# PROGRESS, SATURDAY, MAY 9, 1891.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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#### HAMPTON.

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

MAY 6 .- Judge Wedderburn and family, who have been spending a portion of the winter at the Vendome, removed to their residence at the village, on Saturday.

Mrs. Dr. Jehns has returned, and is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. F. Maynard, at the rectory in the village.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. McLeod spent Saturday at their summer residence "Asholm.

Dr. Manchester and Mr. Leonard Allison, of Sussex, were in Hampton on Friday.

Mrs. Percy Warneford paid a visit to the city on Friday.

Mrs. Fred S. Whittaker spent a few days here last week, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Whittaker.

Mr. Fred M. Sproul and family left last week for Moncton, where they will reside in future, Mr. Sproul having accepted a situation in the office of the Moncton and Buctouche railway. Mr. John F. Tilton and Mr. Geo. W. Parker, of

St. John, were in town last week.

Rev. Ezekiel Hopper, having resigned the pastorate of the Baptist church, will, I regret to say, leave shortly for Albert country, where he intends to take up his future residence. The Rev. Mr. Hopper is a most genial and amiable gentleman-a popular favorite of all classes and creeds-and his departure from this place will be long felt by all who knew him. He preached his farewell sermon on Sunday evening to a highly appreciative con-

gregation. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Frost have removed their residence to the house of Mrs. J. Bradshaw. Mr. George F. Matthews, of the customs, St.

John, was in town on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. J. DeWolfe Spurr paid a flying

visit to Hampton on Saturday. Mr. E. L. Whittaker went to Chatham on Satur-

day to visit his father, who is seriously ill. Miss Fannie Palmer passed through here on

Tuesday en route to Upham.

Mr. S. L. Gorbell and family, of St. John, have arrived and moved into Mrs. Monmouth Fowler's pleasant residence at Lakeside, where they will spend the summer.

Mr. James Rourke, M. P. P, and Mr. David Vaughan, of St. John, were among the visitors in town last week

Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Whelpley went to Sussex on Tuesday.

Mr. S. Hayward, who with Mrs. Hayward have been spending the winter in Florida and Jamaica, returned last week, leaving Mrs. Hayward in New

York, where she will make a brief visit. Dr. Geo. L. Taylor left on Tuesday on his pro posed trip. He intends visiting Europe before returning home.

# ST. ANDREWS.

MAY 5.-The first wedding that has graced All Saints church for the last ten years was celebrated on Wednesday morning last at half-past six o'clock, by Rev. Canon Ketchum, the contracting parties being Miss Alice McCurdy of this place and Mr. Boyd of Fredericton. The groom's cousin acted as bride was dressed in a pretty gray travelling suit, with hat to match. The bridesmaid wore a dress present to the bride was a handsome otter shoulder party left by train on their wedding tour amid

Mrs. W. W. McLellan, of Newcastle, was at the entral on Friday. Mrs. McDermott and Miss McDermott, of the Eureka, went to Moncton yesterday and returned

Mr. Herbert M. Buckley took in a portion of the city of Moncton yesterday, and returned by the evening express.

Mr. James Smith has returned to his old guarters at the Central, after visiting Sussex, N. B., and

many prominent parts of Nova Scotia. Mr. William W. Pride returned by last evening's express train from Boston, U. S., where he had been or the past six weeks. He looks hale and hearty, and is receiving congratulations accordingly. Mr. John W. Miller, of Millerton, spent Monday

n this latitude, and left for home yesterday. Miss Janie Pride gave her young friends a May party last Friday evening, on which occasion the fair hostess was crowned "Queen of May." Music,

vocal and instrumental, refreshments, games, etc., helped to pass away a few hours in which the young folks enjoyed themselves to their hearts' content Mr. W. C. Whittaker, of the P. O. inspector's

office, St. John, was at the Eureka on Friday. Mr. Andrew W. Walker and Mr. Harrison Walker were at the Eureka on Saturday on their way home

Richibucto from the western states. Mr. James G. McDonald, of Middle Covendale, Albert Co., was at the Central on Sunday, having come to attend the funeral of his sister, Mrs. M. T.

