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ST. ANDREWS.

St. Andrews, April 25.—The oyster supper which Mr. T. A. Hartt gave in Masonic Hall on Thursday evening last to the members of the Masonic Lodge, was a very enjoyable affair, Mr. Hartt proving a most genial and entertaining host.

Another delightful entertainment on Thursday evening was that given by Judge M. N. Cockburn and Mrs. Cockburn at their beautiful home, to the members of the teaching staff of the schools. Miss Edith Conben added much to the pleasures of the evening by several well rendered solos, while little Miss Kathleen Cockburn gave some choice recitations.

Captain Lowery has returned to New York where he will rejoin his vessel.

Mrs. G. Durell Grimmer with her son, Frank, spent a few days very pleasantly in St. Stephen last week.

Mrs. W. W. Hawthorne was a guest recently of her sister, Mrs. D. Arnold, Calais (Me.)

Miss McFarlane and Miss Flewelling, who spent the Easter holidays in Fredericton, have returned.

Mr. Sherwood, principal of the grammar school, who was at his home in Sussex for the Eastertide, arrived in time for the opening of the schools.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Stickney went up to St. Stephen on Monday.

Miss May Morris, Miss Alice Grimmer and Miss Miriam Mowatt were in St. Stephen last week attending the wedding of Miss Bremner Ross, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Robert K. Ross ,to Mr. William Henry Townsend Spinney, of Yarmouth (N. S.) Miss Ross has been a frequent visitor to St. Andrews and has won many friends by her bright and happy disposition,who wish her every happiness for the future. After an extended wedding trip to different Canadian and American cities, Mr. and Mrs. Spinney will take up their residence in Yarmouth.

Mrs. R. E. Armstrong has returned from a pleasant visit to St. John.

Mr. James McKinney has been a recent guest of his daughter, Mrs. T. D. McCracken.

Miss Bertha Toal has been visiting her cousin, Miss Villa Toal, at Rolling Dam.

Mr. Edward Bonness, of St. Stephen, paid a brief visit to St. Andrews lately.

Mrs. Frank P. Barnard went to St. John on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Richardson enjoyed a visit from their son, Mr. Percy Richardson, of Livermore Falls, (Me.), recently.

Mrs. Harold Stickney entertained the ladies guild most pleasantly at her home on Friday afternoon and from 4 until 6 o'clock a delicious tea was served.

Mr. Gus Rigby came from Boston last week and will probably remain home during the summer.

Judge M. N. Cockburn returned from St. John last week.

Mr. Orville McQuoid has returned to the St. John Business College since Easter vacation.

Mrs. Richard Keay went up to St. Stephen on Monday's boat.

Mrs. Treadwell and Miss Bartsch, who were spending the Easter season in New York with Mr. Treadwell previous to leaving for their home in Oakland, California, started on Saturday. They were accompanied by Mr. Treadwell, who decided on account of the terrific earthquake disaster to return home with them. They will not make it the pleasure trip they anticipated but will go direct to California.

Mrs. E. Murphy is in town visiting her mother, Mrs. John Burton, who has been so seriously ill but who is now slightly improved in health.

Mr. Angus Rigby paid a recent visit to Woodstock.

Mr. John Campbell, who was spending Easter in town, has returned to Moncton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McColl have again opened their beautiful St. Andrews residence and have been entertaining a delightful house party.

Mr. E. A. Smith, of St. John, paid a brief visit to St. Andrews recently.

At Easter time the ladies' guild, of All Saints' church, presented Mrs. Harold Stickney, who is their enthusiastic president, with a beautiful silver dish.

Captain Frank Ingersoll, who was in town for a short time, has returned to Grand Manan.

CHATHAM.

Chatham, April 24.—Mr. and Mrs. James Edgett and little daughter, who have been visiting Fredericton, have returned home.

Mr. Wallace Bishop, of Fredericton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Edgett.

Miss Minnie Harquail, of Campbellton, is the guest of Miss Lottie Crippe.

Miss Grace Henderson, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned to Dalhousie.

Miss Beatrice Flaherty of Renous spent last week with friends here.

Mrs. Harris, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jarvis for some weeks, has returned to her home in Moncton.

Mrs. C. A. C. Bruce and Miss Belle Hutchinson have returned from a visit to St. John.

Mr. Thomas Perley, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Dudley Perley, has returned to Sackville.

Mrs. Hugh Marquis and her daughter, Mrs. George Dickson, have returned from a visit to relatives in Campbellton.

Mrs. L. J. Tweedie and Mrs. Ernest Hutchinson are visiting friends in Boston and New York.

Mr. MacLynch went to Memramcook Thursday, where he will attend St. Joseph's College.

