# PROGRESS, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21, 1891.

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## IRIS TALKS ABOUT HALIFAX.

No more dancing until after Lent. The flat has gone forth, and consequently there is a hush upon society. The fair maiden with a sigh has locked away her "Robe decollete" and betaken herself to high necked costumes which more become the penitential season. True, we are not without a certain amount of mild amusement; sleigh driveswithout the harpers-are permissible, it is so long since we have been blest with a real old fashioned winter that we cannot begin to narrate the rare enjoyment we have derived from the sleigh and the toboggan. Forego this pastime during Lent ! such a proposal is extremely unreasonable, for it may perhaps be many years ere there will be again so much snow. Then there is the Rink. Here on Band days you may waltz to your hearts content, such rotatory evolutions on the ice not being considered dancing, in the strict sense of the word. Merely keeping ourselves in practice, plain skating is so absurdly slow. Next on the list come the euchre parties, one or two of these reunions a week, or even in lieu of something better a game of "Tiddledy Winks" tend to vary the monotony. Of course, the round of visiting still continues though, we will suppose, there is some difference in the quantity of tea, and gossip which is daily dished and consumed in vanity fair.

Mrs. Arthur Drysdale, of Victoria road, on Thursday last, gave a very large at home, about 60 guests were present. As is usual on such occasions, ladies were in the majority, though the sterner sex were fairly represented. Among the guests were Dr. and Mrs. Macgregor, Miss Tzie Macgregor, Dr. and Miss Currie, Mr. Justice and Mrs. Townsend, Mr., Mrs. and Miss White.

On the same evening Herr and Frau Doering gave a charming musicale at their residence, Church street. As the rooms are not very large, tickets were by invitation. All who were fortunate enough to be present thoroughly appreciated the intellectual treat to which they were bidden. The instrumental part of the programme was furnished by Herr Doering and his amiable wife. Their selections from Shubert, Hayden, and other celebrated German composers, were rendered in their usual finished style. Several of the best known among the vocal amateur talent of the city contributed, and assisted greatly towards making the concert the musical affair of the winter. Among the soloists was Mrs. Clarkson, an old favorite, to whose sweet voice it is always pleasant to listen. We are looking forward with much anticipation to another of these entertainments in the near future.

There is no excuse why the male portion of St. Luke's congregation should not come up to the religious standard this year. A special service for the men is held daily in the church of England Institute at one o'clock, p.m.-to be continued we understand until the close of Lent. As the Institute is on Barrington street, a very central station, the members of the congregation are enabled to drop in on the way home to lunch or dinner and attend the service which lasts but 15 minutes. We expect model husbands and brothers by Easter.

Isn't it odd that, no matter how dull the season, Cupid with his bow and quiver is forever on the entertainment. Mrs. D. E. Russell, of Chicago, who has been

Western home last Thursday, to the great regret of Henry Todd and Everett Lyle. her many friends, who considered her stay all too short.

Bank of Halifax, spent some days in town last afterwards at Miss Todd's residence. week.

I am glad to say that Mr. R. B. Boggs, who has been so ill, is recovering slowly, but surely. Rev. Mr. Little, of Sussex, held service in St. George's church last Sunday, delighting large congregations both at morning and evening service, by his eloquence.

Speaking of St. George's church, reminds me that the congregation have at length decided upon a rector, Rev. Betram Hooper, of Weldford, having been unanimously chosen at a meeting held last Monday evening. From all I have heard of Mr. Hooper, I fancy our friends are to be congratulated upon the wisdom of their choice.

Mrs. and Miss Morse, of Amherst, daughter and grandaughter of Mr. Boggs, who were spending some days at the Brunswick during his illness, returned home on Monday.

Dr. J. S. Brydges, of Oromocto. spent some days in town last week, visiting friends.

Miss Sherift, of Chatham, is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Killam.

Mr C. A. Robertson, of St. John, was in town on election day.

Miss Hocken, of Chatham, who has been spending some days with her brother, Mr. R. S. Hocken, returned home on Friday. PROGRESS' sixteen page edition was received in Moncton with much enthusiasm, so much enthusiasm in fact, that it was impossible for a great many

people to get it at all, and I heard many words of CECIL GWYNNE. warm praise for it.

