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Will take place on the Bishop's Grounds at Torryburn, on **MONDAY, AUGUST 11th, 1890.** THE committee will provide refreshments and all the usual games and amusements. There will be prizes for ladies, gentlemen, girls and boys' Archery, and for Races, etc. The City Cornet Band will furnish music on the grounds during the day. Trains will leave the Railway Station, going out at 10, 12, 20, 1, 20, and 2, 30 o'clock; returning, will leave Torryburn at 5.30, 6.30 and 7.15, p.m. St. John time. Should the weather be unfavorable on Monday, the Picnic will be held on the first fine day following. Tickets for sale at T. O'Brien & Co., King Street; D.J. Jennings, Union Street; John McManis, and John P. McGroarty, Indian Street; Henry Maher, Mrs. Wm. Carson, Phillips Bros., James Morgan, T.J. Cochran, John McManis, Main St.; John O'Brien and James McDade, Mill St.; at the Railway Ticket Office, and from the Committee on day of Picnic.

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BOARD AND LODGINGS FOR VISITORS during the week of the Exhibition. Every person having a room or rooms unoccupied should send full particulars in writing to Mr. W. C. FIFE, Chairman of Lodgings and Refreshments Committee, 30 Canterbury Street. The necessary blank forms will be supplied on application to the Secretary's office, Prince Wm. Street.—**IRA CORNWALL,** Secretary.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK IN NEW BRUNSWICK AND NOVA SCOTIA.

And the Happenings in Social Circles of Fredericton, Woodstock, Dechester, St. Stephen, Sussex, Amherst, Calais, Etc. Although the doctors of St. John, as well as those of other places, lift up their voice against the mild form of feminine drum drinking of these days, five o'clock teas are becoming more and more fashionable, and the ladies love to preside over their dainty tea tables and vie with one another in the beauty of their china and the favor of their tea. A very pleasant affair was given on Tuesday last by Mrs. D. G. Seely, Dorchester street, to a large number of her friends. From four until six o'clock the drawing rooms were filled with guests, and the Misses Seely, who presided over the tea caps had no easy task. The same evening a few guests were entertained by Mrs. Seely at a card party, which was also most enjoyable.

The young people in St. John and Rothesay who received cards of invitation from Mrs. C. H. Fairweather last week for a dance, at her residence, Rothesay, on Thursday last, have been anxiously watching the weather all week, and wondering if the fog, so many days, was going to clear. However, the day was all that could be desired for such a gathering, and the entertainment was a grand success. Upwards of 50 or 60 were present, and a long programme of dances was gone through. Frolic making in the pretty grounds was much enjoyed by the three dances, as was also the handsome supper provided by their kind hostess. Many took advantage of the fine night to drive both out and in from Rothesay, while a great number took the train home at a very late, or rather early hour.

Last evening Miss Langston entertained a number of her young friends at the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hamilton, Sydney street. Dancing was kept up until a late hour, and the guests present voted it a very pleasant affair.

Mr. Wm. Blair, of Ottawa, is in the city, the guest of Mrs. R. W. Crookshank.

Miss Alice and Miss Grace Ring are visiting Digby.

Mrs. John MacLaren and child are visiting Sussex.

Rev. Stanley Boyd, of England, is in St. John, the guest of Mr. W. M. Jarvis.

Mrs. Crane spent a few days in the city this week, the guest of Mrs. Charles Kincaid.

Mrs. Charles MacDonald and family are visiting Sussex.

Mr. C. E. L. Porteus, of the Bank of Montreal, Kingston, Ont., has just returned in Saint John, and will spend his holidays here.

Mr. J. J. Ritchie, of Annapolis, is in the city.

Mrs. Otty Crookshank, of Fredericton, spent this week in St. John.

Mrs. E. T. Sturdee and child have returned home after a few weeks visit to the North Shore.

Mr. Morse and Mr. Jenkins, of Boston, Mass., college friends of G. K. King, have been visiting Mr. King for a few days.

