

THE EVENING TIMES-STAR, ST. JOHN, N. B., TUESDAY, JANUARY 15, 1924

Social Notes Of Interest

Mrs. Grace Gilmour was hostess for three delightful small bridges, one last week on Friday and two yesterday, for some of her particular friends. The function yesterday afternoon was in honor of Mrs. James Bethune, of Picton, N. S., who is the guest of Mrs. Herbert Wetmore, West St. John. Those winning prizes were Mrs. Wetmore and Mrs. Herbert Mayes. Yellow tulips made the room very bright and attractive, with lighted candles.

Mrs. Gilmour was hostess again last evening when the prize winners were Mrs. E. A. Dickie and Miss Louise Alward. On Friday evening, those winning prizes were Mrs. Stanley Jamieson and Mr. Ernest Martin.

Mrs. Harry Champlover, of West St. John, was hostess at a delightful bridge on Tuesday evening of last week. Those winning prizes were Mrs. Samuel Elliot and Mrs. James MacLennan. On Wednesday evening Mrs. Fred Lewis entertained for Mrs. Champlover, when Mrs. Elliot and Mrs. MacLennan were again the fortunate prize winners.

Mrs. Arnold Martineau, of deMonts street, West St. John, was hostess at a bridge on Wednesday afternoon, at which Miss Louise Driscoll and Miss Muriel Bain were the prize winners.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Estabrooks, who were on a trip to Winnipeg since Christmas, have returned to the city and expect to leave for the Mediterranean the last of the month.

At the mixed bridge given by Miss Sybil Barnes at her mother's apartments, 148 Gormain street, last Saturday evening, the prizes were won by Miss Allen Morrison, Miss George Springer, Miss Marion Belyea and Messrs. Arthur Rankin, Donald Phil and John Gills. Five tables were played.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan G. McAvity returned from New York yesterday. They were in that city to bid farewell to Mrs. McAvity's brother, Mr. James Adams and Mrs. Adams, who sailed for Brazil on Saturday. They have been spending some time in Toronto with relatives.

Miss Eva Newcomb entertained at seven tables of bridge on Monday evening at her parents' residence, West St. John. Miss Louise Driscoll, Miss Dorothy Emerson and Miss Mabel Rogers won prizes.

Miss Jean Fenton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Fenton, West St. John, who has been very ill with diphtheria, is sufficiently recovered to be up and out again to the delight of her many friends.

Mrs. A. W. Covey entertained at bridge last week. The prize winners were Mrs. J. Brown and Mrs. S. Moore.

Miss Jennie P. Alward, of Sussex, formerly of the manual training staff of this city, arrived in St. John last evening and was a guest of Mr. and

Mother Love Reforms Son That Prisons Couldn't Hold

Mrs. J. Delbert Seely at the Park Hotel, Miss Alward is en route to New York, where she will take advanced studies in manual training at Columbia Teachers' College, where she previously studied. She was also a student in Edmonton, Alberta, and in Fredericton, N. B., where she attended Normal School. Miss Alward plans to visit Chicago before returning home. She was a teacher for four years in St. John and left the staff of teachers last spring. Miss Alward is the daughter of Mrs. F. H. A. ward, of Sussex, and has many friends in St. John.

Miss Louise Driscoll is leaving for Montreal this evening, where she will visit her sister, Mrs. T. J. McCaffrey, of Westmount.

Colonel and Mrs. S. S. Wetmore, of Halifax, who have been guests at the Royal Hotel for the last week, left for their home last evening on the late train. Colonel Wetmore is on the staff of the D. S. C. R. in Halifax, of which he was a member in this city prior to going to Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Irving, who have been visiting in Montreal, guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Irving, for the last month, have returned to the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McMillan, D. S. O., who went to Ottawa last week, is a guest at Government House with Their Excellencies the Governor-General Lord Byng and the Lady Byng.

Men Neglect Clothes To Dress Their Wives

Atlantic City, N. J., Jan. 15.—Men of the United States display a lack of good taste and do not give enough time to the selection of their clothes, Leo H. Schwed, of Elizabeth, president of the New Jersey Retail Clothiers' and Furnishers' Association, said at the annual convention of the association.

"They want their wives to be well dressed and take pride in their appearance, but their wives frequently are embarrassed because their husbands have not shown good taste in the selection of their clothes," he said. Schwed urged the clothiers to give their support to a "better wearing apparel" drive and endeavor to educate men to a point where they will demand better quality.

ST. DUNSTON'S CHURCH REPORT

The twenty-second annual statement of receipts and disbursements of St. Dunstan's Catholic Church, Fredericton, was presented on last Sunday by Very Rev. Dean Carney. He commented upon the increased surplus thanking the congregation for their generosity. Receipts were \$6,706.07 and disbursements \$7,206.08. There are 295 families and 1,471 parishioners, including 127 students. Communicants numbered 28,600. Sick calls were 108. There were 33 baptisms, including five adults. Marriages numbered seven and deaths 20. The number of communicants is 1,809.

Kansas City, Mo.—Society's ponderous machinery of law, its walled prisons and grates have gone down to defeat under the subtle influence of mother love.