### DORCHESTER.

### [PROGRESS is for sale in Dorchester at George M Fairweather's store.

FEB. 18 .- It seems to me that one's mind takes on kind of torpor, now in the deadness of the winter, that causes even the concocting of a social letter to be a weariness of the flesh. February always seems to reach the very depth of the dreary season. In March, though storms may rage, and winds may howl, the sun makes itself felt again with much fervency. One can imagine the grass, and all green things far under the snow, beginning to feel a stir of life, "An instinct within them that reaches and towers," to which even dull humanity responsive. The soul wakes up and feels new life-and far faint yearnings for summer gowns-if the soul be feminine.

Lent has come in very early this year, and put a sudden stop to the parties and various dissipations that agitated us ere its arrival. So many of our girls being away at school and elsewhere, adds to the general gloom, too.

The concert of which I spoke last week came off on Thursday, and was an unqualified success. Nothing so good has been heard in Dorchester for some time. St. Joseph's College orchertra supplied the instrumental music, and too much praise

cannot be given them for the charming way in which they did their part. One or two of their selections were a shade too loudly played, for the size of the hall, but otherwise they were fine. The chorus, "Come where the Lilies Bloom," was well sung by about 30 voices, and the French chorus. "Les Montagnaras," by the St. Cecilia choir, was much enjoyed and vigorously encored. Mrs. Richard and Mrs. LeBlanc sang the old favorite, "Whispering Hope," and received an encore. It was Mrs. Richard's first appearance before a Dorchester audience, I think, and we all hope it may not be her last. Mrs. LeBlanc also sang "When the Tide comes in" very charmingly. Judge Landry gave a brief address, and Mr. H. J. McGrath recited Sparticus' address to the Greeks, from "The Gladiators." It is unnecessary to say it was good. The tableaux, "Christ before Pilate," and the "Agony" were unusually fine, the costumes being very fine and carefully gotten up. The Comis tableau, "The Fine Arts," in which three of Judge Landry's little boys took part, was very amusing; but perhaps the most striking feature of the performance, because the most unusual, was Professor Arsenault's playing the cornet and piano at the same time. He was encored, of course, and kindly responded. Altogether the large audience enjoyed a most welcome treat, and should like to have an opportunity to do so again. Miss. Gillespie, of Chatham, who spent last week with Mrs. J. B. Forster, returned to her home on Monday. Her visit was made at a rather unfor. tunate time, just at the beginning of Lent.

fancy we may expect a treat when they give their McMullen, Miss Noe Clerke and Miss Louise Melick; Judge Stevens, and Messrs. John M. Stevens, H. Peltrick, W. O. Stewart, N. C. H. Grimmer, visiting her mother, Mrs. McBean, returned to her W. H. Edwards, Fred. Murchie, Arthur Murchie,

Miss Alice Todd and Miss Mary McGregor, of Milltown, have given invitations for a snowshoe ing, etc. The last meeting was held at the resi-Mr. E. C. Jarvis, inspector of the Merchants' tramp tomorrow evening, and a dance and supper

Mr. John Gillmor, of St. John, accompanied by his sister, Mrs. Lockhart, made a short visit here this week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Hutton. Mr. George J. Ciarke is visiting Grand Manan and vicinity.

Messrs. A. McNichol and W. H. Murchie went to New York city this week.

Miss Maud Marks • is entertaining a small tea party of lady friends this evening.

Mr. E. C. Goodnow, U. S. consul here, died suddenly at his room on Monday morning, and was buried in Calais yesterday afternoon. Mr. Good. bride and groom left on the C. P. R. for a trip to now had many friends here who are greatly shocked at his sudden death.

Miss Nettie Murchie entertained a small party of through the streets, waiting to take the young coufriends on Thursday evening last.

Mr. Fiank Parlee, of Sussex, was in town last week, the guest of Mr. C. A. Clerke,

Dr. Deinstadt has been spending a week in Boston and vicinity.

Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer went to St. Andrews on Thursday last, to visit her mother, Mrs. C. N. Gove, good style were : Mrs. Ryan, Mrs. H. Fawcett, for a month.

have been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Goucher, and are quite independent of any attendance from have returned to their home in Truro, N. S.

Mr. W.O. Stewart, of Hampton, spent a few days in town last week.

Mrs. J. A. Grimmer is spending a week in St. Andrews with her daughter, Miss Durell Grimmer. Mr. James Murchie, accompanied by his son, Mr. Frank Murchie, left this morning for Jacksonville, Florida, to remain until spring.