St. John—West End. On Thursday evening Mrs. Mack very successfully drawing room concert was held in the Masonic Hall by the members of the band of merry in aid of the public fountain fund. Those who so kindly assisted in making the concert such a success were Mrs. Perry, Mrs. Gibson, Miss Bangs, Mrs. M. Callahan, Rev. J. M. Davenport, Mr. G. L. Mayes, Mr. Charles Coster, Mr. T. Daniel, Mr. A. Lindsay, Mr. Smith, and Mr. Crookshank.

Mrs. George Dunn and children, of Houston, Me., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dunn at Riverside cottage, Lancaster Heights.

Mrs. Frank Stinson, of Lancaster Heights, who has been visiting in Halifax, is at home.

I believe that Rev. John A. Clark has rented the nice cottage on Prince street and will occupy it during the present year.

Miss Maggie Vail, of Sussex, is visiting at Mrs. Murphy's.

Mr. Newton Glasgow, formerly of the West End, but now of Denver, Col., who has been visiting a few days with his friends here, left on Monday for home via Boston.

Mr. George Dunn, of Houston, Me., who has been visiting his father, Mr. E. G. Dunn, at Riverside cottage, Lancaster Heights, has just returned.

On Wednesday evening quite a large dinner party was given by Senator Lewis at his residence on Lancaster Heights in honor of Sir William and Lady Ritchie, of Ottawa.

St. John—North End. Dr. George Roberts called from New York for England on Saturday morning. He was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Arthur MacDonnell.

Tuesday evening Mrs. Vaughan gave a pleasant little party in honor of Mrs. Taylor, of Halifax, who has been visiting at her friends' for the past few months. The young folks enjoyed dancing. Mrs. Taylor accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Goddard, will leave for St. John on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Carleton, of New York, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Conroy the past week.

Mrs. George Parker and family are visiting at St. Martin's.

Miss Alice and Grace Hooper, who have been the guests of Mr. D. V. Roberts at "Hillcrest," for the past two weeks, returned to their home in Connecticut on Saturday.

Miss Maggie Shaw is spending a few days in Fredericton.

Miss Annie Shaw is visiting for a few days at West End.

FREDERICTON. [Progress is for sale in Fredericton at the book-store of W. T. H. Fenety and by James H. Hartmore.]

Aug. 6.—The social and tea held at the beautiful grounds of the Methodist church on Monday afternoon last, at Onomotto, under the auspices of the ladies of St. John's church at that place, was a very pleasant and successful affair. Nearly 90 persons attended from this city, going down on the "Florenceville," accompanied by their friends. The city visitors returned at 10 o'clock, very much pleased with the afternoon's enjoyment, and voted the social an unqualified success.

Sir Leonard Tilley paid Fredericton a flying visit last week. He registered at the Barker.

Mr. John Sterling, who has been spending a few weeks with his friends in this city, returned to her home in Boston on Friday last.

Mr. Charles Buel was here for a few days last week, from West Superior.

Mr. Geo. W. Hooper and family have returned home from the North Shore.

Mr. Simpson, of Halifax, spent a few days in this city last week.

Mrs. Chapman, of Providence, R. I., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, New Maryland.

Mrs. J. B. Thompson, of St. John, is spending a few weeks at the Barker house.

Dr. Jud Hetherington, of St. John, was in the city last week.

Mr. John J. Jennings has gone to New York on his holidays.

Mr. Charles A. Sampson, Sec. of school trustees, and daughter, are taking a trip through different parts of Nova Scotia during the vacation.

Miss Ella Thorne, Miss Harry, Miss Janie Harvey, and Miss M. J. McLeod are at Brackley Beach Prince Edward Island.

Miss Fannie and Mamie McNally returned home on Saturday, after having thoroughly enjoyed their visit to Woodstock.

Mrs. Etta Pearty will leave tomorrow to return to her home in Cambridge, Mass.

Mrs. Charles Roberts arrived from Windsor, Tuesday evening, with her two youngest children, and will remain some weeks, the guest of her parents at "Linden Hall."

Mrs. and Miss Hawker, of St. John, are here, the guests of Mrs. Bebbington, Charlotte street.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane, of Yeg-down, are here spending a few days with Mrs. Seeger, George St.

Mrs. B. S. Babbitt, of Gagetown, has been spending several days with Mrs. Black, Shore street.