Affection of a little white-haired woman here has done more for the genuine regeneration of Bill La Trasse—"her boy"—than all the combined attempts at an artificially imposed morality which shuttled him from one penal institution to another as a reputed bad man, train robber and desperate jail-breaker.

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which started him to the "pen" once more with 10 long years ahead, he broke from custody and once more "hit the wide and open spaces with a gun."

Subsequently he was captured. Jail doors yawned. And "Bill" became just a "number" again as so often before in his life. Love Makes Him Whole.

But the "big thing" as he calls it, was yet to happen. One day his aged mother, 78, came to see him.

She took him in her arms. Here was one person who believed in him—who loved him despite it all.

Would Bill respond? That was the question prison authorities asked.

Before a priest he swore never to knowingly break the law again. Thus came his answer.

And to prove that the state believes in him and has confidence that he will keep his word, Gov. Jonathan M. Davis has accepted the ex-bandit's pledge to go straight.

Ungrudging except by the little white-haired woman—the same one who "brought him back," Bill is out of the Kansas penitentiary enjoying a 10-day leave of absence.

This vacation away from the walls and grates cells is being spent with the white-haired one—his mother.

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CHURCH MEMBERS WORK FOR FUNDS

Seek to Raise Money to Re-build Burned Needham Edifice.

Boston, Jan. 15.—Members of the Evangelical Congregational church of Needham have entered the employment bureau service business and are offering their services in capacities varying from nursemaids to cooks who will make a special batch of doughnuts or a lemon pie. The cause of it all is the desire of women church members to raise sufficient funds to rebuild their church, which was destroyed by fire recently.

Mrs. Frank V. Gordon of 48 Linden street, Needham, who is running the bureau from her own home, announced that she had already had several calls for someone to act as nursemaid while the parents came in town to go to a show.

For a long time, she explained, residents of Needham have been unable to find anyone who would mind their children for an afternoon or evening and the temporary bureau has filled a long felt need in that particular community.

The younger members of the Evangelical Congregational Church have volunteered to give up their spare time during the afternoons and evenings to act as nursemaids and many housewives in the community are planning their afternoon off while the employment bureau lasts.

Older members of the church, who are adept as seamstresses, have placed their names with Mrs. Gordon and are hoping they will receive a call so that they may go out and earn the quota which they have subscribed they will actually earn in raising the funds for the new church.

Others, who admit they can make the fanciest of cakes and pies, have also filed their names at the headquarters of the bureau, and will undoubtedly receive a call for special birthday and party cakes while their services are at the beck and call of the entire community.

According to the plan outlined by the women, each and every member of the active congregation has pledged herself to place her name on the rolls of the temporary employment bureau in the capacity which she would like to work in order to have \$5 paid for her services. About 30 members are enrolled and their services will vary.

One of the most novel of occupations filed with Mrs. Gordon is that of "keeper of the Jong" in this capacity, Mrs. Gordon said last evening, the bureau has women and men teachers. Many who have not been initiated into the intricacies of this game are provided with the opportunity of learning now and also helping rebuild the church.

EXPECT 10,000 DOCTORS AT THIS CONVENTION

Chicago, Jan. 14.—(United Press)—More than 10,000 physicians and surgeons are expected to attend the annual convention of the American Medical Association here June 9 to 13, 1924. The convention will occupy the second tier of the municipal pier. It will be subdivided into lecture halls, exhibition rooms and an auditorium.

Most recent discoveries in medicine, newly developed apparatus, instruments and other devices used in medical practice, will be exhibited. Motion pictures will illustrate advanced medical methods.

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CHURCH MATTER MAY GET TO COURT

Dispute at McAdam and a Conference of Factions is Called.

Unless there can be an amicable settlement reached at a conference between the old board of trustees, who have been carrying on the management of the church, and a new board of trustees, who were elected at a meeting held last week, the affairs of the Union Church at McAdam will apparently go to the Chancery court for a settlement, says a report in the Fredericton Gleaner.

The old board still retain the keys and records of the church, which the new board were ordered by the meeting at which they were elected to demand, and Rev. Dr. Pond, of Halifax, preached at the Union Church on Sunday under an arrangement with the old board, while Rev. Hugh Hatfield preached at a service which was held at the hall, where he and his supporters have been holding services since he ceased to be pastor of the Union Church as the result of a disagreement with the old board of trustees.

Keys of the church were demanded on behalf of the new board of trustees, it was said, but the demand was refused and the old board thus remains in control of the church and its records. There is a disposition upon the part of those involved in the dispute to avoid publicity in connection with the matter to so far as possible. One of the members of the old board expressed the view that it was most advisable that the matter should be privately adjusted at the proposed conference, for, he said, the church had been carried on for "more than forty years without a ripple."

It is understood that the old board have discussed the matter with a lawyer and that they have been advised they are the legal trustees. It was said upon their behalf that the statement which had been given out that the old board was elected in June was incorrect, that they were elected in the fall and that the incorporation act does not specify any time when the trustees shall be elected.

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