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A few of the young friends gathered at Dr. Hyde's to welcome Miss Lora and her friend, Miss Maude Robertson, of St. John.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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MONCTON.

[Progress is for sale in Moncton at the bookstores of W. W. Black and W. H. Murray, Main

APRIL 2.—Holy week is scarcely a time for social enjoyment, consequently there is little news.

The more devout amongst us are to be seen daily wending their way to St. Georges school house be-tween the hours of four and half-past in the after-noon, clothed in humility and penitential garments, while the unregenerate and hardened go about their

usual avocations with customary stolidity.

I have heard rumors of Miss Weldon's return at
Easter, and I hope that for once dame rumor will
redeem her reputation and prove a true prophet. Miss Weldon has been away from us for three long months, and we are all anxious to see her back

Among the old friends who left us for a time, but cherished a sufficiently warm feeling towards the smoky town to return, if only for a short time is Mr. R. B. Jack. He is looking very well in spite of having spent nearly a year in the land of codfish, and his many friends have given him a most cordial welcome. I do not know as yet whether it is his intention to remain in Moncton or whether he is merely on avisit. At present he is visiting friends in St. John and Fredericton, but I fancy Moncton will be his headquarters during his stay in New

Mr. and Mrs. James Taylor left town on Saturday for Pictou, where they will visit Mrs. Taylor's for-

Miss Bliss left us on Thursday, to pay a short visit to her home in Westmorland, returning on I am afraid that Mrs. Newhouse, of Mexico, who has been spending a few weeks in town with her sisters, the Misses McSweeney, will be leaving us again soon. Mr. Newhouse was expected in Moncton last week, and I fancy he will take her back

The many friends of Mrs. L.B. Botsford, formerly Mrs. Blair Estabrooks, of Moncton, will regret to hear that she has been very seriouly ill nearly all win-

ter with malarial fever, the climate of the Southern States having proved too trying for her rather delicate constitution. I believe she will spend the summer in Canada, and regain her strength in the

bracing air of her native land.

Mr. Percy B. Chandler left town yesterday to pursue his medical studies at either Boston or New York, I am not sure which. Mr. Chandler will be greatly missed in Moncton, where he has made many warm friends, who wish him all possible success.
Dr. Smith, accompanied by his mother, sailed from Halifax, last Saturday, for Scotland where he intends spending the next three months. Dr. Smith is a graduate of Edinburgh, and will doubtless spend many pleasant hours renewing old friendships. Indeed, to quote rumor once more, he is popularly supposed to intend not only renewing friendships but cementing ties of a more tender nature, and re-turning a member of the noble army of martyrs—I mean married men. But for the truth of this last

mean married men. But for the truth of this last piece of information of course I cannot vouch.

By the way, I threw out mysterious hints last winter, concerning a wedding of a most romantic nature, which was to take place in the spring, and I also promised further particulars. Well, I believe the time has been fixed upon, and the happy event will come off sometime between the middle and the end of this month; but alas! it will not be in Moncton the future bride being the widow of a merchant ton, the future bride being the widow of a merchant in an adjacent town, while the bridegroom is an elderly divine, well known in Moncton, and also a

Captain John Wright, long, and favorably known in Moncton, has been in town for a few days past, visiting his sister, Miss Ellen Wright. Mr. G. R. Sangster, who has been spending the winter on his orange plantation in Florida, is expected home at the end of the week. Mr. Sangster will be accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Harry Brown, who has been with him during the winter.

Mr. Harvey Atkinson returned on Saturday from Mr. Harvey Atkinson returned on Saturday from a trip to the Eastern States. He was accompanied by Mrs. Atkinson, who has been spending some months in the Sanitarium at Battle Creek. Mrs. Atkinson's friends are much pleased to see her so greatly improved in health.

Mrs. J. L. Harris gave a small, but very enjoyable whist party at her home on Queen street, last

evening.