Glenn Mr. Martin Flanagan and Mr. John Cadigan, of Richibucto, were at the Eureka last evening, and left for home by private conveyance this morn-

Mr. Michael Burns, of Richibucto, is in town visiting his daughter, Mrs. James Buckley. Mr. Robert Clark, one of the oldest magistrates in the county, has been quite ill for some time

Dr. Keith has been suffering from an attack of la grippe for the past few days.

Ex-Councillor Frank Curran, of Moneton was at the Eureka last evening. Mr. W. W. McLellan, of the I. C. R., was at the Central last evening ond proceeded towards Monc-

istrict, which bears the reputation of always being condition. Mr. Daniel Petley and family have removed from

Albert Co., and taken up their residence in this

The members of the Weldford brass band intend giving a concert in the town hall here on Friday evening, the 15th inst. Among the bandsmen are vocalists of no mean order, and these, combined with some local talent, will give a good account of themselves. Mr. John W. Miller will be director and general manager on the occasion. REX.

#### WOODSTOCK.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Woodstock at Everett's Bookstore.1

MAY 6 .- Everything is quiet here, it being to early for outdoor amusements and the time of spring cleaning is not a welcome time for tea shines or dancing parties. There is, however, a fair pros-

the festivities to entertain the summer visitors. Mrs. Stephen Smith gave a dance recently for Miss Peters, who was visiting Mrs. George Smith. All the young people who dance were invited and spent a delightful evening. Miss Peters went home

the following day. The whist club is taking a vacation till fall. The last meeting was at Mrs. B. H. Smith's. A few outside the club were invited and dancing of course followed.

The ladies of the Methodist church held a "butbest man, and Miss Billings was bridesmaid. The beide was drassed in a pratty gray travelling suit f buttercups, and the prevailing color in the decorwith hat to match. The bridesmaid wore a dress of navy blue, with hat to match. The groom's tions were tasteful and the tea most inviting. There was a flower booth, a table of fancy articles and ice present to the bride was a handsome otter shoulder cape. Immediately after the ceremony the bridal party left by train on their wedding tour amid at the refreshment table. Miss Jennie Townshend had charge of the flower booth, and it is needless to add that every rose found a purchaser. The band furnished music and a great many couples enjoyed the promenade concert in the evening. Alterton managed the ice cream and sherbet table, and, notwithstanding the coolness of the weather, the larger part was sold. A handsome sum was realized for the church fund. Mr. and Mrs. George Anderson reached home on Friday, after a short wedding trip. They have taken part of the Jewett house, and Mrs. Anderson

# IRIS TALKS ABOUT HALIFAX.

PROGRESS is for sale in Halifax at the following places

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Not the least among the amusements during the past week was Mrs. Klingenfeld's novel entertainment held in Masonic hall. It continued for three days, and was a decided success financially. On the afternoons of these days there was held a fancy sale, and every evening a different programme was given the public. On the first night, Tuesday, was the concert by Herr Klingenfeld and pupils assisted by several vocalists, among whom were Mrs. Klingenfelt, Mr. Norman and Mr. Wilson. Miss Page's piano solo was greatly admired, "Fantasie polonaise" "Raff." Little Miss Beatrice Whidden delighted her audience by her violin solo, "Minuet in D." This young lady promises to become an accomplished player; indeed, already, she appears in public and handles her violin with all the nonchalance of a young professional. Perhaps the gem of the evening was the trio, "Ave Vernen," rendered by Mrs. Klingenfeld, Mr. Wilson and ton on his "trolly" on a tour of inspection of his Mr. Norman; the time was capital, and their voices accorded perfectly. Among the violinists we accord the honors of the evening to Miss Gladys Tremaine, her solo, "Barcarole," calling forth universal applause; the young artiste was encored enthusiastically, but a graceful bow and sweet smile was all that could be elicited from the fair amateur. When about half the programme had been produced there was a sort of entre acte of about 20 minutes tor refreshments. The audience dispersed and promenaded around the hall admiring the pretty fancy articles exhibited for sale at one of the large tables, and presided over by a bevy of youth and beauty. The prettiest affair in the room was the Vienna booth, in which tea, ice cream, and various refreshments were provided for the hungry and thirsty. All who came hither were waited upon by a band of fair Japanese. Altogether, the entertainpect for a gay summer-we always try and reserve | ment on Tuesday, was voted an unqualified success. Wednesday, Mrs. Jarley's waxworks were produced,