Miss Edna Manderson has returned to her home in Loggieville after a pleasant visit to Miss Burnetta Fenton.

Miss Mary Beckwith, of St. John, is spending this week with friends in town.

A large audience attended the very enjoyable concert given by Loggieville and Chatham talent in Knox church, Loggieville, Thursday evening.

Mrs. David T. Johnston, of Bathurst, is the guest of her sisters , the Misses Benson, Knapp House.

Miss Marguerite Wright has returned from St. John.

Mrs. George Flett, of Nelson, spent part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Morrison.

Miss Edith McLennan,who has been the guest of Miss Minnie McLennan, has returned to her home in Campbellton.

Miss Olive Stothart, who has been spending her vacation at home, left yesterday for Fredericton to resume her studies at the U. N. B.

Miss Sussie Kerrighan returned to St. John Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williston went to Fredericton Saturday.

Miss Alexes Dickie, who has been visiting her home at Charlo, has returned to Loggieville.

Mrs. W.Stuart Benison and little daughter, who have been spending the last ten days with her parents, Premier and Mrs. Tweedie, left this morning for her home in Bridgetown (N. S.)

Chatham,April 26—Pontifical high mass for the repose of the soul of the late Archbishop O'Brien was celebrated in the pro-Cathedral yesterday. There was a very large congregation present.

William Morris met with a very serious accident today. While making repairs in the miramichi Lumber Company's mill his foot caught in a chain by which a block was being hoisted, and was badly crushed before it could be extricated.

Fred Fowlie, of Little Branch, is in town overseeing repairs on his dredge which he expects to have ready for work as soon as the river opens.

James Miller is preparing to build a gasoline launch which he expects will run about ten miles an hour.

The Cadet Corps in connection with the 73rd Regiment which was organized here more than two years ago has been a great source of pleasure and profit to its members. The instructors, Colonel MacKenzie and Lieutenant Loggie deserve the thanks of the boys and their parents for the time and patience they have expended while conducting these healtful exercises and perhaps keeping some of members from seeking more doubtful amusements. Last night, for the first time this season, the drill, at which about fifty members were present, was on the grounds and was witnessed by many interested spectators.

WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, N. B., April 24—Mrs. L. A. Phillips, Miss Maud Raymond and Miss Lucy Phillips are enjoying a month's visit in Worcester (Mass.).

Mr. and Mrs. John McElwatne, of Caribou, were recently guests of Dr. A. H. Prescott and Mrs. Prescott.

Miss A. Marron Rankine, left on Friday's express for a visit in New York.

Mr. H. D. Burns, lately manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia in Kentville (N.S.), arrived in town on Wednesday to assume his new duties an manager of the local branch, taking the place of Mr. Adam Turner, who has resigned from the service and will leave shortly for the West.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Norman Loane returned on Thursday after an American trip covering some weeks.

Mrs. Guy B. Manzer was called to Providence (R.I.), on Thursday by the serious illness of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Wightman.

Dr. N. R. Colter, of St. John, was in town on Thursday.

Mrs. Tompkins, of Caribou, spent Easter with Dr. A. H. Prescott and Mrs. Prescott.

Mrs. R. H. Townsend and Miss Jennie Townsend left last week for Boston en route to their new home in Saskatoon.

Mrs. Theodore Murchie, of St. Stephen, was a guest in town last week.

Lt. Col. John D. Baird has sold his farm, "Willow Well," in Grafton, to Mr. DeLong, of Aroostook, and will leave early in May for Winnipeg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Day, of Lynn (Mass.), were guests of Mr. J. W. Astle last week.

Mr. James Kirkpatrick, of Debec, was a recent visitor in town.

Rev. Dr. Howard Sprague, of St. John, took the services in the Methodist church on Sunday.

Mr. W. R. Snow has returned after a trip to Boston.

Mr. J. Charlton Berrie was a visitor in St. John last week.

Dr. J. E. Jewett and Mrs. Jewett spent the Easter holidays in Penniac.

Mr. William Gertwood, of the U. N. B., Fredericton, preached in the Baptist church on Sunday.

Rev. Father Carney, of Fredericton, was the guest of Rev. F. J. McMurray during a part of last week.

Miss Laura Balmain, of East Florenceville, spent the vacation at her home in town.

The wedding of Mr. Arthur A. Shute, of Fredericton, and Miss Dora Dibblee, of Lower Woodstock, will take place tomorrow.

Rev. F. J. McMurray left yesterday for a short visit in St. John.

Mr. Robert Flemming, of the Bank of Montreal, is suffering from the effects of the explosion of an incandescent lamp near which he was working. His eye was badly injured by the splintered glass. Dr. I. N. W. Baker is treating him.