Miss Campbell left town on Thursday to spend a short time with friends in Sackville.

Mr. A. H. Jones, son of Oliver Jones, of Moncton, has returned to Moncton to assist his father in his extensive business. Mr. Jones has been in the employ of a St. John firm for some years, and on the policy of this departure he was the recipient of a comeve of his departure he was the recipient of a com-plimentary supper, and an address from the manag-ing committee of the Y. M. C. A., of which body he

ing committee of the Y. M. C. A., of which body he was an active member.

Mr. R. A. Borden, who has been spending a fortnight in the Urited States, returned yesterday.

Judge Fraser passed through Moneton yesterday, on his way home, after his serious illness at Dorchester. He was looking wonderfully well.

A party of Moneton men on pleasure bent left town this morning to visit the sugar camps in the mountains. The ex-mayor was among the number.

Mr. H. R. Emmerson, of Dorchester, was in town on Monday.

on Monday.
Mr. C. A. Steeves paid a visit to Fredericton last week.

The Moncton children are having a gay time just now, and an exciting one. You cannot walk down town without being wavlaid half a dozen times by your own little friends and other people's little friends who pipe out breathlessy, "Don't you want to buy a ticket for St. George's concert?" There is a price of ficket for the largest number of fickets. a prize offered for the largest number of tickets sold, and the dear things are working their poor little feet fairly off in their anxiety—not so much for the prize—as for the honor and glory of coming out

TRURO, N. S.

CECIL GWYNNE.

[Progress is for sale in Truro at Mr. G. O. Ful-on's.]

APRIL 2.—Mrs. F. A. Laurence gave a small drive whist party last Friday evening. A very enjoyable evening was spent. The lady's first prize was taken by Miss Pratt and the men's by Mr. Shaesgreen. The booby prizes were shared by Dr. Manchester and Miss Hyde.

Miss Pratt comes from Northern New York and is visiting her sister Mrs. Smith at Government farm, Bible Hill.

There was also a small party at Mrs. Bent's, Prince street, the same evening, which was quite a

Mr. Watt of Montreal is in town. He is the guest Miss Lydia Page, who has been very ill all winter, is improving.

Miss Robbins is still very ill, but is considered

Dr. Manchester is still with us.

The new comedy company will make its first appearance on the 10th. It is in a case of this kind that we feel the need of a good opera house.

Senator McKay is at home for Easter.

Miss Aggie McKay still lingers in Boston.

Mr. Arthur Cox has returned from his trip to Boston, and I understead this will be his last trip home for some time, as he has accepted a position in Boston.

for some time, as he has accepted a position in Boston and will return there shortly.

Mrs. Rufus Black, and her daughter, Miss Emma These Goods are of Mrs. Rufus Black, and her daughter, and severe illness, Black, who has just recovered from a severe illness, sailed yesterday for Havana.

Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Muir were passengers by the ED.

ST. STEPHEN.

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

APRIL 2.—I hear that Mr. Frank Bixby is preparing to go to the Western States, where he will select a future home. Mr. Bixby has many friends ere who keenly regret his decision. Mrs. Arthur Moran, of St. George, is here visiting

The Presbyterian society give an entertainment on Thursday evening in Mrs. W. H. Clarke's pretty Miss Nellie Smith entertains the Calais Drive

Whist Club on Thursday evening.

Mr. Haviland, of New York, lately of St. Andrews, spent Thursday and Friday in town, and was the guest of ex-mayor Grimmer.

Mrs. Arthur Corliss, who has been visiting friends in Calais, returned to her home in Portland, Maine,

on Friday last.

Mr. D. Morton Gardner, has returned to Calais, having been absent in the West for some months.

Mr. F. W. Andrews is visiting Boston.