Miss Christina Todd, of Milltown, is spending several days with her friend, Mrs. Howard Mc Allister.

T. J. Smith.

last week, and will make her home in the future with her sister, Mrs. Henry Grahame.

morning.

afternoon for a short visit here, and is the guest of Mr. J. M. Murchie.

Miss Maud Murchie, of Calais, has gone to New York to visit relatives there.

### AMHERST.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Amherst, by George Douglas, at the Western Union Telegraph office.] FEB. 19.-Miss Hamilton gave her friends a great surprise when they heard of her marriage to Mr. Ganong, the popular proprietor of the Lamy hotel, which took place at Sackville on Shrove Tuesday. Rev. Cecil Wiggins officiating. The marriage was anticipated by some, but not quite so soon, or so quiet

Miss Gass, of Tatamogouche, is in town, with the intention of spending some weeks with her brother, Mr. J. B. Gass and Mrs. Gass.

Mrs. Peter Macfarline, of Fox Harbor, is the

You have only to look at the gay and giddy girl of a few weeks ago, to know that the penitentialtime has come, and she hies her to the sewing circle friends.

and there with a most demure countenance, she sits and sews the shining hours away, which in days gone by were spent in sleighing, tobogganing, dancdence of the fair president, Mrs. Mack, where some of the more industrious were cruel enough to say, they wished Lent would last all the year around, as they never got so much work done before.

Mr. W. M. Ganong of the Lamy hotel, Amherst, determined to overcome the difficulties of single life, drove over from Amherst on Tuesday afternoon, and, with the able assistance of the Rev. C.T. Wiggins, was launched safely into the sca of matri mony. The happy maiden was Clara Hamilton, one of Amherst's most attractive blondes. She was attired in a becoming travelling dress of navy blue cloth, with hat to match. After the ceremony the upper Canada. It was very amusing, the curiosity that was aroused by the Amherst cab driving

ple to the train. While standing at Crane's corner the other afternoon my attention was attracted by the number of expert drivers that prove to be one of the attractions of our town. Among those who I noticed on this particular afternoon handling the ribbons in Miss Black, Miss Ayer, Miss Norris. These ladies Mrs. Retty, and her son, Mr. Frank Retty, who seem to thoroughly understand the art of driving, COPPERFIELD. the other sex.

WELDFORD STATION.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Mrs. S. J. Livingston's grocery store, Weldford Station.]

FEB. 18 .- Mr. Peter Loggie, of Richibucto, was at the Eureka on Saturday. Hon. Senator Poirier drove from the shiretown by mail stage on Monday evening, remained over night at the Central, and proceeded to Rogersville by the

fast freight, yesterday morning. Mr. James F. Atkinson, and Inspector O'Brien were at the Eureka vesterday.

Mr. J. W. Miller of Millerton, and Mr. H. Williston, of Newcastle, were here yesterday.

Mr. W. W. Powell, of Moncton, and Mr. W. J. Bowser, of Kingston, spent Ssturday nigat at the Central. The latter gentleman had just returned from Fredericton, where he had been sworn in as

Mr. C. C. Carlyle, returning officer for this county, was moving around this neighborhood on Satur-

terday morning. Mr. Harry Wilson returned yesterday from Petit Rocher, Gloucester county, and will remain home

Mrs. Joseph Grogan, formerly of Campbellton, drove from Richibucto yesterday, and proceeded to Moncton by train. Mr. William G. Loggie, of Chatham, was in town

vesterday. Mrs. Robert Scott and family, of Richibucto, were at the Eureka on Monday, en route for Monc-

ton, where they will take up their residence. Mr. A. L. Dunlop, of St. John, came from the north by vesterdays accommodation train, and pro-

Mr. Richard Craig returned last week from Pictou, where he was spending a few days among

Despite the inclement weather Friday evening, Mrs. Dr. Bent, who had issued cards for a large card party, had six tables in progressive euchre, who were well repaid for braving the elements, as the evening proved a very enjoyable one. Mrs. Harry W. Crowe was awarded the ladies' first prize, while to Dr. Hall fell the gentlemen's "king" prize. Miss Mai Dimock and Andrew Campbell, respectively, were winners of the "booby" trophies. Mrs. W. S. Winn was "at home" to a select number of friends, to meet the Rev. Archdeacon and Mrs. Kaulbach. Tiddledy-winks, which is now quite popular at parties where cards and dancing are eschewed, proved quite a source of merriment. The new euchre club, inaugurated last week, mus-

tered but a few devotees last Friday evening at the hospitable residence of Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Prince. Those who did appear were well repaid by the few hours very pleasantly spent at Mrs. Prince's, and decided to meet this Friday evening at Dr. and Mrs. G. H. McKay's.

