

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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cardinal red India silk, with draperies of black lace, eminently becoming to her clear complexion and dark grey eyes.

Mrs. C. J. Butcher expect to move into their new house on the corner of Main and Cameron streets this week. It has been built especially for them by Mr. George Ryan, who intended occupying one side himself, but I understand that Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Haslington have persuaded him to change his mind, and abdicate in their favor for the winter, so they also will take possession this week or next.

Mrs. and Miss Robertson, of St. John, are in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Trites, of Church street.

Mr. Willett, of Grandville, Nova Scotia, is in town visiting his son, Mr. George P. Willett.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McCully have gone to house-keeping, and moved into their new home on Bonnacord street, last week.

Miss Addie McKean is visiting her sister, Mrs. T. F. Williamson, at Chipman, Grand Lake.

Miss Harris returned from her long visit to Boston, last Saturday, and her friends are delighted to see her again.

The Bread and Butter club held its first meeting last evening, at the house of Mrs. S. McKean. A large amount of business was got through, "as they say after the town council meetings, and a very pleasant evening was spent.

Another of our bachelors has deserted from the ranks, and this time it is Dr. C. T. Purdy, who was married last Thursday evening, at St. John, to Miss Annie Montgomery, daughter of Mr. John Montgomery, principal of the Albert school, Charlton.

Mr. A. E. Houston, of Moncton, was the second best man, a position he has occupied so frequently, owing to his popularity, that he will have no difficulty in going through the ceremony gracefully when his own turn comes.

Mr. and Mrs. Purdy left by the evening train for their bridal trip to Boston and New York. Dr. Purdy's marriage is one of those events which has been casting its shadow before for some time, and the shadow took the substantial form of a handsome house, which the doctor has built during the past summer, on Church street. When a young bachelor either builds or rents a nest it is tolerably certain that he does not contemplate inhabiting it alone and that somewhere in the near future there is an impending wedding.

Mr. E. C. Jarvis, inspector of the Merchants Bank of Halifax, is in town.

Hon. Paschal Porrier paid a short visit to Moncton on Monday.

Mr. F. C. Sobieski was in town last Saturday en route for Halifax.

Dr. and Mrs. Bradley left town this morning for St. John with a very pleasant party in view, nothing less than a wedding, the participants being Miss Ellis, daughter of Mr. J. V. Ellis, of St. John and Mr. Arthur L. Calloun, of the Boston Traveller, nephew of Mrs. Bradley.

ST. STEPHEN.

[Progress is for sale in St. Stephen at the book-stores of C. H. Smith & Co. and G. S. Wall.]

Nov. 20.—The ladies of the church of the Holy Rosary are holding a tea and fancy sale this evening in the school room belonging to their church.

Several ladies interested in what have formed a club, and meet every Tuesday evening to enjoy that delightful game.

Mr. Herbert C. Grant leaves tomorrow for New York city, to begin his musical studies.

Miss Irene Stevens, daughter of Judge Stevens, entertained a number of her friends at her father's residence, on Friday evening. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. George J. Clarke, Dr. and Mrs. Lawson, Capt. and Mrs. McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Toul, Mrs. David Brown, Miss Celia Brown, Miss Jack, (Frederick), Miss Maggie Todd, Miss Bolton, Miss Gausson, Mr. E. Ganong, Mr. George Symington and Mr. J. B. Gault.

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Boies gave a very enjoyable party last evening at their residence in Calais. About 30 guests were present, and the evening was spent in dancing an extremely short and happy evening was spent.

Dr. and Mrs. Lawson went to Fredericton this morning to attend the funeral of the doctor's father, who died yesterday afternoon.

Whist parties have become very popular. Invitations are out for a whist party at Mrs. C. H. Smith's on Thursday evening.

Mr. Fredric Thuring, of Montreal, is spending a few days here, the guest of Mrs. E. Broad.

Mr. Will King has decided to try his luck in the West, and will soon leave Calais for Indiana, where he intends to make his future home.