Mr. John D. Chipman arrived from Boston on

Mrs. James N. Clarke has invited a number of lady friends, to enjoy drive whist at her residence, from 2 till 5 o'clock this afternoon. Mrs. Clarke is a Calais lady, and is giving this afternoon of whist to help increase the fund for the soldier's monument.
Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Gardner gave a most delight. ful drive whist and dancing party, at the Border City Hotel, on Tuesday evening last. Whist loccupied the first part of the evening. Dancing began at eleven o'clock, and was vigorously kept up until morning, when the guests bid their hostess a reluctant adiag.

Mr. Duncan Stewart spent several days in St. ohn last week. Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clarke have changed their ottage on King street.

SHEDIAC.

[Progress is for sale in Shediac at A. Stone's

APRIL 2.—During the past fortnight, quite a number of parties have been given, the largest of which was by Miss Mabel Smith, who entertained in her usual good style.

Mrs. Deacon and Mrs. C. C. Hamilton entertained

friends at tea last week. Master David White gave a party to a number of his school fellows a few days ago. From the reports I hear, the little folk spent a most enjoyable evening. Among the arrivals in town lately, I noticed Messrs. O. M. Melanson, M. P. P., Lee, and Johnson of St. John, and C. Avard, of Jolicure. Mr. W. G. Russel has returned from Ottawa,

where he spent a week. Mrs. Evans, of Sackville, and her daughter Gertie are visiting Mrs. W. A. Russell.

Miss Mary Harper has returned from a three weeks trip in Moncton. Mrs. E. J. Smith has returned from a visit to

Mr. S. Black, who has been suffering from a relapse of la grippe, is able to be out again.

Rev. Mr. Baird spent last Thursday and Friday

Mr. Hanington, temperance lecturer, delivered a lecture to a large audience in Tait's Hall on Thursday last. During the evening selections were given by the Shediac fife and drum band, which made its debut on this occasion. The boys are to be congratulated on the manner in which they handled

YARMOUTH.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Yarmouth at the stores of E. I. Vickery and Harris & Horsfall.]

APRIL 3 .- Miss Annie Robbins has gone to New York on a visit.

Miss Annie Robinson has gone to St. John to finish her studies in painting.

Miss Roberta Lovitt, who has been away to St. John and Halifax, has returned home.

The ladies of the O. L. H. Society are getting up a concert which is to take place shortly. Mother Goose melodies will be the chief feature. Fog.

S. D. Moses arrived home from England on Mon-Messrs. J. D. Dennis, C. H. Dodd, and M. P. Cooke came Yarmouth Wednesday from their

mnual English trip.

Miss Alice Clements is home again from Boston.

Mr. R. H. Ross, of the P. O. department in Haliax, has come home for a few weeks to recuperate.

Miss Doane, of Barrington, is visiting Mrs. W. The Quadrille club has been keeping lent, but will start again (full force) on Easter Tuesday at Mrs.

Henry Jones is home from King's college for his Easter holidays.

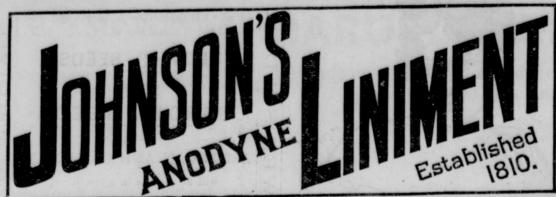
Hon. L. C. and Mrs. Baker are home again from Mr. William Law and Miss Annie Law are in Halifax.
Mr. W. B. Hamilton is in Halifax, en route for CHUMS.

Percy Hamilton's.

DIGBY, N. S.

[Progress is for sale in Digby at Mrs. Morse's.] APRIL 2.—Rev. Dr. Ambrose's Lenten sermons are very instructive, and attended by a large

Society seems to me quiet at present, with the exception of a social held at the residence of Mr. James Farnham, in honor of Mr. W. Stewart, one of the sub-contractors of the "Missing Link." On Friday morning last, an old and respected resident, Mr. James Hutchinson, brother of Mrs. Edmund Burnham, of this town, passed quietly



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It is understood that the Baptist denomination intend to purchase the residence of Mrs. Charles Dakin, adjoining their church, for a parsonage.

