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HALIFAX NOTES.

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I did not have sufficient time to pay a visit to the Orpheus club concert last week, so I trust a short space devoted to it will not seem out of place, and I may as well begin with the first number on the long programme which was "Lentens' Festival Overture" was admirably presented and every note of it was a delight. There were several numbers of lesser importance among which were "Album leaves" and which very vividly recalled the days of ones youth when they are for beginners were the most pleasing nature, while his charming and lovely, but a rest would be quite desirable just now. It was rewarded with a fluttering encore.

Mr. Max Wells is not often heard in solos and for that reason perhaps all the more appreciated. His playing is of a most pleasing nature, while his "Berceuse" was magnificent in the delicacy of expression and style, his second number was not so much to my taste. He plays a most notes and has a most wonderful memory.

It was the chorist however that were particularly grand. I am quite sure I never heard anything better done than Mendelssohn's forty-third Psalm; the bass is exceedingly rich but the tenor is not just what one could describe. One or two voices with which we were familiar are greatly missed.

Mr. Mason McKay has a splendid tenor and his songs were counted among the good things of the evening; he is a stranger in the city but it is to be hoped he will be heard frequently.

Mrs. Taylor sang in her usual beautiful style which is saying a good deal. Mrs. Taylor never gets nervous or excited and is always to be relied upon. Some of Mr. Currie's solos were rendered in a splendid manner, but others no such flattering comment can be made; he evidently needed more practice.

Miss Lewis as a soloist is a decided success notwithstanding the fact that there were one or two undesirable little occurrences in connection with her appearance in this capacity. I am glad to say that she was not originally intended to appear as a soloist on this occasion, but owing to the fact that Miss Horner, who had practised the solo was unable to take them. Miss Lewis was selected at the eleventh hour and very kindly consented to do her best which was a very successful best indeed and it is to be hoped we will hear her very frequently now.

The Easter decorations were left in St. Luke's cathedral over last Sunday it being the octave of Easter day. At the evening service the sermon preached by the bishop was a very scholarly and eloquent affair, the special music was magnificent and included "Mauder's Te Deum" "Lloyd's evening Canticles in F." The anthem of "The foe behind" was delivered in a manner that brought out the fullest measure of feeling.

The death of W. A. Maling is very deeply regretted here, and the large and imposing concourse of people which followed the remains to their last resting place testified to the esteem in which he was held by the people of Halifax. There were a very large number of old friends present, the ballroom being six past grand. The floral tributes were numerous and pretty and the services at the grave were very solemn and impressive.

The Y. M. C. A. gave an "Albion" recently which was very much enjoyed; an entertaining programme was carried out and included a piano duet by Misses Currie and Muir, recitation by Mr. McLeod, solo by Miss Hebricker, violinello, Herr E. Downing, song by Mr. George Brook, S. Crawford and J. Godfrey Smith and a reading by W. H. Hall. Lewis A. Somers and Alexandra Keith, daughter of the late George Keith, were married last week at the church of the Redeemer by Rev. T. P. Gregory. They both have many friends who will wish them most happy.

Miss Minnie Kingston of Dartmouth has gone to Boston where she will take a course in the Memorial hospital as a trained nurse.

PARSBORO.

PROGRESS is for sale at Parsboro Book Store. APRIL 25.—A very pretty and amusing entertainment was given in St. George's school hall on Thursday evening by the children of St. George's church and some others. The shadow plays "The Course of True Love never Runs Smooth" and a boxing match created much mirth and the good night drill in which one was gone through exceedingly well in perfect time. Little Miss Theodora's recitation "The Dead Pussy Cat" was charmingly done and elicited great applause. A masked singing bee was an interesting feature of the entertainment, the winners, twenty in number, being pupils from the high school. They came on the stage in ghostly array and silently took their places and at one by one a word was mislaid and the shadow glided away there was much conjecture as to who was who, it being much more difficult than would be imagined to attach the right name to each figure. The prizes were won by the first by Miss Maud McDonald, the second by Master Andrew Murphy. Both prizes were prettily bound. At the conclusion of a recitation, "The Gospel," the eight little women in queer bonnets and long frocks sold bags of home made candies to the audience.

Miss Nellie Kelly is at the Grand Central and is to read in St. George's hall on Thursday evening.

Mr. Geo. McKean, of St. John, spent Sunday at the Mines.

Mr. J. A. Johnson, of Halifax, with his three boys came up to spend the Easter holidays with friends.