several of the characters being startlingly life like; perhaps that which struck our fancy more than the others was the "Indian chief and Puritan Maiden." Society still continues exceedingly dull. In social circles there is a dearth of amusements. No dances, scarcely a euchre party to enliven the scene; certainly, there are always a few at homes sur le tapis, but what are they after all; slow affairs, at their best. The last dance (which we recorded last week) was given at Emscote, for Miss Slayter. It was so greatly enjoyed that those among the elite who were forunate enough to be invited, are exclaiming most athetically-who is going to give the next? Who is? Won't some kind matron have compassion on the triste demoiselles, and invite them to trip the "light fantastic?" However, since there are so few lances, society must have some amusement, consequently out-door pastimes have become the order of There have been several pleasant walking e day. parties to Bedford; the party usually take the train to Rockingham, and from thence promenade to Bedford. A very pleasant affair of this description her to marry so young. Fancy a wife in this en-

lightened country only seven years old! Sir Adams and Lady Archibald are going in a few weeks to take up their residence in Truro, where they have a sweet little cottage and farm. In the meantime their large and handsome house in Hollis street is let furnished, for a year, to Dr. Reogh and family, who are coming here from Ireland, in order that Mrs. Reogn may be near her parents. Sir Ed-ward and Lady Kenny, who I rearet to say are both in very bad health. Lady Kenny has had an attack grave fears are entertained. Miss Reogh will be a great addition to the youth and beauty of Halifax, being a bright merry girl, with true Irish eyes, "put in with a dirty finger," as some graphically expresses it.

The handsomest house on Ho lis street is closed ro tem, owing to the absence abroad of the owner, f la grippe, and being an old lady and quile infirm, Mrs. Keith, with her daughters. She is "doing New York, thence England and Scotland, and afterwards the continent.

We are expecting social reinforcements soon now, in the arrival of the wives and families of the officers of the 17th regiment, who very wisely have kept away till the warmth of summer is an assured

Miss Almon, eldest daughter of Dr. Wm. B. Almon will return some time in June, from a year's absence in England, where she has been visiting er sister, Mrs. Binney, and her many friends.

Miss Clarkson, daughter of Capt. Clarkson, will also return to this city sometime towards the end f June. So you see not all of our girls are gone

Miss Lily Uniacke, daughter of Mr. Robie Uni-cke, returned last Monday from England, after an absence of some two years. Also at the same time Mrs. Wm. Hill, Miss Freda Hill and Master Claud Hill have returned. We are consoled by this influx for the breakup the passenger list of the Parisian made in the ranks of society.

Everybody in Halifax is either going to an auction of household goods or else having one them-selves. It is really startling to read the daily list of such sales. Many people seem to be bitten by the boarding mania, but they soon tire of that and again resume housekeeping and servant worries. For the latter, things have come to such a pass that

uite eclipsing poker and euchre here, and you can win or lose just as easily. They are very fascinat-ing and I greatly fear that if I were a man, I should be an inveterate gambler-only a gambler, mark