At "Scivelsby Manor," yesterday, Mrs. O. C. Cammings was "At Home" to a large number of Rev. Archdeacon and Mrs. Kaulbach, Mr. and the elite. Mrs. George Campbell, Dr. and Mrs. D. Muir, Dr. and Mrs. N. S. Muir, Dr. and Mrs. Bent, Mr. and Mrs. Jas K. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Harry T. Harding, Mr. and Mrs D. C. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Harry I. Harding, Mr. and Mrs D. C. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Blanchard, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Leckie, Miss Leckie, Mr. Bertie Leckie, (Acadia Mines); Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. Collary, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crowe, Mr. and Mrs. Seldon Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McLellan, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Chambers, Mrs. Stevens, Mrs. Holmes, Mrs. McLellan, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Harley, Mrs. Goridge, Mrs. Patter-son, Mr. and Mrs. W. Rennels, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blair, Miss Archibald, Miss Tremaine, Miss Bent, Miss Odell, Miss McKay, Captain Wright, R. N., Mr. C. E. Jarvis, of Halifax, Dr. Hall, Mr. A. Patterson, Mr. A. Campbell, Mr. Henderson Tremaine, Mr. W. F. Odell, Mr. George Odell, Mr. Bowers, Mr. Tabor. With few exceptions all of those invited were present. Mrs. Cummings was assisted in the reception of her guests by her sister, Miss Mai Dimock, Miss Blanche Tremaine, and Miss Milly Archibald, three of Truro's most charming and popular demoiselles. Mrs. Cummings, in a handsome costume of black

silk velvet over yellow satin brocade, en traine with steel girdle and diamond ornaments, looked as usual graceful and elegant. Miss Mai Dimock in a beautiful gown of white cloth, with yellow trimmings, and low bodice, looked

very lovely, and was indefatigable in looking after the enjoyment of the guests. Miss Archibald, in an elegant toilette of black

silk and lace, was very pretty, and Miss Tremaine looked well in a pretty custume of soft green cashmere and velvet.

In the dining room everything looked lovely and very inviting, decked in æsthetic yellow. Buffons of yellow shaded the lights; yellow dishes held the viands, and yellow cut flowers decked everything. Mrs. Cummings' cards specified from "four to seven," but at the invitation of their hostess most of the guests remained throughout the evening, availing themselves of the ball room and the charming music, to "tip the light fantastic," and when adieux were said, it was with regret that the hours had all too swiftly fled, to the conclusion of one of the pleasantest reunions of the season. i The entertainment spoken of to be given at Easter. which connection, Mrs. O. C. Cummings, Mrs.

W. S. Winn and Mrs. Dr. Bent, were announced as patronesses, has been abandoned for the present. The Misses Stanfield gave a very pleasant party Monday evening last. Dancing and cards diverted the guests, who numbered nearly 40.

Miss Wilbur, who has been visiting Miss Mc-Kenzie at the "Prince," returned to her home in Dorchester, last week.

Rov. Mr. Cumming of St. Andrews, and Rev. Mr. Turnbull of Sellarton, exchanged pulpits last Sab-

Friday evening. About 20 were present, who en-

# By All Odds

The most generally useful medicine is Aver's Pills. As a remedy for the various diseases of the stomach, liver, and bowels, these Pills have no equal. Their sugar-coating causes them not only to be easy and pleasant to take, but preserves their medicinal integrity in all climates and for any reasonable length of time. The best family medicine, Ayer's Pills are, also, unsurpassed for the use of travelers, soldiers, sailors, campers, and pioneers. In some of the most critical cases, when all other remedies have failed,

