGRAMME for sale at Farrboro book store.

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ANTAGONISE. [Progress] is for sale at Antigonish at I. R. M. Ellreith & Co's Drug store. Dec. 2.—Misses George and Belle McCurdy went to Baddeck on Thursday to spend a few weeks. Mr. and Mrs. John Condon, New Glasgow, spent Thanksgiving in town the guests of Mrs. Wall. Mr. D. G. Kirk left on Thursday for Montreal. The "Old maid" certainly should be very proud of the successful dance which they gave on Friday evening last in Macdonald's hall. Never has the hall been the scene of such a delightful party in every way. The decorations far surpassed anything of the kind ever attempted before. The music furnished by Murray Bros. of Sackville, could not have been improved on, the floor was splendid, the gentlemen looked charming, and the ladies looked after them in a right royal manner. The affair was "Leap Year" throughout and there were very few wall flowers. The chaperons, Mr. Sears and Mrs. Sears, were very charming hostesses. Below is a partial list of the dresses: Mrs. Sears, black silk, corset trimmings. Mrs. A. MacGillivray, black silk, yellow trimmings. Mrs. Gray, black silk with red ribbons. Miss Floyd, pink cashmere with ostrich feather trimmings. Miss F. Chisholm, blue silk. Miss M. Healy, old rose cashmere. Miss Babbie, cream and blue. Miss MacDonald, wore black. Miss Ward, black and cream. Miss Cunningham, green crepon. Miss A. O'Brien, yellow silk. Miss MacDonald, cream crepon with red flowers. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Harris spent Thanksgiving in Halifax. Mrs. McSweney, Truro, was the guest of Judge and Mrs. MacIsaac a few days last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Henry came to Antigonish on Monday. They intend making there home here for a time. Mr. Tremaine who has been here for the past few months left on Tuesday for a short visit to Halifax and Truro. Mrs. E. A. Bower left on Tuesday for her home in Wolfville. Mrs. J. F. MacDonald, New Glasgow, was in town last week for a few days. Miss A. O'Brien, yellow silk, is visiting her sister Mrs. Bisset who is very ill. TRURO. PROGRAMME for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fallon and D. H. Smith & Co. Dec. 2.—Mr. P. E. Hederman entertained a large number of little people last Thursday afternoon from four to seven, the occasion being a birthday anniversary of her little daughter Miss Rena Frances Hederman. The first social event of any interest that has been on the tapis for some time will be the large party at Mrs. Geo. McLeod's, Bible Hill, which is "on" for tomorrow, Thursday evening. Mr. Jack Dently was home from Dalhousie, Halifax, for Thanksgiving, remaining until Monday, when he returned to the city. There was a small dance at the "Cedars" last Thursday evening in honor of Miss McMillan's guests, Miss May Lewis and Miss Moore, who were here from Sackville spending the short Thanksgiving recess at the "Cedars." Mrs. Annie McDonald is in Moncton visiting her relatives at the American. Miss Madge Donkin is visiting Halifax friends. Mr. A. V. Smith paid a short visit to home friends in Sackville last week. Miss Sabel Taylor, Halifax, is visiting her friend Miss Mabel Bates. Mr. A. B. Black and his bride arrived home Monday night. PS. SALISBURY. Dec. 1.—Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pries attended the Albert concert at Moncton last week. Miss Aggie Wilnot spent a few days in Moncton last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. Bulmer and Master Frank McMurray were in Amherst the early part of last week. Miss Curry of Windsor was the guest of Mrs. McMurray on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barnes were in Moncton on Monday. Master Harry Bowers of Dorchester visited friends last week. We are glad to know that Miss Belle Wilnot has recovered from an attack of rheumatism and is out again. Mr. John Patterson went to Albert county on Monday. Miss Edie McNaughton expects to leave for Boston very soon to resume her duties at private nursing. Mrs. Henry Crandall entertained a few friends Thursday evening. Miss Mabel Sherwood of Hillsboro spent the Thanksgiving holidays with her aunt, Mrs. Barnes. JAMES. GREENWICH. Dec. 1.—Miss Lucy V. Pickett, matron of the Newport hospital, made a visit to her parents the Rev. D. W. and Mrs. Fickett recently. Miss Helen Pickett is recovering from an attack of rheumatic fever. Miss Beulah Short has returned home from a visit to Boston and Providence. A number of young ladies intend holding an interesting entertainment on the 14th, consisting of a fancy sale and many other attractions. Capt. A. L. Fustman of the steamer Star returned home on Saturday for the winter. Mr. Howard Belyea of steamer Clifton has arrived home for the winter. Mrs. Geo. B. Bealey has returned home after spending several months in Minneapolis. HARBORVILLE. Dec. 2.—Mr. Edward Bellivan of Campbellton was here yesterday on a business trip. Mr. Bob McMichael is now assistant I. C. B. agent here in place of Fred Livingston transferred to Kent Junction. 715

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