The death of Mr. Martin Black has enriched many of his relations. It must be very delightful to find ones self suddenly in affluence, particularly if life has been a struggle before. Mrs. Black's beautiful place at the north end is to be sold, which seems a oity, for certainly there is no one here either willing able to pay for it what it is worth. It is kept in the most periect order, and the conservatories and graperies have always been among the "shew places" of Halifax. In these days no one wants to

wy, for all seem to be building. Mr. S. Porter's benefit was most delightful. The audience was with the singers from start to finish, and, oh! what a help that always is! When one feels that one has the sympathy and attention of an audience, how much more easily and pleasantly one At least I always find it so. On Thursday night the choruses were splendidly sung, all heartily applauded, and one even encored, which, strange to say, is something unusual. I have never vet been able to understand why, in the beautiful horus singing which we have from this talented and well drilled ciub, there is so seldom an encore lemanded. On this occasion the soloists were all with one exception) recalled, Herr Doering and Herr Klingenfelt in particular bringing down the house. Miss Laine looked remarkably well in a pretty red gown, and sung better than ever. Miss Burns, daughter of Rev. Dr. Burns, took a prominent part as a soloist, and did her instructress, (Miss Laine) vast credit, for she sung with much taste and feeling. Her voice is strong, full and rich, and when she gets over the little nervousness, which only natural in a debutante, we shall have among the club, a soloist of no small merit. Mr. Porter, the beneficiary, was in his place in the orchestra, looking quiet and serene as usual, though a bride groom of only thirty-six hours standing.

Sir John Ross returned on Saturday from Washington trip, so perhaps there may be something to chronicle from the gay world next week. He has with him his two nieces, who have come for the summer, but already one of them is laid up with grippe, contracted in New York.

# WINDSOR, N. S.

MAY 5 .- After my letter was mailed last Tuesday, I heard of the death of Mr. W. K. McHeffey. Mr. McHeffey has been in ill health for some time, and his death was not altogether unexpected by his friends. He breathed his last at 11.30 on Tuesday evening at the residence of Mr. Edward Dimock. Mrs. Dimock is Mr. McHeffey's only sister. His loss will be much felt in Windsor, both in the church and in secular affairs. He is the second who has been laid to rest from beneath Mr. Dim-

ock's roof this winter, Mrs. Timlin having passed <sup>a</sup>way some months ago.

After the last spiteful frown of winter last week, spring has tripped forth smiling, and everyone teels genial (or ought to), basking in the friendly warmth. Bicycles and tricycles are becoming frequent in the land, I would not like to say how many one might count bowling down the street on any fine afternoon. And is not the popularity of the bicycle in Windsor a very pretty tribute to the

fact that a champion cyclist resides among us? Any one who pays a visit to his house on Ferry hill may see a large collection of medals, beside a handsome silver cup, and other trophies of his prowess on the cinder track. It is not an unusual sight to see half a dozen or so small tricycles steered by as many little maidens whirling down

the street at a good pace, and a very pretty sight they are. The gypsies have come, which is another sign of spring. It is rather at variance with one's precon-

ceived notions of gypsies to hear them speak with a broad Scotch accent, yet such is the case with these, and they do not look at all as if they sang "In the gypsey life we lead" around their camp fires in the evening. And when you see a so-called gypsy in the salvation army anything but picturesque garb, a good deal of the romance vanishes.

Mr. Dickey, of Amherst, spent a few days at Mr. Edward Dimock's last week.

Dr. Maynard conducted service at Wolfville on Mr. Stephen Wiggins has returned from New

York. Mr. F. A. Green, of St. John, was in Windsor on Friday and Saturday. Mr. E. J. Morse has been in Bridgetown for a

Mr. R. H. Trapnell's brother is visiting him. Mrs. Owen Jones of Halifax and three children are visiting Archdeacon and Mrs. Weston Jones. On Saturday a walking party under the chaper-onage of Mrs. O'Brien and Mrs. Lawson, went to the falls about three miles from town. They were joined by a few equestrians, who I fancy had the best of it on the home stretch. There was one little man of about nine who got enough of it I think; however, he nobly foreboae from complaining till he discovered there was still another mile to go, then his only remark was "Do-you-think-this-mile-

will-be-a-very-long-mile?[all said in capital letters with long pauses between-it spoke volumes.