Mr. H. V. Dalling made a trip to Edmundston last week.

The bright little comedy, "Me and Otis," which was put on in the Opera House last evening in aid of St. Paul's pipe organ fund, was an unqualified success, about $100 being realized. In spite of the extremely disagreeable weather, a large and enthusiastic audience greeted the players. The cast was as follows: Otis Tewksbury, Frank Wolverton; Rosilly, his wife, Miss Eva Newcomb; Betty Tewksbury, Miss Helen Wolverton, Florence Follett, Miss Nettie Seeley, Miss Sopheonia Ruggles, Mrs. George Phillips; Madame De Merhyl-Oxygen (soloist), Mrs. George W. Gibson; Byron Thornton, Mr. R. Estey; Dick Davis, Mr. Roy White; Reginald Thomas, Mr. Eben Alexander; Sam Scullion, Mr. Godfrey Newnham.

Ven. Archdeacon Neales spent a few days of last week in St. John.

Mrs. W. J. Weaver, of Fredericton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Livingstone Dibblee.

Miss Norah Dibblee is the guest of Miss Grace Winslow, at Fredericton.

Misses Jessie and Ata Denison returned today after a visit in Boston.

Mrs. F. A. Retallick spent Sunday at his home in St. John.

Dr. G. B. Manzer will leave on Thursday for Boston, where he will take treatment for his throat.

Mr. and Mrs. George Tracey and Miss Alice Tracey, who have spent the winter in town, will return to their home in Richmond this week.

Miss Katie Baird left on Friday to resume her studies at Sackville.

Mrs. Joseph Hatheway left on Wednesday for her home in Ithaca, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Bliss, of Fredericton, are guests of Mrs. Livingstone Dibblee.

Rev. Horace E. Dibblee, of Oromocto, is a guest in town. He will assist at the Shute-Dibblee wedding tomorrow.

Miss Marguerite Harding, of Halifax, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Connell.

BORDER TOWNS

St. Stephen, N. B., April 25—Society has been rather dull during the past week,there has not even been a bridge party to break the social quiet. The ladies are too much engrossed in shopping, sewing and the spring renovation of their homes to care much for social affairs.

The lecture given by Rev. George M. Young last Friday evening in the Methodist church vestry drew a fair audience. The subject was "Naples with its Beauties and Horror," a most interesting lecture, and was greatly enjoyed by all who listened to it.

Mr. Daniels, the new manager for the Bank of Nova Scotia, arrived here on Friday last. He was accompanied by Mrs. Daniels and are registered at the Windsor.

Mr. Harvey Mitchell, of Sussex, was a recent visitor in town.

Miss Victoria Vroom has been spending a week at the Oak Bay rectory, the guest of Mrs. J. M. Millidge.

The engagement of Miss Carrie Porter Murchie, daughter of Mr. John Murchie, Calais, to Mr. Harold Campbell Purves, of St. Stephen, was announced last week and has been most pleasantly discussed by their friends, who most heartily congratulate them on their happiness.

Miss Miriam Eaton has returned from a visit of several months in Colorado with Mr. and Mrs. John Eaton and is most cordially welcomed home by her young friends.

Mrs. Fred Hill and Miss Edna Hill have returned to their home in Calais after a pleasant visit in Syracuse (N. Y.), with Mr. and Mrs. William Henry.

The St. Croix festival chorus will at an early date give a grand concert in the St. Croix Opera House, Calais. They are to be assisted by the Bostonia Sextette and some other celebrated musical stars. Much pleasure is anticipated by all who are lovers of music.

Miss Myra Frnik, who was here to attend the marriage of Miss Ross and Mr. William Spinney, has returned to her home in St. John. During her stay she was entertained by Miss Annie Bixby and Mrs. James G. Stevens.

Collector Graham has returned from a brief visit in Sussex. Mrs. Graham will remain several days longer the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Harry S. Pethick.

Mrs. C. F. Beard came from St. John for a brief visit, but was summoned to return owing to the illness of her sister, Mrs. Fredrick C. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmot Berryman expect to soon occupy the pleasant house owned by Mr. and Mrs. George F. Pinder.

Mrs. Almon I. Teed and Mrs. George Wilson returned from a visit to Boston on Saturday evening. They were accompanied by Miss Ethel Teed, who has been taking a course of nurse training at the Jordan Memorial Hospital at Plymouth (Mass.) Miss Teed's friends gave her a most cordial welcome home.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Morrell, of St. John, are in town, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. David W. Maxwell entertained a few friends with bridge last Thursday evening.

Miss Rebbecca Morrison has returned to her home in St. Andrews after a pleasant visit in town with friends.

Mr. J. Lawton Whitlock, of Harvard, is spending the Easter vacation at his home in Calais.