APRIL 3.-Mrs. O. S. Weeks passed through town on Saturday, en route for Moncton, where she in-Miss Edith Jones and her mother, who have been spending some weeks at Mr. R. S. Muuroe's, left for

their home in Weymonth, on Thursday. Mrs. Henry Dakin, who has been confined to the nouse for some time, is out again.

I see Mr. H. A. P. Smith has returned from his we are likely to have a tennis club this summer,

the starting of which has been left to the young ladies. For once I am ashamed of my sex and hope as they have left the brain and drudgery part to the bidies, they will at the least "come down with the Judge Cowling is, I believe, spending a few days with Mr. Geo. Corbitt.

The many friends of Rev. Mr. Brown were delighted to see him agaiu.

Miss Janet Bacon, who for the past two years has been under a course of training at the St. John hospital, took her nurse's diploma last month, with honors, and is now at home enjoying her well carned

BATHURST.

April 3.—Mr. Roger Lawlor and Miss Sharpe, of Miramichi, are visiting Mrs. T. F. Keary. Mr. Theophilus DesBrisay, Q. C., returned on Monday from St. John.

after a rather long illness, and was buried in the cemetery belonging to Saint George's Episcopal Church on Sunday afternoon. The deceased lady was formerly a Miss Purdy of Westmoreland, and her death will occasion much regret among her friends and relations of that county. She has been for many years a resident of Bathurst and was generally respected and esteemed.

Mr. Thomas Ahier, who hrs been spending the winter months Jersey, was in town for a few days last week. He left yesterday morning, via the Caraquet Railway, for his home in Shippegan.
Mr. and Mrs. George H. Cook and Mr. David
Brown, of St. John, are among this week's visitors.

Mrs. T. Burns has been very ill lately, but is now Master Harrie Mullins is the proud winner of a a curler's medal for this year. This is his first season as a curler, and he deserves much credit for carrying off the medal from many older players. Mr. Will Draper is back from New York where he was called some time ago by the serious illness of his mother, who has since died. Tom Brown. his mother, who has since died.

ANNAPOLIS.

APRIL 1.—If rumor proves correct, Miss Sophia Jacobs will soon return to our town, where she will be a most attractive addition. Miss Lellistraw, New Glasgow, is the guest of the

Mr. Herbert Crosskill, of Boston, still continues to linger in our midst.

Mr. Bruce McRae, of the Union Bank, leaves today for New Glasgow, where he has a position in the bank of that place.

Mr. F. Withycomb also goes to New Glasgow, Mr. Frank Hall is at home from Hampton, for a The Misses Gates have gone to the "Hub" for a hort visit. Mr. Raven is soon to take his departure from

Pinatore is progressing finely. Mr. Guy Kinnear, Sussex, who intends taking one of the leading parts,

[Progress is for sale at Hampton station by T.G. Barnes, and Geo. E. Frost, and at Hampton village by Messrs. A. & W. Hicks.]

APRIL 2 .- Miss Minnie Travis and Miss Nellie Mrs. Nora M. Barnes, who was visiting her sister at Fredericton, has returned home.

Miss Ada Currie is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mrs. Frederick Whelpley, has gone to Fredericton, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. T. Whitehead.

Miss Bartlett left for Fredericton this afternoon

to spend the Easter holidays with friends. CHATHAM.

APRIL 3.—Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Girvan are in town visiting their father, the Hon. T. F. Gillespie.

Miss Overton has returned from her visit to Fred-



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> Dyspepticure not only aids Digestion, but positively cures Indigestion

Mr. Short has copyrighted the name name "Dyspepticure" and also a little pamphlet which he is longing to send to any person suffering from the complaint.

and Chronic Dyspepsia.

A Fifty-Cent Kiss.

"Papa," cried a seven-year-old, "I want some money to get-" "Don't go any further," he interrupted, throwing down a coin.