I wonder why it is that when dances are given at which the student element is large, and the invitations consequently given for half past seven, that so many maidens persist in not arriving until half past eight. The students are obliged to be back at college at 12 o'clock or pay a fine of \$1 for every hour after midnight. If the ladies would permit the hostess to carry out her intention of beginning the dancing an hour earlier, the end of the programme would be reached at 11.30 instead of 12.30 and there would be no fines to pay, and no patient students hanging about the halls and empty rooms for one good hour waiting for the fair sex to put in an appearance. If I were a student and were treated

move it.

in costumes of the olden times, was splendidly done, and reflects great credit on Miss Lua Simpson, who trained the young ladies. Mr. Di kson's humorous remarks in announcing the programme, gave life to the whole affair. The comedetta was very well played. The stage was very prettily decorated. Across the front, were draped tennis nets, with balls in them, and tennis racquets arranged above. From the middle of the stage, there was a large fan hung. The sides of the stage were draped with flags and curtains. Mrs. Cooke of Dorchester' is visiting friends in

# HOPEWELL CAPE.

MAY 6 .- The absence of social events this week s in consequence of the house cleaning festivites.

All the ladies seem deeply engaged therewith. I think when the poet wrote those words, "There is no place like home," he surely meant this season of the year. The gentlemen, however, seem to be enjoying themselves on the river, shooting ducks, geese, etc. The select party that went out on Saturday, returned with little else than an abundant supply of Petitcodiac mud-didn't even get a

shad. Our summer tourists have already begun to ar rive. Mrs. Hitchins and family came from Chi-cago on Saturday. They will spend some months enjoying our invigorating sea-breezes.

Dr. Bradley and son, of Moncton, spent some days

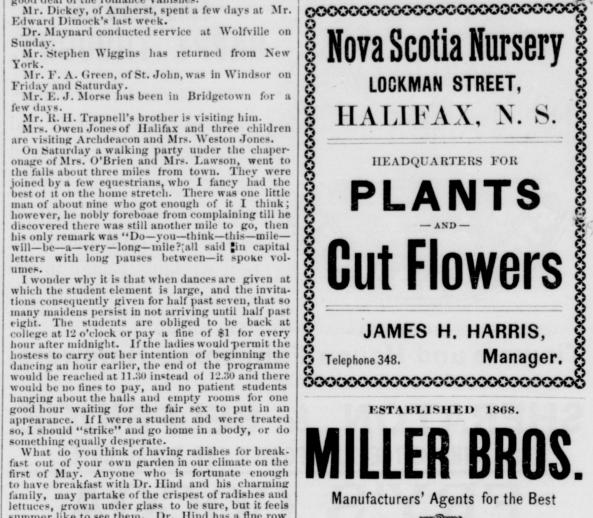
visiting relatives in this place. John R. Calhoun, of St. John, spent a few days last week the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Calh

Mr. A. N. Bennett was the guest of Mrs. T. Bennett Saturday and Sunday. He returned to Sackville on Monday.

Capt. Hunter who spent the winter south, returned home on Monday. He left for New York on Wednesday

Miss Ivah Bray, who has been spending a few days in Moncton, returned on Monday per steamer Arbutus

F. A. Wilbur who has been sojourning here during the winter, returned to Chicago this week. ALEEGRESSE.



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we take what we can get and not what we want.

Have you those two enticing games, "Tiddledy Winks" and "Roulette," in St. John. They are

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showers of rice and slippers. The groom no doubt could have got along with less rice, as his friends literally deluged him with it.

The salmon fishing has commenced at Chamcook lake, and quite a number of gentlemen have already thrown the gaudy fly or trailed the enticing minnow, but not many have as yet been captured. Dr. Harry Gove was one of the favored few who succeeded in making a capture. Mr. C. E. and master Colin Carmichael went out

on Monday to try their luck. After trying at various positions around the lake, they at last brought up on a large rock at the head of the lake. This rock on one side formed a perpendicular bluff, with quite a depth of water. At its front, on the edge of this, master Colin reclined, when forgetting his position, he rolled over the wrong way, and like the bull freg in the old rhyme went "plump into the water." His brother, upon hearing the splash, turned around, and upon seeing master Colin's scalp-lock only above water, reached for it and landed him safely in his old position, but he did not lie down there

Dr. Powers, of Houlton, and his bride are regis tered at Kennedy's hotel. I understand that they intend remaining for some weeks. Vicomte Rene Riviere de St. Precourt and Mr.

