

# Social Notes of the Week

## ROTHESAY

Rothsay, July 13.—Over the Red Cross tea, Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Allan Daniel and Mrs. H. W. Schofield presided. The "shop table" in charge of Mrs. John M. Robinson and Mrs. W. Malcolm Mackay, offered for sale lots of lovely things, cake, bread, buns, buttermilk in large bottles, fresh picked strawberries, eggs, lettuce, baby shoes and other goods. Everything was quickly sold. The attendance was large. The many summer residents add much to the interest of the meetings as they are so good in coming.

The very unusual but most delightful celebration of a double golden wedding, which took place here yesterday at the summer home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAvity, was attended by about forty-five relatives of the two happy couples, brides and grooms of fifty years ago, when Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAvity and Mrs. and Mrs. Edwin Stewart were married at the same service in Trinity church, St. John. Mrs. Stewart is sister of Mrs. McAvity, so that yesterday's gathering included only the immediate relatives of the principals in whose honor they met. It was indeed a happy and unique function. Both brides and grooms are in good health and hosts they will join the family in celebrating their many more happy returns of the day.

Mrs. Charles Taylor is receiving a warm welcome back to Rothsay, she having arrived from New York on Wednesday.

Just for a short visit of two days, Monday and Tuesday this week, J. Arnold Gibson, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Gibson of Riverview, was home from Toronto. He is a member of the 6th Field Artillery which is at present located at Toronto. Mr. Gibson is one of our Rothsay parish soldiers of whom we are all so proud.

The marriage of Miss Emma Arnold Turnbull and Mr. Haines, which is to take place in St. Paul's church on Wednesday afternoon next, July 19th, at half past four o'clock, is interesting in that the bride is the daughter of the best of good wishes, Mr. Haines expects soon to go overseas on active service for king and country.

For the last week-end Miss Edith Patterson of St. John, was guest of Miss Mary Barnes at Red Cross garden, to be held at "The Willows," the charming residence of Senator Donville and family on Wednesday, July 13th, going steadily on, those in charge of the different booths all working hard. On Monday evening the tea committee met at the home of perfect their plans, when there were present Mrs. MacKay, Mrs. D. A. Pugsley, Miss Allison, Mrs. W. A. Harrison, Miss Alice Davidson, Mrs. Daniel, Mrs. Harry Gilbert, Miss Kate Feys, Mrs. J. J. McInyre and others. On account of Mrs. J. H. Henderson's illness from measles she was unable to attend.

Miss Annie Armstrong is greatly enjoying a visit to Halifax with her aunt and cousin, Mrs. M. A. Curry and Miss Beale Currie.

For a week Miss Helen Wilson of St. John is here visiting Miss Mary Armstrong.

Mrs. George Schofield, of St. John, spent Tuesday with Mrs. C. B. Allan at the Kennedy House.

Mr. W. G. Pugsley is here for a few days' visit to his wife and little son, who are in the hospital.

Ladies in charge of this week's tennis tea are Mrs. H. B. Robinson, Miss L. Robinson, Misses Gilbert and Miss Schofield.

The Misses Gertrude and Eleanor Fleming, of St. John were guests of the Misses McArthur, Riverside, over the last week-end.

Dr. W. F. Ganong, of Northampton, is in Rothsay this week visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. and Miss Ganong at "Netherwood."

This afternoon Mrs. Walter Gilbert entertained at her new bungalow in the park. There were five tables of cards and prizes being won by Mrs. J. M. Robinson, who captured the first and Mrs. Cudlip the consolation. The players were Mrs. W. M. MacKay, Mrs. William Pugsley, Mrs. W. G. Pugsley, Mrs. P. E. S. Porter, Mrs. Frank Fairweather, Mrs. Horace Porter, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Kenneth Forbes, Miss Clara Schofield, Mrs. Simeon Jones, Mrs. Daniel Mullin, Mrs. George W. Fowler, Miss Puddington, Mrs. John M. Robinson, Mrs. J. Bright Cudlip, Mrs. Harold Payson, Mrs. Thomas Bell, Mrs. J. R. Miller, Mrs. R. Downing Patterson, Mrs. Paul Blanchard and others. Mrs. Harry Gilbert presided at the table and Miss Jean Daniel, Miss Dorothy Purdy, Miss Mary de Forest, Miss Kit Schofield and Miss Florence Gilbert served. Mrs. D. A. Pugsley and Mrs. Harold Ellis came in at the last hour.