Mr. Will Thickens had the misfortune to sprain his foot very badly and is confined to his home.

Capt. T. G. Andrews and Mrs. Andrews, who have been guests of Mrs. Macio, have sailed for Glasgow, Scotland.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Eaton have moved to Calais from Milton, and will live with their son, Mr. Wilfred Eaton, during the winter.

Dr. and Mrs. Black have gone to Philadelphia, to spend the winter.

Miss Mary Stuart intends to leave about the first of December for Chicago, where she will visit, during the winter, the Rev. J. Routton, who, at one time, was rector of Christ Church here.

Mrs. W. H. Howland left on Monday for her home in Toronto.

The ladies interested in the public library, have decided to open it to the public about the first of January, in rooms above Dr. L. A. Mills' office, on Water street.

Mr. Percy Gillmor made a brief visit in town last Thursday.

Mr. Frank Bixby is fast recovering from his attack of fever.

Mr. W. L. Blair, of Ottawa, with his little son, Dugald, spent Sunday in town, the guest of his uncle, Mr. Schumacher.

Miss Jack, of Fredericton, is visiting her cousin, Miss Margaret Todd.

Dr. D. E. Seymour, of Calais, left on Friday last for Atlanta, Ga., and intends to be away for a fortnight or three weeks.

Mr. James Murray has returned from New York and Boston, where he has been on a business trip. The currier is preparing for the winter's amusements by repairing their rick, putting in the electric light and making other improvements.

Mr. John D. Chipman is making a brief visit in St. John.

Hon. James Mitchell is visiting in St. George, Liverpool and vicinity.

The friends of Mrs. John Grant will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

Mr. Charles D. Hill is making a short stay in St. John.

Nov. 21.—Col. Andrew Mackinlay died very suddenly in England of heart failure. The news of his death was a great shock to his friends here. Mr. Mackinlay went to England towards the end of October with his daughter Blanche, Mrs. Mackinlay and Miss Ella intending to follow later. It now transpires that Mr. Mackinlay had been suffering with heart trouble for the past two or three years. His physician had advised him to live very quietly and not indulge in shooting, riding or any severe exercise. Much sympathy is felt for Miss Blanche also for other members of Mr. Mackinlay's family. The remains are to be brought to this city in the *Dumora* now on its way out.

Another sudden death has followed close on that of Col. Mackinlay. Mrs. Hartshorne, wife of Mr. Hugh Hartshorne, died on Wednesday evening last. Mrs. Hartshorne was quite hale and hearty health and spirits on Wednesday, but in the evening she was seized with a pain in her head, which went down to her neck, then to her chest, and again paralysis of the heart. It seems that the deceased lady had a great horror of being buried alive, so nearly a week passed before the interment. The funeral took place from St. Luke's cathedral, on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. Foster Almon conducted the service. The choir boys were present and sang the glorious hymn, "Ever with the Lord." The Bishop made a very touching reference to Mrs. Hartshorne in his sermon on Sunday.

Mrs. Wallace has been giving a series of small parties, which serve a double purpose—farewells for Miss Gertrude Kinneer and entertainment for her guests. Miss Stephenson. A little music, some cards and a waltz or two form the amusement of the evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Cowie gave a very pleasant card party at their house, on Argyle street, last Thursday evening. About thirty guests were present. What was the order of the evening, and some very good games were played. Mrs. Cowie is famed for her delicious suppers and this one was no exception to the rule, the oyster fry being specially appreciated.

Mr. Dalziel arrived in the *Peruvian* on Sunday, his return has been eagerly looked for. The bridesmaids were on the tip-toe of expectation, as he was to bring their pretty dresses direct from Paris. I hear the robes are charming. They are to be worn by Miss Jean West, Miss Mary Abbott and two little girls, Miss West and Miss Cady.

Dr. and Mrs. Carleton Jones have returned from their wedding tour, and are registered at the Queen hotel. Mrs. Jones will receive her guests in her pretty rooms opposite the Queen.