Miss Berna Main is the guest this week of Mrs. Edwin B. Todd. On Friday she leaves for St. Andrews to visit her aunt, Mrs. Frederick Andrews.

Miss Anna Eaton is visiting friends in Providence (R. I.)

Mrs. Harriett Washburn has returned from a pleasant visit in Boston and vicinity.

Prof. Roy Williams, of Yarmouth (N. S.) will give an organ recital in the Union street Baptist church on Thursday.He will be assisted by Mrs. D. R. Saunders, a soprano singer. A large number of tickets have been sold and much pleasure is expected.

The minstrel entertainment given last Wednesday and Thursday evenings in the St. Croix Opera House by the musical members of the Thistle Athletic Club, was one of the most amusing affairs of the kind ever given on the St. Croix. The singing was extremely good and the jokes, especially local ones, were new and witty. The Opera House was crowded both evenings and the large audience enjoyed the performance extremely.

The April term of the Washington County Supreme Judicial Court is now in session.

SACKVILLE.

Sackville, April 25—Miss Flora Estabrook returned on Tuesday from an extended visit at River Hebert (N. S.)

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Scott, of Amherst, spent Sunday in town.

Professor John Hammond, of Owens Art Department, and Mrs. Hammond will spend the summer vacation in Great Britain. They purpose leaving Sackville on May 15 and will sail from Quebec on the 19th.

Miss Jessie Siddall, of Arlington (Mass), was in town Saturday en route to her old home at Port Elgin to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Siddall.

Mr. H. V. Silliker, Middle Sackville, is recovering from a severe attack of la grippe.

Mrs. J. J. Anderson returned on Friday from a pleasant visit at Truro, where she was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. M. A. McLane.

Miss Louise Ayer, of Amherst, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. John Ayer.

Mr. Walter Hicks is suffering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Fred Ryan returned on Saturday from an extended visit in Boston.

Mrs. Amasa Dixon has returned from a pleasant visit at Halifax (N. S.)

Mr. F. A. Harrison has returned to Newark (N. J.) after a short stay in town.

Dr. Allison and Dr. Andrews paid a visit to Halifax last week.

Miss Blanche Lee, of Truro, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Fred Turner.

Mrs. Packard, of Boston, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. L. Carey.

Miss Lou Robertson, Richibucto, and Miss Edna Weatherspoon, of Granville Ferry (N. S.), will give their graduating recitals in Beethoven hall on Saturday evening; Miss Robertson, pianist, and Miss Weatherspoon, reader.

Rev. Dr. Paisley spent Sunday at Oxford (N. S.)

Rev. Dr. Andrews returned from St. John on Monday.

Mr. Chas. McKenzie was called to his old home at Rose Valley (P. E. I.) on Monday on account of the death of his mother.

Mrs. F. B. Black returned on Friday from an extended visit in Ottawa and Toronto.

Mr. Wallace R. Rodd spent Sunday at Moncton.

Miss Frances Harper is recovering from an attack of la grippe.

Miss Effie Johnson spent Sunday in Amherst.

Arthur McDougall, of Moncton, has taken a position in the Royal Bank of Sackville.

Mr. J. H. Copp, of Port Elgin, was in town on Friday last.

Mr. W. H. Harrison has returned from a pleasant visit at Bermuda.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Smith are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter.

Messrs. J. L. Black and F. B. Black returned on Saturday from a trip to Montreal.

Encampment Osceola, I. O. O. F., No. 21, elected the following officers last evening: J. F. Faulkner, chief patriarch; L. C. Carey, senior warden; W. U. Gass, high priest; J. W. Dobson, secretary; J. E. Phinney, treasurer; G. A. Keith, junior warden; C. McKenzie, O. S.; C. Siddall , I. S.; W. R. Rodd, guide; C. D. Phinney, 1st watch; B. B. Ayer, 2nd watch; C. F. Ayer, 3rd watch; W. E. Campbell, 4th watch; John Egan, 1st guard of tent; A. Rafuse, 2nd guard of tent.

Burwash Dobson, of Bayfield (N. B.), is in town.

SHEDIAC.

Shediac, N. B., April 25—Miss McSweeney, who has been spending the past winter in Shediac, the guest of Mrs. M. Casey, left for her home in Boston on Thursday. Miss McSweeney was accompanied as far as St. John by Mrs. Casey.

Mr. O. P. Wilbur was in Moncton on Wednesday.

Miss May Harper returned on Tuesday of this week from spending a few days in Moncton, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. S. Bell.

Dr. F. J. White was in Shediac during the week.