Success still attends the efforts of their weekly tea held on the verandah of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Matthew's cottage on Saturday afternoons from 4 to 6 o'clock are very popular. Last week Mrs. Ralph Harrison and Miss Harrison were in charge.

Mrs. W. Malcolm MacKay was on

support of a soldier who is a prisoner of war in Germany. An entertainment was thought of but this way of raising the necessary amount was tried first and Fair Vale responded generously as usual; in only two instances were the collectors refused.

Mrs. Haring, of Philadelphia, who is visiting Mrs. Boston at Fair Vale, delighted all at the Red Cross meeting with splendidly given recitations. A cable received from Arthur N. Carter, from England, on Wednesday,

simply said he was "safe and resting." He has been through the recent heavy fighting at the front and his being in Kent, England, may mean wounds. His many friends are hoping for good news. The young soldier is son of Elizabeth and Rachel Florence Puddington, Helen and Alice McKean, expected to hold a little tea and pantry sale on Mr. Armstrong's lawn next Thursday afternoon for patriotic purposes.

## GRAND BAY

Grand Bay, July 14.—Miss Ethel Melick and Miss Muriel Melick are spending this week in Hampton, where they will be the guests of Miss Maud McAvity.

Miss Aurelia McBride of Westmount, Montreal, is at present time the guest of Miss Hazel Dunlap.

Miss Minnie Simpson and friend, Miss Evelyn Cummings, of Cambridge, Mass., are spending two weeks here, guests of Miss Simpson's mother, Mrs. B. Simpson.

Mrs. James Collins of the city was the week-end guest of Mrs. Chas. Patterson.

Mrs. Harrison and Miss Bessie Harrison of the city spent this week here, guests of Mrs. Stanley Harrison. Mrs. C. E. Jarvis and Mrs. Hall were also Mrs. Harrison's guests one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Brown and children were the guests of Mrs. A. E. Baxter over the week-end.

Miss Violet Lemon and Miss Waring of the city are at present time guests of Miss Edith Hamm.

Mr. H. Arrowsmith entertained a number of the little folks on Wednesday afternoon last in honor of the birthday of her young son Douglas.

Mrs. C. E. Belyea returned this week from a trip to Campbell.

Mrs. W. Small and children are visiting in Sussex at present.

Mrs. Chas. Patterson is spending a few days in Hilldale this week.

term was made at the new Catholic cemetery.

The funeral of Miss Nellie D. Dalzell took place yesterday afternoon to Fernhill cemetery. Services were conducted by Rev. F. H. Wentworth.

The funeral of Mrs. Susan Owens, Fredericton, took place yesterday morning, leaving the house at 8.45 o'clock. Rev. M. T. Murphy, of St. Marys celebrated High Mass at Requiem in St. Dunstan's church at 9 o'clock. Interment was made at Hermitage. Among the floral tributes was one from Messrs. J. & M. Murphy, of Halifax. A son of the deceased, Louis M. Owens, of St. John, is one of their representatives in New Brunswick.

## SUMMER HEAT HARD ON BABY.

No season of the year is so dangerous to the life of little ones as is the summer. The excessive heat throws the little stomach out of order so quickly that unless prompt aid is at hand the baby may be beyond all human help before the mother realizes he is ill. Summer is the season when diarrhoea, cholera infantum, dysentery and colic are most prevalent. Any one of these troubles may prove deadly if not promptly treated. During the summer the mother's best friend is Baby's Own Tablets. They regulate the bowels, sweeten the stomach and keep baby healthy. The Tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

## MME. WALSKA, OPERA SINGER, IS METRO PLAYER.

Mme. Ganna Walska, the Polish grand-opera singer, who recently left her singing voice, has arranged to appear in motion pictures while she is undergoing treatment with a throat specialist. Immediately upon presenting herself at the Metro-Rolle studio, Grand Central, where the Metropolitan High Mass was celebrated by Rev. Miles P. Howland, Rev. Wm. M. Duke, deacon, and Rev. H. L. Belliveau, sub-deacon. His Lordship Right Rev. E. A. LeBlanc gave the final absolution. Relatives acted as pall-bearers and in-

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## Mid-Summer Clearance Sale

### Women's Ready-to-Wear

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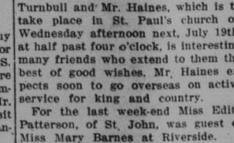
Great Bargains in Summer Coats, Suits and Dresses

Exceptionally smart garments among those to be cleared. Racks must be emptied to prepare for another season. Come early for choice of sizes.