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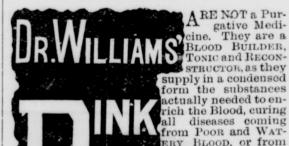
"In the summer of 1864 I was sent to the Annapolis hospital, suffering with chronic diarrhea. While there, I became so reduced in strength that I could not speak and was compelled to write everything I wanted to say. I was then having some 25 or 30 stools per day. The doctors ordered a medicine that I was satisfied would be of no benefit to me. I did not take it, but persuaded my nurse to get me some of Dr. Ayer's Pills. About two o'clock in the afternoon I took six of these pills, and by midnight began to feel better. In the morning the doctors came again, and after deciding that my symptoms were more favorable, gave me a different medicine, which I did not use, but took four more of the pills instead. The next day the doctors came to see me, and thought I was doing nicely, (and so did I). I then took one pill a day for a week. At the end of that time, I considered myself cured. and that Ayer's Pills had saved my life. I was then weak, but had no return of the disease, and gained in strength as fast ascould be expected."-F. C. Luce, Late Lieut. 56th Regt. Mass. Vol. Infantry. "Ayer's Pills are

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Miss David Brown is visiting for a week, Mrs. Miss Annie Colter, of Fredericton, arrived here

Mrs. Frank T. Bixby returned to Halifax this

Mr. Frank Tucker, of Boston, arrived on Monday

barrister-at-law.

day. Conncillor Robert Murphy was at the Central yes-

one week.

The euchre club met at Mrs. D. H. McKay's, last

day.

REX.

alert. It has recently been announced that a young lady residing at the South End, Miss May Bauld, has given her heart to a young banker, lately resident in the city. We offer our congratulations. Among euchre parties lately given, we refer to those of Mrs. Frank Roberts, Inglis street. The Misses Scott, South Park street, Miss Pugh, Pleasant street, and the Misses Page, Victoria road, all of which it is said were delightful affairs. Inglis street is one of the raciest quarters of the city. If you wish to obtain information concerning the latest on dit, an afternoon spent in visiting anywhere in the region of Victoria road or Inglis street will in all likelihood afford you the desired "tid bit." Wednesday is most generally the "at home" day in this vicinity, and on nearly every evening during the week if there is not a party on the tapis in Inglis street there is sure to be one in Victoria road.

Apropos of the "at home" day-do you not consider it one of the most sensible institutions of modern society ! especially since persons dwelling in the same street have adopted the same daywhereas formerly, you started out and perhaps "did" the town without finding one person at home. At present calling is a real pleasure. Before leaving home a glance at the visiting list informs you which is the "day" in such a district, and the result is a pleasant afternoon spent in conversing with acquaintances, while imbibing Formosa deliciously flavored with the latest gossip-

Among the late pleasant dances which were given before Lent, we must not omit mentioning a masquerade dance at Mdme. Balval's, South Park street. This dance was most enjoyable, as it possessed all the charm of novelty, being conducted a la Paris. During the entire evening the guests conversed in French, French music was played, and the refreshments were prepared after la mode francaise. Since the genial Professor Balval has come to town, he has done much towards improving our French. Under his able tuition several of his pupils now converse with the fluency of Parisians. French with us is all the rage, certain young ladies devoting all their free time to the study of the language.

This reminds us that we missed last week the usual French column from the pages of PROGRESS. What is the matter ? Was the emulation only a straw fire, blazing up but for a moment. We trust not, for we should truly miss the "Nouvelles francaise." We didn't mind the faults a bit, and should be sincerely sorry if the young ladies allowed their interest so quickly to flag.

Rev. Dyson Hogue, rector of St. Paul's, and Mrs. Hogue, entertained a number of their friends at the rectory, on Spring Garden Road, one evening last week. The soirce was small, but very pleasant.

Miss Kate Hamifton, on Tuesday evening last, gave a very pleasant whist party. About 16 young ladies and gentlemen were present.

On Thursday last the General gave a sleighing party out the road as far as Bedford. About 16 sleighs made up the party. Among others, we noticed Miss Kate Kenny, Mr. John Ryan, Mrs. Nesbitt, Mr. Stairs, Miss Duffus, Mr. Marsh, Dr. McDowell, Mrs. Bagot, Miss Noyes, Mrs. Middlemas, Mr. Macgowan, Miss Nagle, Mrs. F. Jones.

We cannot close without congratulating PROGRESS on its fine appearance. We really derived as much information from its 16 pages as from one of the latest and best magazines. The type, too, is good, which is a great item in newspaper reading. PRO-GRBSS has lately taken great strides, and we expect ere long to see it, in point of merit, equal to, if not in advance, of the best weekly in the Dominion.

#### MONCTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Moncton at the book stores of W. W. Black and W. H. Murray, Main street.]