Mrs. Jerry Henny is grieving over her pet horse, which is a very valuable one. The horse was being backed into the stables a few days ago and fell down an opening. It is so badly hurt that it is feared it will have to be shot.

Mrs. J. Brookfield's tea on Saturday was very enjoyable.

Mr. C. N. Strickland, of the Union bank, has been transferred to New Glasgow, where an agency has just been opened.

The marriage is announced, on London, Eng., of Miss Minnie Cochrane, of Halifax, to Mr. Horace Frederick Digby Smith. The marriage took place at the Church of Our Lady of the Rosary, Marybone road, London, and was solemnized by Rev. J. J. Brennan. Mrs. Smith is the native of Nova Scotia and has many relatives here.

The engagement I mentioned to you last week is now announced. It is between Mr. Herbert Jones, M. P., of Westmouth, and Miss Kate Black, daughter of Mr. S. G. Black. The marriage will take place in the near future.

Sir John Ross is meditating a trip to England, to spend Christmas. He is to start early in December, and will probably not return until March. His regret is felt at his departure, as he is an enthusiastic leader in all the town's gaieties. The general wish is for a pleasant and speedy return.

The reception at Mrs. Fuller's last Wednesday evening was one of the most successful of the season. In lieu of a reception after the wedding, Miss Fuller to Mr. Kenny, to which only the immediate relatives were invited. At the *At Home* about one hundred and eighty guests were present, including all the elite of the city. Several couples who contemplate matrimony were there.

Mr. Ned Kenny's dinner as a farewell to his bachelor days was a very jolly affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hensley celebrated their silver wedding on Monday last. They received several valuable gifts. A number of friends attended their reception on Monday evening and very jolly time was passed.

Talking about presents reminds me that Miss Fuller has some elegant gifts, the bridegroom elect presenting her with a diamond star pendant containing no less than seventy diamonds.

Some of our kind-hearted ladies are very busy getting up a concert, the funds to be in aid of the poor fishermen of Tonawaga Bay or Lower Prospect, who are quite destitute. The object is a worthy one and the concert will doubtless be well patronized.

A very sad story is going the rounds of a most unhappy quarrel between man and wife. The wife is spoken of as having a terrific temper, but she certainly must have been beside herself when she attempted to shoot her husband, and falling that to stab him. I understand that flirting is at the bottom of the whole trouble. Names are given of people living in the highest social circles.

Prof. Charles H. Porter has just composed a magnificent Te Deum, and as reports say it, it was a sudden inspiration. However that may be, the congregation of St. Matthew's church have been treated to some glorious music. The choir of St. Matthew's church is a particularly fine one, and consequently thorough justice to Prof. Porter's composition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Mitchell, with their little daughter, are residing at Mrs. Estelle's for the winter months.

His Lordship Bishop Courtney has gone on a flying visit to Toronto. Mr. Courtney will return to the city this week.

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TRURO, N. S. Theodore H. Rand, supt. of education to the Normal school, reflects great credit on Miss Smith's artistic ability, and occupies a prominent position in Assembly Hall. Miss Carrie Hain's card party, last evening, was a very pleasant affair. Dr. John H. McKay and his bride returned from their bridal tour last night. During the doctor's absence, his patients have been in the efficient hands of Dr. MacDougall, of Oxford. I noticed the doctor's elegant "pique" bedspread with white favors, and seemingly conscious of his importance, on the quilt, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Daniel Smith and Miss Smith entertained a family party at a turkey supper last night. [FROM ANOTHER CORRESPONDENT.] Truro, last Friday, was highly amused at a report current that one of the bank managers there had kicked his accountant out of his office. Much sympathy was felt for the accountant, who is a most gentlemanly young man, and the affair carries an impression not easily forgotten. The accountant at once entered an action for assault in the police court, and the necessary documents were served on the manager, commanding him to appear at 2 p. m. the following day. The manager not desiring to audience the public, made (like a good man) most profuse and humble apologies, and stated that he trusted the accountant may soon forget his indignity, which were accepted and the suit withdrawn. So ended what might have been an amusing farce to the public in the highly populated town of Truro.