Mr. J. S. Jackson, of Boston, and Mr. J. S. Irving, Toronto, were at the Mines last week.

Mr. J. A. Johnson went to Wolfville on Saturday.

Miss Hattie Hatfield has returned from a visit to Springhill.

Miss Gertrude Kerr, of Port Greville, spent Sunday here the guest of Mrs. D. M. Pettit.

Miss Bessie York leaves tomorrow for a visit to Boston.

Mrs. Whidden has returned home to Antigonish. Mrs. Carroll, of St. John, has opened a millinery establishment in the post office block.

Mrs. Gibbons went to St. John on Saturday.

BRIDGEWATER.

APRIL 23.—Miss Norah Beardsley has returned from a visit to Yarmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wade have returned from a short visit to Halifax.

Miss Jessie Treffy spent her Easter holidays in town.

Miss Carrie Raymond, of Yarmouth, is visiting Mrs. R. Treffy.

Mrs. Frank Craig, of Halifax, is visiting her cousin Miss Mary Craig.

The wedding of Mr. George W. Godard and Miss Bessie Miller, both of this town, is to take place a half past seven to morning morning at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Joseph Miller. The happy couple will then take a short trip to New York and Philadelphia, and on their return will reside with Mr. Godard's parents.

Mr. James A. McKean spent a few days in Halifax last week.

Miss Gertrude Beth, who has been visiting Mrs. C. D. Beth, 17 Waterloo St.

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A. Foster, has returned to her home in Bridgetown.

Miss Nan Taylor entertained a few of her friends on Thursday last. I hear that they all had a pleasant time.

Rev. F. C. Simpson has gone to Halifax for a few days.

The many friends of Mr. Ken. Freeman are glad to see him out again, after being confined to the house for some weeks.

The service of the church of England held a sale of fancy goods and refreshments on Easter Tuesday. Quite a number attended and we hear that the church is quite a sum of money.

Mrs. Henry Brown spent a few days at North Brookside last week.

NEW GLASGOW.

(PROGRESS is for sale in New Glasgow by A. O. Fitch and J. H. Henderson.)

APRIL 21.—Mr. Alister Matheson, of Tatamouche, was in town for a few days last week, previous to his leaving for Montreal.

Mrs. W. S. F. is left on Thursday for St. John, after spending a week at her home, West Side.

On Thursday evening a concert was given under the auspices of the "Ministers' Aid Society" in connection with St. James congregation. The various numbers were exceedingly well rendered and met with repeated encores. The performers were:

Miss M. Barclay, Miss McKenzie, Pictou, Miss McDonald, Miss Mima McKay, Miss Rose; Messrs. J. Fisher Grant, R. Stewart, H. B. Redpath, E. McDougal and R. C. Wright.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker entertained a few friends Thursday evening, in honor of their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell and Miss Garvie of Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Fraser spent a few days in Halifax last week.

Miss Cochran was called to her home in Truro last week, by the death of her mother.

Rev. Mr. Mahan, of Charlottetown, officiated in St. James' church Sunday evening, while in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Ridd and family, left on Friday for their future home in New Brunswick.

A large number attended the stereoscopic exhibition in United Church Monday evening, the views of the city were very interesting.

Miss McKivzie and Miss McDonald, of Pictou, have returned home after spending a week in town.

The guests of Rev. and Mrs. James Carruthers, Miss Michael Paton, of Oxford, is the guest of her sister, Mr. Davidson.

A social is advertised for Friday evening to be given by the Y. P. S. E. of St. James congregation. A good programme is being arranged and a pleasant evening anticipated.

Mrs. Peter Morley left on Tuesday for her home in Truro.

Mr. and Mrs. Moore of Chicago spent a few days in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Walker for the past week have returned home.

Rev. Mr. DeBorja spent Sunday in Truro. WILLIE.

WINDSOR.

(PROGRESS is for sale in Windsor at Knowles' Bookstore and by F. H. Dalziel.)

APRIL 24.—The Choral society gave the second concert of the season in the Reform club hall on Tuesday evening to a small audience. It is hard to realize that such artistic work as the society can do is only done in the Reform club hall.

It is not appreciated by the Herr Karl Doer, daughter of the late George Keith, who was married last week at the church of the Redeemer by Rev. T. P. Gregory. They both have many friends who will wish them most happy.

Miss Minnie Kingston of Dartmouth has gone to Boston where she will take a course in the Memorial hospital as a trained nurse.