FEB. 18.-The task of writing social news this ause there

Mr. Forster, of the Halifax Banking Company, at Sackville, spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Forster.

Hon. A. G. Blalr was in town on Thursday. Another of our young ladies has departed, but only for a week, Miss Belle Forster having gone to Amherst to visit her friend, Miss Mitchell. His many friends are very glad to know that Mr. J. H. Hickman will be strong enough to leave for

the south this week. I hope the change will prove most beneficial. Mrs. J. F. Teed has gone to Richmond to visit her

son, the Rev. A. W. Teed. Mr. H. G. McGrath has returned from his visit to

New York and Boston. Mr. J. Lemont was in town last Thursday and

Friday. His visits have an extremely harmonious effect, and we are always glad to see him. THYSME.

[A mistake crept into our last week's Dorchester correspondence, which stated that the St. Edward's (R. C.) church concert was to take place Wednes day (Ash Wednesday). Whether it was our correspondent's slip, or the fault of the office, we do not know, but in any event this correction is gladly given space .- THE EDITOR.

ST. STEPHEN.

[PROGRESS is for sale in St. Stephen at the bookstores of C. H. Smith & Co., and G. S. Wall and H. M. Webber.1

FEB. 18 .- The gayest and most enjoyable enter tainment we have had this season was the drive, and dance given by Mrs. C. H. Clerke, Mrs. W. F. Todd, Mrs. James Mitchell, and Mrs. R. K. Ross, at Rockaway Cottage, the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clerke, situated on the river bank some four or five miles from here.

At 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon a very jolly party of 70 ladies and gentlemen left here in large sleds and sleighs, some of which were drawn by four horses. With the exception of the upsetting of one sled which caused much fun and laughter, all reached Rockaway safely. The cottage was prettily decorated with chinese lanterns, flags and bunting, and presented a very bright appearance. Supper was served at 6 o'clock, dancing began and lasted until midnight. Ices were served during the evening, and everything was done by the ladies to make their guests enjoy themselves.

Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Walter

guest of Mrs. Alex. Robb.

Miss Campbell returned from Halifax, on Ash Wednesday, having enjoyed a most delightful ten days visit there.

Miss Esterbrooks, of Sackville, has opened a class in town for dancing, which is bein; well patronized by the little folks. She will come over twice during the week.

Mrs. Medley Townshend gave a whist party, on Friday night, to a few friends. Mr. James A. Dickey, C. E., spent Saturday in

Rev. Mr. Strey, curate at St. Paul's, Halifax, took the service in Christ church on Sunday, morning and evening

The town was full of strangers on Thursday, to meet Sir Charles Tupper, who, during his stay, was a guest of his nephew, Mr. C. T. Hillson.

Among the number I noticed Mr. P. S. Archibald, Moncton, Mr. A. Wilson, Pugwash, and Senator McFarlane, Wallace.

Mrs. Ketchum spent Friday in Moncton with her sister, Mrs. Binney.

Mrs. Douglas left on Tuesday for Dorchester, and will accompany her brother, Mr. John Hickman, to Ashville, North Carolina, where he has been ordered for the benefit of his health.

Dr. C. O. Tupper, determined to keep abreast of the times, left last week for New York, to take a special course in the Koch treatment in the Belevue

Hospital, under the celebrated Dr. Loomis. Miss Myra Black entertained a number of her young friends at a 5 o'clock tea on Tuesday.

Mr. Ketchum returned from New York on Satur-

Mrs. Sidney Moore, of Oxford, was in town on Friday last.

Mrs. J. Inglis Bent gave a pleasant afternoon tea on Wednesday to a number of young ladies. Miss Jennie Webster, of Shediac, is in town, the

guest of Mrs. Dunlap, Havelock street. Mr. and Mrs. Bourque have returned from their

wedding trip. Mrs. Clinton J. Morse returned this week from

Moncton, where she has been for some time with her father, Mr. Boggs, who has been very dangerously ill, but is now recovering.

Mrs. Arthur R. Dickey spent a day with her father, Mr. Boggs, last week, and went up again this week for a day.

Miss Binet, who has been spending a month with Mrs. Pipes, expects to leave for her home in Arichat on Thursday.

Mr. F. D. Laurie, brother of Gen. Laurie, has been in town this week, the guest of Judge Morse. Miss Laura Johnstone has gone to spend two MEG. weeks in Parrsboro.

SACKVILLE.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Sackville at C. H. Moore's ookstore.]