The child came slowly up to him, after

pocketing the money, and barely touched his cheek with a kiss. "Humph" ejaculated the parent, "from the kiss you give I should judge that you don't appreciate it very much."

She caught hold of his hands, and look-

ing squarely into his eyes, solemnly said: "Do you expect a ten-dollar kiss for fifty cents?"—Atlanta Constitution.

Consumption Cured.

An old physician retired from practice, having had placed in his hands by an East India missionary the formula of a simple vegetable remedy for the speedy and permanent cure of Consumption, Bronchitis, Catarrh, Asthma and all throat and lung affections, also a positive and radical cure for Nervous Debility and all Nervous Complaints, after having tested its wonderful curative powers in thousands of cases, has felt it his duty to make it known to his suffering fellows. Actuated by this motive and a desire to relieve human suffering, I will send free of charge, to all who desire it, this recipe, in German, French or English, with full directions for preparing and using. Sent by mail by addressing with stamp, naming this paper. W. A. Noyes, 820 Powers' Block, Rochester, N. Y.

Miss Pert (who has fallen on the pavement)—Oh, dear me! I believe I have sprained my ankle.

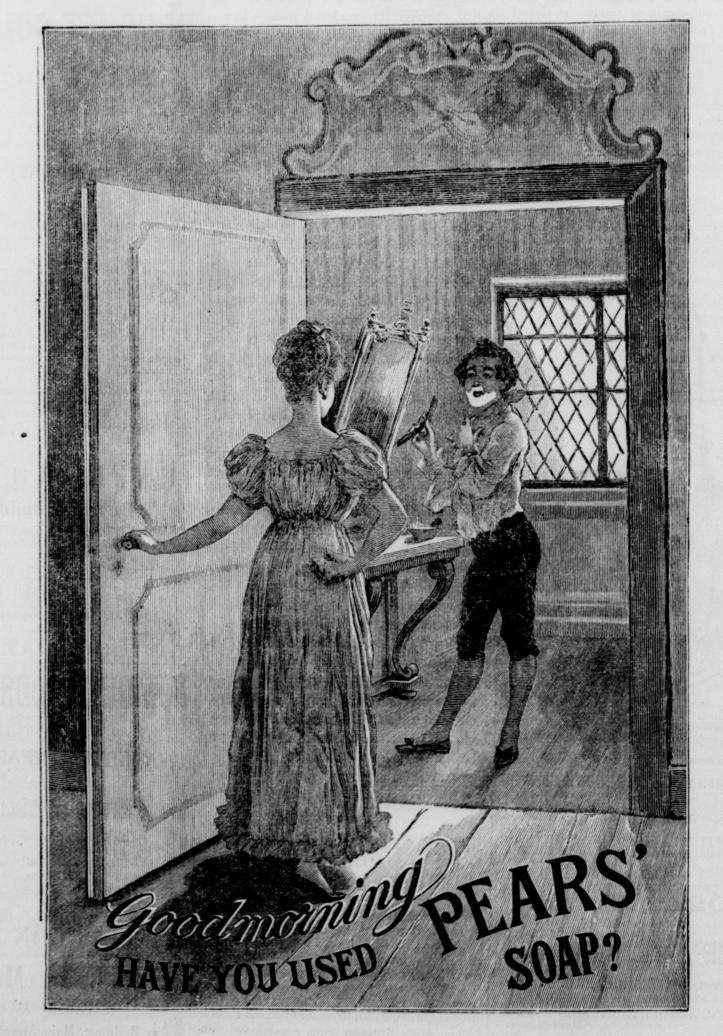
He Rescuer-I shouldn't wonder. I noticed, when you fell, that it was very neatly turned .- Time.

Filled the Bill. Elegantly attired Spinster-I see you

advertise for a cash girl? Merchant-Yes, ma'am; but -Elegantly attired Spinster-Well, I have fifty thousand in my own right. What's

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