Mrs. Drysdale of Everett, Mass. is in town.

Dr. Haley has returned from his trip to New York.

Mrs. C. A. Armstrong of Truro is the guest of her mother, Mrs. H. W. Dimock, Ring street.

Miss Marjorie, of Hantsport, is in town, the guest of her friend Miss Stands, Chestnut street.

Mrs. Manning of Halifax, was in town yesterday attending the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Bars, who died lately in Maiden, Mass.

Mrs. Andrew King is in town visiting her mother Mrs. Wm. Roach.

Miss Strathairn of Newfoundland, is the guest of Mrs. R. H. Trapnell.

Capt. Thos. Aylward has returned from New York.

Mrs. E. M. Fulton, of Truro, was in town over Sunday.

Mrs. James Doydale has returned from her visit to Tatamouche.

Mr. Strathairn, of Dalhousie college, is in town. He preached in the Presbyterian church on Sunday evening.

Rev. Mr. Dickie supplied the Baptist pulpit for the Rev. Mr. McGivern, who has been quite ill.

Miss Shears, who has been visiting Mrs. J. C. Farve, has gone to Boston.

Mrs. E. S. Archibald and Miss Archibald, of Moncton, N. B. were in town on Thursday. Miss Archibald is attending the Church school for girls.

Mrs. Russell and Miss Garvie have returned from New Glasgow where they spent their week.

Miss Nora Shaw, of Acadia seminary, Wolfville, was home over Sunday.

Mrs. May Coffin is in town visiting friends.

Mrs. O'Brien and Miss daughter Alice went to New York on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. A. and Mrs. Norman McDermott returned on Saturday from New York where they were spending several months.

Mrs. E. V. Kent, of Truro, is this week the guest of her sister Mrs. Stewart, "The Maine."

Miss Annie Pratt who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Wilcox returned to her home in Wolfville last week.

Mrs. W. M. Christie is visiting friends in Halifax.

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The many friends of Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Townsend

another, welcome her back in Amherst again; she is staying at the Terrace for the present.

What might be termed a surprise wedding to Amherst, at least came off on Tuesday evening last at Christ church. The bride was Miss Fannie Crane, of Waltham, a charming young lady who has a host of friends in town and Dr. C. W. Biles was the fortunate groom. The ceremony was performed by Rev. V. E. Harris, in the presence of a very large number of the bride and groom.

SHEDIAK.

(PROGRESS is for sale in Shediac by Fred Inglis.)

APRIL 24.—The many friends of the Rev. Mr. Baiderson, pastor of the Methodist church, are much pleased to hear of his recovery from a very severe attack of grippe.

Under the auspices of the Methodist choir, a missionary concert was held last week. The programme was exceedingly interesting, and each number well rendered. The feature of the evening's entertainment were the solos rendered by Miss Ted Deacon, of Ladies' college, Sackville.

Invitations are out for a large party to be given by Miss Belle Johnson, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Duncan Harper entertained a number of her friends at a dancing party last Friday evening. A very enjoyable time was spent; the guests found nothing lacking in the line of amusements. Dancing and what were enjoyed with vigor till midnight when a most delicious luncheon was served.

At the party were the Misses Evans, Miss Johnson, Miss Edgar, Miss Helen Harper, Miss Jessie McDonald, Miss Florence White, Miss Annie Webster, Messrs. Webster, Harper, Jordan, White, McDonald, Belliveau, Bell, Sprague and Russell.

DIGBY.

(PROGRESS is for sale in Digby by Mrs. Morse.)

APRIL 23.—Mrs. J. B. Watson is visiting in St. John, the guest of Mrs. J. K. Kaye.

Mr. E. Kaye, of St. John, spent a few days in Digby last week.

Miss Agatha Stewart returned Saturday from New Brunswick, where she spent the winter with her aunt Mrs. Johnson.

Friends will be sorry to hear that Miss J. E. Wright is experiencing eye trouble, and in consequence will be obliged to give up her millinery business.

Miss Helen Browne returned to Halifax, where she is attending Convent school.

Mr. Sidney Wood is to be congratulated on securing the contract for putting in the water supply for the town. There were not a few applications.

Miss Belle Clark, of Bear River, is visiting Miss Annie Short.

Mr. Joseph the new lessee of the "Myrtle House," is hard at work getting the house in order for a vast number of guests, that have already engaged rooms.