William Todd are also among the guests at Kennedy's. Mr. W. D. Foster returned from New York last

Mr. W. B. Morris met with a very painful acci-

dent the other day, breaking one of the bones of his left forearm while jumping from his carriage.

Mr. James Townshend, of New York, has been making improvements around his beautiful new cottage at Chamcook, erecting fences and handsome gateways.

It is reported that one of our society belles is to be married to an M. D. sometime in August. PUCK.

## SACKVILLE.

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

MAY 5 .-- If report prove true a popular alto in one of the leading choirs of our village in the course of a few months will enter upon the joys and sorrows of house keeping. Already she has received a number of gifts towards making that path of life easy.

I notice, after supper, the academy boys feel particularly good, and in consequence we are often treated to an open air concert, which generally consists of solos, old timers, such as "John Brown's body lies a mouldering in the grave," "Jim Crow," "Down upon the Swanee river." It does one good to hear the rich, sweet notes of these sturdy sons of Canada, and it it with regret we look forward to the

time when the dear boys will take their departure. Mr. A. T. Parson went to our sister city on Friday, the result being that he is the happy possessor of a thoroughbred mare. It certainly is as ar as my judgment goes, a magnificent animal, being a flyer also; going in less than three minutes. Notwithstanding the burden of house cleaning

Miss Minnie Cogswell and Miss Alice Estabrooks managed to spend two happy days last week; the former in Amherst, the latter in Dorchester: lucky girls.

"Grip" seems to stick closer than a brother. I hear two or three of our young ladies are suffering from this dreaded disease.

Mr. B. C. Borden went to St. John on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Parson spent some days in Moncton last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs.

George C. Peters. The Misses Letson, of Campbellton, who made such hosts of friends here last summer, are paying Mrs. H. B. Allison a short visit. I wish we induce the agreeable young ladies to spend this summer with us.

Another charming lady who has been living during the past winter in Sackville, departed for home last week. Miss Vail's friends, whose name is legion, deeply regret that in the future her visits will e only transitory instead of permanent. Mr. Piercy Hanford, of Amherst, spent a day in

town last week with his juvenile friends.

The band I see are advertising for a concert in the Music hall on Friday evening. I trust our generous hearted citizens will not forget how much we are indebted to "the boys" during the past season for their popular open air concerts. A number have kindly consented to assist. Among those on the programme I noticed the name of Mr. Thomas Murray.

s receiving this week. Canon Neales spent a few days in Fredericton

last week. Miss Adney, of New York, is visiting at Mrs. F. P. Sharp's Upper Woodstock. Dr. Rankin is in Fredericton. He was called

vay for a consultation Miss Sharp is getting up a concert in aid of the

. of H. school room. Rev. J. M. Davenport, of John has promised to sing at it and the musical people are expecting a rare treat in hearing for the first time the finest tenor in the lower provinces.

I am very sorry that so much exception was taken o my criticism on the singing at the Easter ball. I hought the committee wanted a fair, unbiased acount. The next time I will understand that everybody is to get a compliment whether deserved or not. I agree perfectly with the statement of the all committee in the Sentinel and the Press that Mrs. Morse's song was second to none that evening. She certainly sang first. I also did not forget to say the song was by "special request," the editor cut my account and left that out. The soctety orrespondent certainly has a hard time-'tis a diff

cult task to please everybody and tell the truth at the same time. I'm like the traditional George I can't tell a lie, and it is still harder for me to say no thing. I will add that it is no crime to sing out of time or tune, it is merely unfortunate for the singer. Miss Clark, telegraph operator here, is home again after a short trip to St. John.

Mr. John Fisher is out again after his illness. Mr. E. J. Clark is recovering from an attack of

Mrs. Phillips, Houlton, is visiting her son, Mr.