Rev. Thomas and Mrs. Hicks, of Albert, Albert Co., were in town this week, the guests of Mrs. D. S. Harper, "Sunny Brae." Mr and Mrs. Hicks left in Friday for St. John, where they intend sailing on the Pretorian for England to remain during the coming summer.

Miss Lena Tait was in Salisbury for a short time this week.

Senator and Madame Poirier left recently for Ottawa.

Mrs. Joseph Moore has been spending a few days in St. John, the guest of Mrs. Thomas Pierce.

A very enjoyable little social affair was the afternoon tea given by Miss Bessie Lawton, at her home, Main street east, on Saturday afternoon last, to a number of her young lady friends in honor of Miss L. Russell, who has lately returned from Scotland, and is the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. A. Smith, "Bellevue." The guests were entertained from 4 till 7, tea being served at 6. Miss Nora Allen assisted the Misses Lawton in serving. Those invited were the Misses Harper, Miss Webster, the Misses Evans, Mrs. E. A. Smith, Miss Russell, Miss Tait, Miss Allen, the Misses Weldon.

Mrs. H. B. Steeves left this week to spend a week with friends in St. John.

On Wednesday of this week at the residence of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Elliot, Dorchester Road, Miss Dorothy Elliot was married to Mr. G. Kennedy, of the I. C. R., Moncton, Rev. A. F. Burt, of the Episcopal church, performed the ceremony. The happy couple took the C. P. R. for Halifax. Prior to his marriage Mr. Kennedy was tendered an address by the employes of the I. C. R. tool department and presented at the close with a suit case, containing a silver plate with suitable engraving.

Dr. and Mrs. H. Murray, who have been occupying the house owned by Mrs. D. B. White, Main street (east), during the past winter, are returning shortly to their handsome residence, Shediac Cape. Mr. and Mrs. J. Bonny and family, of Moncton, intend moving to Shediac next week and taking possession for the summer months of the house vacated by Dr. and Mrs. Murray.

Mrs. James White, accompanied by her little son, Master Ned, spent a few days in Moncton during the week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lyons.

Dr. and Mrs. White intend moving in the very near future from their rooms at the Weldon to the house on Main street, lately owned and lived in by Mrs. C. C. Hamilton, and which Dr. White recently purchased. Mrs. Hamilton, who intends leaving Shediac to reside in Newcastle, will be very greatly missed by a large number of friends with wrom she has been deservedly popular during her residence in Shediac.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dickie, who closed their home last fall and went to Wolfville to spend the winter months, returned recently and are in their home on the other side of "the bridge" once more.

SUSSEX

Sussex, April 26—Miss E. Vail, who has been in Sackville for some time past, returned to Sussex this week, and is the guest of Mrs. Lamb.

Miss Quinsler, of St. John, who has been visiting the Misses Howes, returned home Wednesday evening.

Mr. Albert Webster, of Shediac, was in Sussex today.

Rev. A. Lucas, of Buctouche, was in town Thursday.

Miss Annie McGivern, of St. John, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. D. McKenna.

Mr. William Murray, of St. John, was in Sussex on Tuesday.

Miss Alice Folkins, of St. John, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. M. P. Titus.

Mr. James Powrie, of St. John, formerly on the Bank of New Brunswick staff here, was in Sussex this week.

Mr. E. A. Charters received a telegram this week from his son, Harold, of Eureka (Cal.), stating that Eureka had received an earthquake shock, but that no particular damage was done.

On Tuesday evening the bachelors of Sussex entertained a large number of their friends at a dance in the Depot House. The function, which was most enjoyable, reflected much credit on the energetic managing committee—Dr. Graham, Messrs. E. Connoly, H. R. Ross, H. H. Parlee, J. Lucas, and Dr. Manchester. The rooms were decorated with flags of various sizes and presented a very pretty appearance. Perfect music was furnished by an orchestra composed of Messrs. Harold Brown, Morton L. Harrison (St. John), George Warren and W. G. Stratton. The chaperones were Mrs. C. H. Fairweather, Mrs. J. M. McIntyre and Mrs. D. H. McAlister. At midnight refreshments were served, after which dancing was resumed, and it was not until the early hours of Wednesday morning that the party disbursed. The following is a partial list of the guests:—

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. McIntyre, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Fairweather, Mrs. McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Titus, Mr. and Mrs. G. Secord (Apohaqui); Mr. and Mrs. C. Short, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Pugsley, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. E. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. F. Connoly, Misses Upham, Howes, Hunter (St. John), Culbert, Keltie, Quinsler (St. John), Corbett (Moncton), McLeod, L. White, Hickson (Moncton), Manchester, Morrison, Roach, Sinnott, Byrne, McDermott, Howard, Belyea, Weldon, Chapman, McKay, Macaulay, Carleton, Hoegg, Brown, J. White, Spear, Connoly, Folkins, McGivern (St. John), Messrs. Howes, Upham, Connoly, Arnold, Murray, Graham, Rose, Parlee, Manchester, Corey, Wilmot, Bleakney (Petitcodiac), Harper (St. John), Lucas, Powrie (St. John), Vanwart, Bell (St. John), Vessey, Thomas, Murray (St. John), McLean, Osgood, Freeze, Fairweather, McLeod, Donald (Hampton), Howes, Bradley, Dryden, Lovegrove, Brown, Teakles, King, Titus, Chapman, Macaulay.