The play, "Emeralda" given in the Baptist hall Thursday last was a decided success. Mr. J. H. Watson in the title role took her part perfectly.

Miss Florence Johnson has already established a reputation as a very clever amateur. Miss Munford and Miss Jessie Stewart were particularly pleasing in their roles.

Mr. Rogers is deserving of special mention. Messrs. Lloyd Gifford, Alex. Vieux, Doug Vieux and Harry Vieux also acted their parts well. The proceeds were for the benefit of Trinity church.

Mr. H. H. Hartwood, of St. John, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. McJunkin and Mr. Herbert Journeay, of Weymouth, spent Sunday in town.

TRURO.

(PROGRESS is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fulton, and D. H. Smith & Co.)

APRIL 24.—Mr. Barnes, of New York, was a guest at the Prince of Wales one or two days this week.

Miss Sumner and Miss Ethel Robbins, who spent the Easter recess here, returned to Edgely on Monday last.

Master Walter Muir and Luther McDowell have also returned to their studies at Windsor.

Miss Longworth, who was spending the Easter holidays with her friend, Miss Helen McKenzie, left for Edgely on Monday last.

Mr. McKay returned today from Halifax where he was attending Dalhousie's Convocation and receiving his degree of B. L. (Bachelor of Letters).

Mr. McKay's many friends congratulate him on the result of his very creditable examinations.

Miss McKay and Miss Helen McKenzie are spending a few days with their friends.

Miss Anne C. Jones is in town, a guest of Mrs. W. S. Bligh, Dominion street. Miss Jones is en route from Amherst to her home in Windsor.

Miss Johnson, Fredericton, N. B. is in town visiting her father, W. L. Johnson Esq.

As a happy conclusion to their juvenile class, the misses Montague, gave an "At Home," in their honor last Thursday evening, which was a great success.

Mrs. McGreggor, paid a short visit to Halifax on Wednesday.

Mrs. Geo. Davis and daughter, Miss Emma Davis left on Tuesday to pay a visit to St. John.

Miss Crane, in the guest of her sister Mrs. Tremaine, Lavalock street.

Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Black, who have been visiting their many friends in town, returned to their home in Ohio on Monday.

Mrs. W. D. Main, has returned home from a short trip to Longford.

Miss Cheley, returned to her home in Lunenburg on Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Curry, returned last week from a very pleasant trip to Boston.

Miss White, who has been visiting Mrs. D. W. Douglas, returned to her home in Shediac on Friday.

The very pleasant party given by Mrs. Jondrey on Thursday evening at her home on Sappanache street, for her daughter, Miss Annie Jondrey and Miss Emma Davis was a most enjoyable event.

Among the many guests present were Messrs. Jones, Parry, Tighe, McFarlane, Bidden, Rachel and May Love, Maud Love, Helen Florence Hewson, Bessie Sutcliffe, Lena Wang, Winnie and May Campbell, Mabel Pugsley, Alice Macdonald, Miss McKinnon, Messrs. Rob and Stanley Love, Victor Curry, Reggie Harris, Roy Morse, Geo. Fearaby, Douglas Boyd, Moore, McLeod, Ben Fowler, Harry Biddle, Boyd, Moore, and the Messrs. Maxwell, Mrs. Jondrey was assisted in serving lunch by Mrs. Davis and Mrs. A. Moffat.

Mrs. A. McKean returned home last Wednesday evening from a very pleasant trip to Boston.

Much sympathy is felt for Miss Carrie Ford in the death of her father, Mr. A. Ford, at Milton, Queens County, which occurred very suddenly on Sunday morning. Miss Ford left for her home on Monday.

The Misses O'Leary, of Oxford, spent Wednesday in town.

A number of young ladies and gentlemen went to the Joggins on Monday, to assist at a concert in aid of the episcopal church at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pipe returned from their wedding trip to Halifax on Tuesday evening.

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success, which reflected great credit on the

Misses Montague, and exhibiting much care and skill in instruction. Those present were: The Misses Tracie Cummings, Minnie Snook, Mamie Snook, Gertrude Donkin, Mollie McIntosh, Mollie Smith, Josie Somerville, Fannie Prince, Maggie McDonald, Lou Thomson, Messrs. Walter Muir, Harry Donkin, Jamie McRobert, Dumas Smith, Harry Harding, Sydney Crowe, George Ambrose, Willie Butchart, Jack Donkin, Charlie McLennan.

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