Henry Phillips. The W. C. T. U. presented Mrs. Simon McLeod with an address and silver tea service, on the evening before she left for her new home at Newcastle. Her absence will be much felt. She was president of the society, and always to the fore in all good works Dr. Connell is able to take a drive, and is slightly

mproving in health. I wonder if the boating club intend having a car

nival this summer. If they do, I won't tell if they happen to row out of time, and there will be no mention of those who don't get a prize. JOHN.

### CHATHAM.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Chatham at Edward John ston's bookstore.]

MAY 6 .- Mr. J. B. Snowball returned last week from his annual trip to Europe.

Miss Florrie McCully gave a very pleasant party last Thursday evening for her young friends, who indulged in dancing until after midnight.

Mr. Geo. Kerr left here last Tuesday to join his brother, Mr. W. Kerr, in Minneapolis. The children of the methodist Sunday school gave

concert in the basement of their church last week, which was well patronized. Mr. R. H. Anderson, who has been stationed in

the Bank of Nova Scotia for some years past, was removed last Tuesday to the bank in Amherst. Miss Bertie Russel of Douglastown was in town

last week. Messrs. Burchill and Sargent of Nelson were in town on Tuesday.

Mr. R. B. Bennet returned on Tuesday from his rip up North. Mr. E. Hutchison took a few of his gentlemen

friends down river last Saturday in his steam boat,

Hon. L. J. Tweedie left for Fredericton last Tues-

Mrs. Strong of Prince Edward Island is visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Whittaker. Mr. Arch. Rowan of the inland revenue depart-

ment. St. John, is in town. AILEEN.

#### CAMPBELLTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Campbellton at the store of A. E. Alexander, wholesale and retail dealer in dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, hardware, school books, stationery, furniture, carriages and machinery.

was given by Mrs. Grier, the ladies and gentlemen remaining to dine at Morrison's hotel. Among the guests at present residing at "Morrison's," Bed-ford, is Mrs. Campbell, a resident of Montreal, though originally a Scotch lady, and a relative of the Marauis of Lorne.

Dr. Cowie, Mrs. and Miss Cowie left the Halifax hotel for Bedford, this week, where they intend residing during the summer months.

Mrs. and Miss Daly are to return to government house in two weeks' time; they are at present in Baltimore, Miss Daly's health being greatly benefited by the change of climate. Major Bor and Lieut. McGowan, who took a trip

over to New Brunswick, moose-hunting, returned a few days ago, their expedition not having been as successful as they could have wished. But then, as our Yankee friends express it, Mr. McGowan 'wants the earth," the capturing of two or three ose being considered but poor sport to this enthusiastic hunter.

Mrs. Fisher, Miss Fisher and Miss Blanche Fisher, who have been wintering at the Halifax notel, leave next week for their home in Massachusetts. As Mis. Fisher and her daughters have made many friends during their sojourn in the com-munity, they will be greatly missed. However, we will look forward to meeting them again in the nea

Mrs. Kaulback, of Lunenburg, is a guest at government house. Senator Kaulback has left for Ottawa.

The officers of the 66th Princess Louise Fusileers give, on Friday evening, a smoking concert in Masonic Hall. These affairs are always much enjoyed by the male portion of the community. When the subject of this entertainment was first broached, several among the younger officers proposed a dance suggesting that this would give them a good opportunity to return former hospitality; but the idea was taboed; the veterans preferring to smoke the pipe of peace, and the day was carried. The Redmond-Barry Theatrical Company opened their season at the Academy of Music on Monday in

A Cure for the Blues a comedy which draws crowded house. Mrs. Barry is a capital actress, though at present, perhaps somewhat verging upon that period which we call passe. Redmond is always bright and brimful of sparkling wit. If you wish to see society out in all its splendor, you should go to the theatre on Friday; this is generally a patron age night and when there is a full house, the performance always seems to go so much smoother. But then this is not surprising, for who cares to exhibit his talent to empty seats

Captain Duffus, R. A., paid but a flying visit to his Halifax friends, remaining at home but two weeks. Well a soldier's life is, after all, not unlike that of a rover. Arriving in a certain city, he re-mains just about long enough to become a general society favorite, when he receives an order to proceed to some station thousands of miles away, and departs, leaving behind many, who for a time, feel uite lost without the gallant young warrior.