The Mikado, presented by the Sussex Amateur Opera Company in I. O. O. F. hall on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of last week, was a decided success. Much credit is due to the promoters, Mr. Harold Brown and Mrs. Peters, of Moncton. Those taking part were Dr. and Mrs. Daly, Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Kinnear, Mrs. Short, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. D. A. Vail, Misses Howes, Parker, Allan, Byrne, Hoegg, Daly, Murray, Arnold, Morrison, McKay, White, Faure, Carleton, Connoly, Brown; Messrs. Hoegg, Baily, Markham, Lovegrove, McKenna, Pearn, E. Bailey, Arnold, Peters, Brown.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, April 25—Mrs. Lynch was the hostess at a pleasant tea on Monday afternoon and with her daughter received her guests. In the tea room Mrs. J. H. Barry and Mrs. A. T. McMurray presided. The table decorations were all in violet and yellow. Great bunches of them stood in low glass bowls, while yellow chrysanthemums graced the centre of the board. The Misses Fannie and Hazel Palmer, Miss Millie Tibbits, Miss Edgecombe, Miss Neil and Miss Whitehead waited upon the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Tinker and family sailed upon the Victorian from Halifax this week for England.

Miss Violet Marsh returned home yesterday after a visit with friends in St. John.

Mrs. Fisher and Mrs. Hanington, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe, returned to their homes in St. John on Monday.

Mrs. T. Carleton Allen is this week the guest of her sister, Mrs. Holden, at St. John.

Masters Charles Edgecombe and W. Kilburn returned to their studies at Sackville on Monday.

Mrs. Perrott was among the passengers on the Victorian which sailed from Halifax for England this week.

The marriage of Mr. Arthur A. Shute, of this city, to Miss Dora Dibblee, of Woodstock, was celebrated today at the Episcopal church in Woodstock.

Mrs. Lewis Bliss and Mrs. Weaver, sisters of the bride-elect, are in Woodstock attending the wedding.

Mrs. Luke Stewart was today the hostess at a 5 o'clock tea given in honor of Miss Allingham, who is her guest. Mrs. Stewart was assisted in receiving her guests by Miss Allingham and Miss Cunningham, Mrs. A. W. Edgecombe and Mrs. Lee Babbitt presided at the table, pouring tea and coffee, assisted by Miss Johnston, Miss Dessie Crocket, Miss Hazel Edgecombe, Miss Florrie Whitehead and Miss Jeannette Beverly.

Miss Nora Dibblee, of Woodstock, is visiting Miss Grace Winslow.

Mrs. O. S. Crocket, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Stevenson, and Miss Austin, of Montreal, and Miss Elsie Crocket, will leave for Ottawa on Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Chestnut is visiting Mrs. Walter McLaughlin in Minneapolis.

Fredericton, April 27 — (Special)—The water is still rising quite fast and is almost up to freshet height. The river is pretty well clear of ice and only a few logs went past the city today. Shear booms have been put out at Crock's Point and Lincoln and logs caught in the ice above Grand Falls can be taken care of here without difficulty.

There is still plenty of snow on St. John headwaters and lumbermen agree that prospects for stream driving were never brighter. It is expected that operations will start next week.

The county council have had electric lights installed in the court house and they were turned on this evening for the first time, and worked splendidly. Secretary Treasurer Bliss has had offices fitted up in the court house and will move there on May 1.

Steamer Aberdeen, Captain Lockwood, arrived this morning, having tied up at Lower Gagetown last night. She will start on the Fredericton-Woodstock route tomorrow, and the management look for a good season.

The Lord's Day Alliance last night elected as president Rev. Joseph McLeod, D. D.; vice-presidents, the clergymen of the city; secretary-treasurer, Rev. J. J. Colter. Resolutions were passed expressing the loss sustained by the alliance in the departure during the year of Dean Partridge and Canon Roberts.

Mrs. D. P. Reid, of Marysville, has received word of the death of her sister, Mrs. F. E. Bustin, at Lewiston (Me.)