Mrs. T. Millidge, who has been visiting Mrs. Fenety at Linden Hall for some weeks, left Monday for Fairville, where she will be the guest of Mrs. Steves.

Miss Hannah Crookshank has returned home after a very pleasant visit to Hampton.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Otty Crookshank left home this morning to visit friends in St. John and Hampton.

The Misses Patton, Miss Pullen, and Miss Langin, of St. John, are spending a week in our beautiful little city, they are leaving at Mrs. Barker's, Brunswick street.

Miss Edith Drake, who has been a guest at "Linden Hall," returned to St. John on Tuesday.

Miss Fenety accompanied her, and returned to Fredericton on Thursday.

Miss Maggie Hatt is in Woodstock, visiting her friend, Miss M. M. Clark.

Miss Myra Hatt is in Woodstock, visiting her aunt, Mrs. Colter.

Mrs. Elizabeth closed her house during the absence of her daughters, and is boarding at Miss Smith's, on the corner of Westmorland and Brunswick streets.

Mrs. Ella F. Randolph is slowly recovering from her long illness, and returned to her home from Victoria hospital on Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Phair has friends visiting her from New York.

Miss Myrtle Gunter, who has been very ill, is now convalescing.

Mrs. G. E. Fenety spent Thursday in St. John, with her daughter, Mrs. Carter.

Mrs. Kingston is receiving calls this week. She received in grey moire antique.

Mrs. George Hodge, child and nurse, left today for St. Andrews, where they will spend a few weeks.

Mrs. Brittain, of Charlottetown, who has been visiting Mrs. Moses Brown, on Westmorland street, left for her home today.

Oronotto Island has quite a gay party of camping out folks at present. Some of our friends who couldn't spare the time to go, have dubbed the resort "Narverry Camp," though those under canvas do not recognize any such plebeian name. They are having a good time. The party includes Rector and Mrs. Roberts and family, the Misses Hunter, Mrs. Parker Giesler and family, Mr. Harry Fenety and several others.

Mrs. Maher, and his son, Mr. Fred, returned home from their trip in Nova Scotia yesterday.

Mr. John Shea, of Woodville, is visiting friends in this city.

MARYSVILLE. [Progress is for sale in Marysville at the book-store of W. W. Black and W. H. Murray, Main street.]

Aug. 5.—By the invitation of Mrs. E. A. Tapley, about two hundred and fifty ladies and gentlemen enjoyed a sail on the St. John river, last Wednesday night. The splendid steamer, David Weston, was chartered for the occasion. Sailing down at five o'clock, they were joined by a party from that place who returned with them. Supper was served about 10.30 p.m. The Marysville band accompanied the excursionists, rendering some fine selections. About midnight the boat returned to Fredericton, every one expressing themselves as having a delightful time.

Mrs. W. G. Drysdale and Master Hallie, of Woodstock, are visiting Mrs. Rausay.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirkpatrick, and Mr. and Mrs. Logan, of St. John, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. James Gibson, at their farm on the Nashuak.

Mrs. Henry and Noble, of St. John, spent a day here last week, the guest of Mr. Lively.

Miss Watson, of St. Stephen is visiting Mrs. Alexander.

Mrs. Hatt and Mrs. Williams made a short visit to Halifax last week.

MONCTON. [Progress is for sale in Moncton at the book-store of W. W. Black and W. H. Murray, Main street.]

Aug. 6.—To say that things are quiet in society circles is to express it all too faintly, and unfortunately, they are likely to continue in that state until next month. To be sure, I have heard of a few new engagements in town lately, but as neither of them have been officially announced yet, and my natural modesty prevented me from interviewing the parties most nearly concerned, I cannot speak with absolute certainty just yet.

Mrs. H. T. Stevens left town last Thursday to spend a few days in St. John.

Mrs. Dot Leffroy, of Summerside, is visiting her sister, Mrs. George McSweeney, at Hotel Brunswick.

The many friends of Mrs. Edgar L. Newhouse, of Mexico, who has been spending the summer at her former home in Moncton, are offering their warmest congratulations upon her recent event of great importance—no less than the birth of a son and heir, and a daughter and heiress.

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