FEB. 17 .- The election passed off very quietly on Saturday in fact it was almost too quiet. It made one think there was no interest taken in it, whatever, but no doubt there was many an anxious heart waiting the tidings at six o'clock.

Towards evening the news spread like wild-fire that Mr. Harvey Phinney had been run over by a horse and sleigh and killed, but on further enquiry it proved to be not quite so serious, though I am sorry to say Mr. Phinney is very badly hurt. He was picked up nnconscious and carried into Dr. Thorne's office, his head was very much cut, and had to have three or four stitches taken in it. I am glad to inform the triends of Mr. Phinney at the time of writing, he is on a fair way to recovery. It is something marvellous to me there are not more accidents occur as people insist on fast driving in the public streets, utterly indifferent, as to whether they run you down or not at least it looks like it.

News reached here last week of a sad drowning accident which occurred at Vancouver, B. C.

ceeded to Richibucto by private conveyance.

ANDOVER.

FEB. 11 .- The death of Mr. Lewis Pickett, which occurred on Sunday afternoon, was a great shock to his many friends. Hopes of his recovery had been entertained until Saturday, when he had a stroke of paralysis, which resulted in his death. The bereaved family have the deep sympathy of the community. In the death of Mr. Pickett Andover loses

one of its most respected citizens. Miss Kate Watson visited friends in Houlton, Me., ast week. Miss Mildred Hay left Friday morning for Mill-

ville en route to Boston, where she will spend the spring months.

Mrs. Thomas R. Cameron left Monday morning for Haverhill, Mass., to take care of her daughter, Miss Nellie, who is very ill there. Miss Mary Baxter is visiting friends in Frederic-

ton and St. John. Mr. C. LeB. Miles spent a few days in Woodstock

last week. Mr. Frank Tinker, the popular young C. P. R. agent, spent Sunday in Woodstock.

About twenty of our prominent citizens, accompanied by the 67th Battalion band, went up to Grand Falls last evening to attend the banquet in honor of the Hon. John Costigan, minister of inland rev-

Rev. Mr. Dobson, of Woodstock, delivered a most interesting and amusing lecture on "Superstition and Its Absurdities," in the temperance hall, last evening. Owing to bad roads and so many being out of town, there was a small attendance.

Mr. Will Black, of Richibucto, is spending a few days here.

### RICHIBUCTO.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Richibucto at the W.U. Tel. office, by Miss Jessie White.]

FEB. 17 .- We feel shut out from the world at present on account of our railroad being closed. The manager and the engine are at one end of the road and the snowplow at the other, with abundance

of snow and ice between. Mr. J. M. Robertson of St. John was in town last week

Col. N. A. D. Stevens has been confined to his nome for the past week through illness. His many friends hope to see him out again soon. Those mysterious beings, the Masons, intend having a grand concert in the near future. The local talent will be assisted by talent from the rail-

Mr. Leslie J. Wathen of Weldford was in town last Friday.

Mr. C. C. Carlyle, travelling correspondent of the *Review* is in town this week. He has been appointed returning officer for the election in view of his past services rendered to the party through his

facile pen. Mr. William Loggie of Chatham spent Sunday in

Dr. Leger, ex M. P. of Buctouche was in town on Monday, interviewing his friends on the present situation. "Kent for the Acadians" is still the popular cry of a few of our citizens. Dr. Leger was accompanied by Senator Poirier. Hon. O. J. LeBlanc, M. P. P., was in town on

Mrs. Trogan and Miss Lily McIneary left this morning for Campbellton. Some of the young men are inconsolable at the loss of the later.

The sixteen page PROGRESS was a most accept-able valentine to its readers here. It reflects credit

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TRURO, N. S.

on both its proprietor and our province.

Held over from last Saturday.]

[PROGRESS is for sale in Truro at Mr. G. O. Fulton's.] FEB. 11 .- Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Craig went to Pictou last Thursday, to attend the deathbed and ob

sequies of the latter's father. "Golden Medical Discovery" cures those diseases

In their Original Comedy Creation, entitled, "Musical Pastimes." SAM AND KITTLE MORTON which come from blood impurities-scrofula and

joyed a very pleasant evening. The club meets this week at Mrs. Fred Prince's.