Nashwaak Lodge, I. O. O. F., Marysville, will celebrate the eighty-seventh anniversary of the order by attending divine service at the Baptist church on Sunday, where Rev. Mr. Ferguson will preach.

Dr. Silas Alward, S. A. M. Skinner, J. Roy Campbell and J. R. Armstrong are among the St. John lawyers here today to take part in the taxing of the costs of the case of Johnston et al vs. Margaret Hazen et al. About twelve parties were represented. The total costs will be written in four figures and will materially lessen the value of the estate. This week the costs in the case of Fairweather vs. Lloyd and Robertson have also been taxed. This case arose out of a dispute on the right of way running between the Fairweather property and the Rothesay Collegiate School. It was finally carried to the judicial committee of the privy council in England for a decision, and there on appeal a decision against A. C. Fairweather was given. The total costs were taxed at more than $3,000.

A quiet wedding took place last night at the residence of H. C. Christie, Woodstock road, when Mrs. Margaret Ferguson, of St. John, was united in marriage to Angus Campbell, of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Geo. B. Payson.

Dr. Scott, of the University, has decided to accept the position of the superintendent of schools of Calgary, which was offered him a short time ago. He will enter upon his duties about the middle of August.

A telegram from Grand Falls states that the ice there has moved about four feet since yesterday.

George Beatty, a local butcher was before the police court this morning on a charge of forestalling in the market. A conviction was entered against him, but judgment was reserved on the question of costs. The penalty is one dollar.

CAMPBELLTON.

Campbellton, N. B., April 26—Miss Jennie Stewart, who has been visiting Mrs. W. A. Mott, returned to her home in Dalhousie on Monday.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. J. H. Wilson very pleasantly entertained the Young People's Whist Club.

Mr. Walter Joudry is spending the holidays with his parents here.

Miss Maggie Scott, of Dalhousie, who has been visiting Mrs. Edward Alexander, returned home on Tuesday.

Mrs. W. A. Mott entertained the Married People's Whist Club on Friday evening last. This was the last meeting of the season.

Miss Maude Murray entertained very pleasantly at whist on Monday evening.

Mrs. James Patterson has returned home after a pleasant visit with friends in Petitcodiac and Moncton.

Mrs. Edward Powell, of Moncton, is spending a week in town, the guest of Mrs. Edward Sullivan.

Mrs. Crossdale and daughter, of Cross Point, are visiting Mrs. B. Sproule.

Miss McGaggert, who for the past year has been on the staff of the grammar school here, resigned her position and, on Wednesday last, was married to Mr. Ernest Adams. Miss DesBrisay, of Charlo, succeeds Miss McNaggert.

A very successful and enjoyable social was held in Mr. Dimock's studio on Monday evening. An interesting programme was given by the members of the Baptist choir. A part of the evening was devoted to the guessing of conundrums, the prize for which went to Miss Mary Starrat.

Miss Bessie Stewart, of Dalhousie, is visiting Mrs. Lingley.

Miss Tina Campbell, of New Richmond, is the guest of Mrs. P. McNichol.

Mr. W. S. Montgomery and Mr. James Wallace, of Dalhousie, were in town on Tuesday.

Invitations have been issued for a dance by the bachelor maidens of Dalhousie for Friday evening of this week.

Mr. A. Shives, of this place, who has been in the Bank of Montreal in St. John, has been transferred to Bridgewater (N. S.)

PETITCODIAC.

Petitcodiac, April 26—Mr. Lloyd Corey returned Monday after spending a few days in Moncton.

On Friday evening last the local lodge of the I. O. G. T. paid a fraternal visit to the Penobsquis lodge. More than twenty members attended, all of whom report a very pleasant evening.

Miss Susie Jones, of River Glade, is the guest of Miss Dollie Jones.

Mr. Ernest Price, of Boston, arrived last week to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moses M. Price.

Miss Smith returned Thursday to Sackville, after spending a week with Mrs. C. B. Herrett.

Messrs. Heber S. Corey, Robert J. Wilmot and Wm. S. Blakney went to Sussex Thursday to attend the dance given by the bachelors of that town.

Mr. Walter Steeves, of Elgin, spent Sunday at the Mansard House.

DORCHESTER

Dorchester, April 27—Miss Constance Chandler was in Amherst on Monday to attend the marriage of Miss Brenda Main to Mr. Harry A. Purdy.

Mrs. O. H. Horne is rapidly recovering from her late serious illness, and is able to be out of doors again.

Mrs. C. S. Hickman and son have returned from visiting friends in St. John.

Judge Hanington arrived home from court in Fredericton on Tuesday.

Mrs. Patrick, of Memramcook, was the guest of Mrs. A. E. Oulton this week.

W. A. D. Steven and family intend leaving here next Tuesday to make their home at Point du Chene. They will be much missed in Dorchester.