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## Shattered Nerves

How utterly weak and helpless one becomes when the nerves give way. Nervousness, irritability and depression are the result of a burdened system. But there is Dr. Chase's Nerve Food to rebuild the nervous system, to restore the vitality of your bodily organs and change depression into new vigor and energy. Try it—today. It is the best, at all dealers.



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Miss Lily Kimball arrived home from Bangor on Saturday last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Griffith Bishop have returned from a pleasant visit to Prince Edward Island.

Mrs. J. D. Hasen, accompanied by her daughter, Miss Alice Hasen, left on Tuesday for Andover where they will be guests of Mrs. Hasen's mother, Mrs. Tibbits, for a few days.

Mrs. J. W. McKean and son, Master Douglas McKean, left on Thursday for Shediac where they will spend a couple of weeks, guests at the Weldon House.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Thomson leave this evening on a trip to the White Mountains. Master Eric Thomson and chauffeur left last evening by auto for Boston, where Mr. and Mrs. Thomson will join them.

Mrs. Maurice P. White, children and maid, and Mrs. T. Scott Ryder, left on Monday for Yough, where they will spend a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Foster, who have been on a visit for ten days up north, are expected home today.

Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Crockett entertained on board their motor yacht Meredith last week-end, in honor of Mrs. Ball. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Vermer McLellan and Major Laurie.

Miss Maude McLean, who has been the guest of her niece, Mrs. H. N. Stinson, Mt. Pleasant, left on Wednesday evening for Fredericton on a short visit with Miss Ball. Upon her return to St. John she will be the guest of Mrs. J. J. Fenwick Fraser, Horsfield street.

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The beautiful weather of the past week has added materially to the citizens whose interest centres in the several children's playgrounds, which are now in full swing for the summer holidays. The principle of training and clean sport for these little ones is greatly to be encouraged and it is hoped that many will avail themselves of the opportunity to visit the grounds and by their co-operation help in this very worthy object.

Fifty years ago, July 12th, 1866, marriage bells rang forth merrily at six o'clock in the morning for the double wedding which was solemnized by Rev. William Armstrong and the Rev. Mr. McNair, before a large number of invited guests in Trinity church, of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAvity and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin N. S. Stewart. The brides, who looked charming in their handsome white silk wedding gowns, with flowing bridal veils, carried bouquets of roses and were attended by the now Mrs. A. O. Skinner, Mrs. Mellick (Boston), and Mrs. Fairweather (California), dressed in prettily befringed white dresses with tulle veils, carrying bouquets in handsome silver bouquet holders, the gifts from the grooms.

The groomsmen were Mr. Henry Mellick, Mr. John Sadall, Mr. David Stewart and Mr. Charles Kerr. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party held a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAvity, Sr., where a delicious breakfast was served, after which Mr. and Mrs. McAvity and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart left on a wedding trip. Thursday evening, July 12th, 1916, a merry party of immediate relatives met at the summer residence of Mr. Thomas McAvity to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary and do honor to these popular brides and grooms, to whom time has dealt so lovingly, surrounded by their children and grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. McAvity have three children, Mrs. Frank Fairweather, Mr. Harry McAvity and Mrs. Horace Porter. Mr. and Mrs. Stewart have five children, Frederick Stanley Stewart, George Howard Stewart, Mrs. J. H. Evans, Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton and Miss Norah Stewart.

After the guests had assembled at served on the lawn. The table decorations were most artistically carried out, the color scheme being white and yellow, pretty cake baskets being returned with roses. A large bridal cake occupied a conspicuous place, which was cut by the brides of fifty years ago. Speeches, appropriate to the occasion were given by the brothers of the interested parties, and the health drunk with best wishes that Mr. and Mrs. McAvity and Mr. and Mrs. Stewart might be spared to celebrate their diamond anniversary. After a most delightful game of "Flowers," at which Mrs. George McAvity was the successful prize winner, afternoon tea was served and the guests returned to the city. Many very elegant gifts were received by both parties. Amongst the guests were Mr. and Mrs. George McAvity, Miss Rosamond McAvity, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton, Miss Miriam Knowlton, Mrs. Frederick Blizard, Miss Blizard, Miss Dorothy Blizard, Mrs. George Miller, Mrs. G. H. Flood, Mr. and Mrs. Hammond Evans and children, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart and children, Mrs. Frank Fairweather and Miss Lela Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Porter, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Crosby, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Skinner, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Schofield, Mrs. James McAvity, Mrs. John McKelghan, Mrs. Wm. Angus, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford McAvity, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McAvity Blizard, Mr. and Mrs. John

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