

SOCIAL EVENTS

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RECEPTION NOTES.

Lady Hendrie will receive at Government House on Thursday, January 6, from 4 to 5 o'clock.

Mrs. H. D. Roade is in Guelph.

Mr. Harry Sifton has returned from Ottawa.

Mrs. Byam Stevens, New York, is in town.

Miss Vera Robertson returned to Cravenhurst to-day.

Miss Carrie Moffatt has been in town for some days.

Miss Evans is visiting the Misses Wickstead in Ottawa.

Miss Catherine Welland Merritt is in Peterboro' for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Gordon have returned from Kingston.

Mrs. G. F. Blake and her daughter are at the Elmscourt Flats.

Miss Ruth Rathbun has gone to Oswego, N.Y., for a visit of several weeks.

Mrs. Mick, who has been spending a few days in town, leaves to-day for Napanee.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Dickson of Cochrane are staying with Mrs. Halliday Watt.

Mrs. Henry J. Wilkinson is staying with her daughter, Mrs. Charles McDunnough.

Dr. and Mrs. Oliver Mabce are leaving to-night for New York, and will be absent about a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Waldie spent Christmas with Sir John and Lady Gibson in Hamilton.

Mr. Gordon Reade of the 30th is spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Reade, in Ottawa.

Miss Gwyneth Hodgetts of Ottawa spent Christmas with Major and Mrs. J. W. S. McCullough.

Mr. David Clark and his daughters spent Christmas in Peterboro' with Mr. and Mrs. George Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Widmer Nelles of Montreal will spend New Year's with Mrs. Nelles' mother and brothers.

Judge Morson, Mr. A. J. Russell Snow and Mr. N. Ferrar Davidson are back from a trip to Montana and Dakota.

Dr. and Mrs. Gallagher and Miss Aileen of Cleveland spent Christmas with Mrs. Gallagher, 740, Broadview avenue.

Mr. Wills Jamieson has been spending a day or so in town on his way north from a brief Christmas holiday in Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Alan Platt will leave on Sunday for Riverside, Cal.

to spend the winter with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hutton.

Mrs. Collingwood Schreiber and Mrs. Crombie were in town for a few hours on Tuesday, returning to Ottawa in the afternoon.

Mrs. J. B. Hutchins gave a delightful little dance last night for the wedding party and for some of Miss Rita Hutchins' friends.

Dr. and Mrs. A. P. Knight of Kingston, Miss Phyllis Knight and Miss Phyllis Spencer spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Knight.

Capt. and Mrs. Hamilton Garrett are at the Avonmore, on Jarvis street. Capt. Garrett has just returned from the **Internment** camp at Kapuskasing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Baynes-Reed of Brockville spent Christmas with Mr. Reed's brother, Major the Rev. W. L. Baynes-Reed of St. John's, Norway.

Miss Eva Cooke is in Montreal, and shared in the celebration of the tenth anniversary of the marriage of Miss Cooke's sister, Mrs. G. E. Templeman.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Dickson of Halleybury are with Mrs. Dickson's mother, Mrs. Russell Snow, in Balmoral avenue, and will be here for some little time.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Winter are spending the holidays in New York, visiting their daughter, Mrs. W. L. Fensmith, and from there will go to Florida and Nassau for the winter.

One of yesterday's brides, Miss Quarrington, had a very busy week or so before her marriage, showers of all kinds of pretty things being given for her by many friends.

Joseph P. Ryan, 34th Battery, Kingston, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ryan, 80 Hilton avenue, over the New Year. The young gunner's brother has also enlisted for overseas service.

Mr. Bruce H. A. Burrows, B.A., B.Sc., one of the officers in the Canadian Engineers Training Depot at Ottawa, who spent Christmas with his father and sister, at 120 Bedford road, has returned to the capital.

Mr. Charles Abbott has left Stratford, where he has been living for some years, and has gone to Peterboro'. Mrs. Abbott, better known to Toronto friends as Miss Frances Macaulay, will follow her husband shortly.

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Hendrie will give a small dinner at Government House to-night, and among the guests will be Col. and Mrs. Hendrie of Hamilton, who will be New Year's visitors at Government House.

The infant son of the late Capt. Guy M. Drummond was christened in the Church of St. John the Evangelist, Montreal, on Sunday. His given name is Guy Melfort and his god-fathers were Mr. Huntley Drummond and Capt. Gregor Barclay, the latter standing by proxy.

Miss Helen Carman, a bride-elect.

has been the raison d'être of several unique showers in honor of her approaching marriage. Among the hostesses have been Mrs. Albert Ogden, Mrs. Fred Carman, Mrs. N. Snyder, Mrs. J. Brandon, Miss M. Hamilton and Miss E. Butler.

Miss Mowat and Miss Ethelwyn Mowat of Kingston, Mrs. Donald Cameron of Toronto, and Miss Tull of Montreal were all guests of His Honor Judge McDonald at "Woodlawn," Brockville, for the Sears-Jackson wedding. Mr. Leighton Elliott of Toronto was one of the ushers, and other guests from Toronto were Mrs. J. M. Forster, Miss Lewis and Mr. R. W. Savage. Dr. and Mrs. Jackson gave a dance in the evening after the wedding.

Sir Frederick and Lady Benson, who were in town for a short time, welcomed the family connection to Christmas dinner at the Prince George. Miss Catherine Welland Merritt, St. Catharines; Miss Benson, Mrs. and Miss Paterson; Colonel and Mrs. Merritt; the Misses Merritt, Toronto, were among the guests. Sir Frederick and Lady Benson have returned to Montreal, and Miss Benson is staying with the Misses Merritt, St. George street.