Rainie Richard was at home one day this week from St. Joseph's College.

Mrs. E. A. Hall, who has been at her home in Ontario, is expected back this week.

Judge Landry arrived home on Tuesday.

The house lately occupied by O. H. Horne has been rented by Mr. Starratt, of the Maritime Penitentiary staff. The family moved in some days ago.

Mrs. M. G. Teed, of St. John, and Mrs. J. P. Hanington, of Shediac, are visiting Mrs. D. L. Hanington.

Mr. McIntosh is in town again. He intends leaving about the middle of May for Germany to continue his studies.

Miss Marion Oulton entertained the young ladies' whist club last evening.

Mrs. Fred Magee and Miss MacLeod, of Port Elgin, were the guests of Mrs. Hiram W. Palmer on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

James Friel was in Moncton on Wednesday.

Mrs. C. S. Hickman was the hostess at a delightful progressive whist party, to about thirty of her lady and gentleman friends on Thursday evening. Dainty refreshments were served about midnight.

Cyril Chapman was home from the college in Sackville this week.

A large and very pleasant progressive whist party was given by Mrs. Hanington on Tuesday evening at Forest View. There were upwards of sixty guests present including Mrs. J. P. Hanington, of Shediac; Mrs. M. G. Teed, of St. John, and Mrs. Fred Magee, and Miss Grace McLeod, of Port Elgin. A turkey supper was served shortly before midnight, after which the rooms were cleared and dancing enjoyed until the small hours of the morning. The prizes at whist were won by Mrs. McGrath and Miss McLeod and C. S. Hickman and W. B. Meynell.

A number of our townspeople went to Sackville last Friday to attend the concert given by the Tennis Club in Music Hall that evening. A special train was arranged for, leaving Sackville immediately after the performance, and reaching Dorchester before 11 o'clock. It is stated that the concert may be repeated in Dorchester at an early date.

Mr. Edgar Card, who with Mrs. Card, has been enjoying a vacation in Boston, is expected home on Monday.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Marcus Palmer, formerly of Dorchester, but who recently resided in Sackville, was held on Tuesday afternoon immediately on the arrival of the C. P. R. train at 1.30 o'clock. The service was conducted by the Rev. B. H. Thomas.

Mr. Manning, of St. Joseph's College, was in town on Tuesday.

The heavy rains of Monday and Tuesday have taken the frost out of the highways and very greatly improved the driving in the village and outlying districts. It is stated that for the last three weeks the roads have been in worse condition than known in this vicinity for a number of years.

MONCTON.

Moncton, April 25—Mrs. J. R. Joughins has returned from a visit to Montreal.

Miss H. Hanington spent several days of this week at her home in Dorchester.

Mrs. C. A. C. Bruce, of St. John's (Nfld.), spent part of this week with friends here.

Mrs. Beal, of Shediac Cape, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Frank Thompson, Alma street.

Miss Gannon, of River John (N.S.), is visiting her sister, Mrs. R. P. Dukson, Queen street.

Mrs. A. H. Lindsay left on Thursday for Sussex to spend a couple of weeks.

Mrs. George Ellis, of St. John, is the guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cole, Alma street.

Mrs. L. N. Bourque returned on Friday last from a visit to Campbellton.

Rev. Thomas Hicks and Mrs. Hicks, of Albert, were the guests of Mrs. H. S. Bell, Church street, this week.

Miss Jardine, of St. John, spent several days of this week with friends here.

Mrs. J. M. Lyons is visiting in Fredericton, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. DeWolfe Cowie.

Mrs. Burns, of Kentville, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams, Highfield street.

Mrs. Gordon Baxter has returned from a lengthy visit to her former home in Newark (N.J.).

Mrs. James White, of Shediac, spent part of this week here.

Mrs. Watson, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. W. H. Dernier, Botsford street.

Mrs. H. G. Marr was the hostess at a very enjoyable whist party on Wednesday evening.

Miss Harper, of Shediac, was in town on Monday.

Among those graduating this year from the Halifax Ladies' College, is Miss Blanche Murphy, Mrs. H. McLeod, Mr. and Mrs. William Brown, and Miss Florence Murphy went to Halifax on Wednesday to be present at the graduating exercises.

Mrs. Wm. Logan left on Wednesday to visit friends in New Glasgow.

Miss Laura McIntyre, of Campbellton, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. G. J. Dobson left on Wednesday to visit friends in Petitcodiac.

Mrs. C. E. Spencer returned on Tuesday from Boston, where she has been spending the past two weeks.

Miss Creighton, of Newcastle (N.B.), was the guest of Mrs. T. J. Gallagher, Alma street, for the past week.