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

FEB. 18.-Rev. C. H. Paisley lectured at Chatham

on Monday evening. Messrs. Geo. K. Short, R. M. Bockus, W. A. Ewing, and W. H. Simon, of St. John, were among EVERY MAN Who finds his mental fac-ulties dull or failing, or the visitors in town last week. Miss Bessie Peters has been visiting relatives in

St. John for the past two weeks. The Central Railroad to St. Martins has been blocked for some days, and is a great inconvenience to the travelling public. It is expected to be open

again within a few days.

Mr. A. C. Fairweather was in town on Monday. Miss Carrie Haggerty, who has been confined to her home for several weeks, is, I am pleased to hear, mproving.

Miss Haggerty is at present with her aunt in St. John. Her many friends nope to hear of her speedy recovery and return to her duties as teacher in the chool near the station.

The death is announced of the Rev. Andrew Donald an old and respected minister of the Presbyterian church and for many years past a resident at the village

Rev. W. R. Pepper, of Upham, drove over to Hampton on Tuesday. Miss Hitchins paid a brief visit to Hampton last

veek Mrs. Travis and Mrs. Prichard paid a visit to the

ity on Saturday. Mr. J. E. B. McCready and Mr. J. Thompson, of St. John, were in town last week. Mr. W. T. Scribner went to Moncton on Satur-

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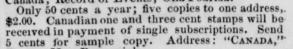
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Last Thursday evening Mrs. George Donkin entertained a number of young friends at a very pleasant whist party. HAMPTON.

is so little to write, and difficult because it was hard	Bradnee, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Inches, Captain and Mrs. Howard McAllis-	Thomas Carter and Ernest Purdy were the victims.		In their Wonderful Sketches.	Benton, New Brunswick.
work to collect any at all. Things are naturally very	THE TRANSPORT		lons, and sold to hundreds of thousands. Can it		
quiet in social circles, the Lenten season having		I ladice to a joing breigh dirite on another of the	cure as well as though it had been compounded just	GEORGE FELIX AND DORA CLAXTON,	A. & J. HAY,
brought cessation from the giddy whirl of gayety	Henry Hill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Grimmer, Mr. and	The big box sied which has provided so much run	Its makers say that thousands of people who have	Gust a Sketch. Watch the Boards.	$A, \alpha J, \Pi A I,$
which has held Moncton society in its thrall for the	A Chu C M and Mar D W Calman	1 for the young people, was namessed up and about	had Tetter and Salt-rheum, Eczema and Erysipelas, Carbuncles and Sore Eyes, Thick Neck and Enlarged	DAN GULLING AND DICK WELCH!	DEALERS IN
last six weeks.	Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Murchie, Mr. and Mrs. A. C.	han-past timee on they started, a perfect bundle of	Glands, are well to day because they used it.	The Premier Song and Dance Artists.	
I understand that the bread and butter club will	Jones, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Vroom, Mr. and Mrs.	fair, merry makers.	Suppose that this is so. Suppose that a quick- witted man was far-seeing enough to know that to	St. John's TIM CURRAN!	Diamonds, Fine Jewelry, American Watches,
continue to meet as usual, "irrespective of party	Arthur Hill, Mrs. Waterbury, Mrs. Moore, Mrs.		witted man was far-seeing enough to know that to cleanse the blood was to cleanse the life. Suppose	Favorite, OIM OUTICAN.	French Clocks, Optical Goods, Etc.
feeling." Also that the amateur dramatic club are	DoWolfe, Miss Grace Stevens, Miss Christina Todd,	Man Hanne Francett Mag I F Allicon Miss	that by many experiments, and after many failures,	Irish Comedian, in his Characteristic Dances and Funny Sayings.	
taking advantage of the quiet season to prepare a	Miss Abbie Todd, Mrs. Burdette, Miss Brown, Mrs.	Vail spent Friday in Amherst, revelling in the	he discovered this golden key to health and that his	The performance to conclude with the laughable	JEWELRY MADE TO ORDER and REPAIRED
play, which will be placed on the boards soon after	Melvin Miss Jennie Lyle, Mrs. T. J. Smith, Mrs.	yan spent Filling in Almierot, retening in the	your druggist, buy a bottle, and if it doesn't help	comedy, entitled :	76 KING STREET.
Easter. I believe the play selected is Blow for			you, you can get your money returned-cheerfully.	WARHOOD!	
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as the A. D. C. is solid on both these essentials, I	ness, Hall's Hair Renewer is unsurpassed Advt.	buildi,			