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RICHIBUCTO. Nov. 20.—Dr. J. F. Brine, of the medical firm of Black & Brine, leaves on Thursday for Canoe to accept a position with the Cable Company. Dr. Black will still continue to practice here. Capt. Adam Atkinson, of Sackville, was in town last week. Mr. Frank Jenkins, of Yarmouth, N. S., who has been visiting friends here, left on Tuesday for New York. Mr. J. M. Robertson, of St. John, was in town last Thursday. Mr. Henry O'Leary spent last week in St. John. Mr. B. S. Bailey, of Weldford, and Mr. J. F. Angus, of Montreal, were in town last Friday. Mr. Tom Quilty, of Sackville, spent Sunday in town. Mr. George Irving, of Buctouche, was in town on Monday. An interesting event took place this morning at Buctouche. Mr. J. H. Abbott, agent for the Merchants Bank of Halifax, at Kingston, and Mrs. T. Curran were united in marriage. The couple took the train for New York, where they will spend their honeymoon. Their many friends in Richibucto extend best wishes for their future happiness. ROSINA.

AMHERST, N. S. [Progress is for sale in Amherst at G. G. Bird's Bookstore.] Nov. 20.—Miss Lamont has returned to her home in Bay City, Mich., after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Skimming. Mr. Sidney Moore, the popular teller in the Bank of Nova Scotia in this town, has received an appointment as manager of a branch of the same bank opened at Oxford. His numerous friends, while regretting the removal of himself and Mrs. Moore, will congratulate him upon his well earned promotion. Miss Eva Fride has gone to spend some weeks with friends in Quebec. Mrs. Fannie Bliss, of Westmorland, has been visiting her brothers in town. I was very much pained to hear of the death of Mrs. W. P. Moffat, which took place on Tuesday, at the age of 78 years. She was the youngest sister of the Hon. Senator Dickey, and was highly esteemed and respected by a very large circle of friends, who feel deeply for her orphaned daughters in the loss they have sustained. Mr. J. A. Dickey, C. E., was in town last week. Rev. Mr. French, the Episcopal clergyman at Bala Verte, was in town on Monday. CHATHAM. [Progress is for sale in Chatham at Edward Johnson's bookstore.] Nov. 20.—Bishop Rogers returned from Batimore on Saturday. Mrs. M. McDonald is visiting Newcastle friends. The dance given by the 73rd band on Thursday evening last, proved to be a most enjoyable affair. Whist parties promise to be one of the leading amusements this winter. Mrs. Gray is not improving in health. Miss Polly Winslow returned from Apohaquit this week. Among the arrivals in town this week I notice Mr. F. B. Black, of Sackville, N. B. Rev. T. H. Cuthber, has gone to Moncton for a few days. Mr. and Mrs. E. Hutchinson have taken a house in town, and purpose spending the winter on this side of the river. Much sympathy is felt for Mr. Alex. McDougal, of Oak Point, who lies dangerously ill. John O'Brien, of Nelson, was in town this week. X. Y. Z.

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More Cruel Than the Tower. Lord Stanley came, plainly dressed, to request a private royal audience of King James I., but was refused admittance in the royal closet by a spruce-dressed countryman of the King's. James hearing the altercation between the two, came out and inquired the cause. "My liege," said Lord Stanley, "this gay countryman of yours has refused me admittance to your presence?" "Cousin," said the king, "How shall I punish him? Shall I send him to the Tower?" "Oh, no, my liege," replied Lord Stanley; "inflict a severer punishment—send him back to Scotland!"—Texas Siftings.

He was no Heathen. New York Hotel Clerk (to bell boy)—See what the rumpus is in 621. Bell boy (returning)—Col. Biuegrass is mad because there's a pitcher of water in his room. Clerk—But that's not to drink. That's to wash in. Bell Boy—That's what I told him, and he got madder still. He wanted to know if they thought he was a heathen. He said he washed before he started away from home.—Life.

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