Gen. Sir John Ross, returned from his trip to Washington, in which city the veteran of many battles was so lionized by the fair Americans, being dined and wined by the most brilliant and wealthy mong the old families of the American capital. Miss Bachan, niece of the general, who arrived from England via New York a few days ago is very ill with pneumonia, the result of an attack of la grippe contracted while in New York. Serious fears are entertained as to the recovery of the young lady, and two physicians are in constant attendance at "Belone."

Prof. Porter, formerly organist of St. Paul's, was married last week to Miss Murry of this city. The genial professor intends shortly to bid adieu to Halifax, having accepted a position as organist in Am herst.

Dr. Curry has been appointed first surgeon of the 66th P. L. Fusileers, Dr. W. Tobin retiring. Dr.

Kirkpatrick being elected assistant surgeon. Dr. and Mrs. Fitch have not gone to Wolfville, but arè still at Mrs. Esdaille's, South Park street. The Misses Fitch have gone to Wolfville for a few weeks.

There is a rumor abroad that perhaps the naval fleet may not spend the summer with their Halifax friends at all, as at any moment the ships may re-ceive orders to proceed to Newfoundland to protect the fisheries. In the event of such proving correct, what would society do? Surely Admiral Watson will leave one or two ships to look after the interests of the grey old city by the sea!

From Another Correspondent.

MAY 6 .- We are feeling rather proud just now of one of our girls; Miss Agnes Baxter of this city has distinguished herself in the Dalhousie University examinations having won the Young gold medal, with first rank honors in mathematics, and physics. I see we must also congratulate a St. John boy on his success in winning the Waverly prize for the best standing in second year mathematics. In these days the boys have to work their level best to get

Major and Mrs. Maunsel have also returned from England, and have taken up their quarters again at the "Oaks" near the South West Arm.

We are continually having fresh scares about diphtheria. Every little while it seems to crop up a some of the old places. The latest has been Mrs. Goram McGregor, who has, I am told, a compli-cated case of diphtheria and scarlet fever. At the first sign of the illness, her servants left the house in a body, and her husband, young Prof. McGreg-gor, was obliged to do as best he could alone. Eventually he succeeded in procuring a nurse, but or days he was his own cook, housemaid and his wife's nurse. Not many men could have filled such a varied position.

H. M. S. Emerald arrived on Sunday from the West Indies, which set the hearts of some of the girls in a flutter. However, as she left again on Monday for Newfoundland, the flutter soon subsided, and now the heart-beats are quiet and regu-RHODA NEALE. lar again.

# AMHERST.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Amherst, by George Douglas, at the Western Union Telegraph office.] MAY 6.-Lovers of music of a high order had an pportunity of enjoying another rich treat in that line on Wednesday evening of last week. The Y. M. C. A. hall was filled with the elite of the town to hear Mr. Barnaby's mnsical recital. He was in perfect voice and charmed everybody, and was ably ssisted by Prof. Mack as accompanist on the piano, Prof. Curry, violinist, Miss Gates, who possesses a sweet voice, and Miss Landers, elocutionist, whose style of delivery and enunciation created a most favorable impression. The solo, "Angels Serenade," by Miss Gates, with violin obligato by Prof. Curry, was beautifully rendered and enthusiastically encored. Mr. Barnaby deserves the thanks of the community for introducing such a high-class entertainment.

Rev. Mr. Lutz delivered the monthly address before the church women's missionary association, in Christ church on Monday last. Mr. Lutz has left the parish to enter upon his duties as curate of St. Paul's, St. John, and that congregation is to be congratulated upon securing the services of so talented a clergyman. This parish is still dependent upon extraneous help, Rev. V. E. Harris not being due here before Trinity Sunday. I understand that Rev. Mr. Skey, curate of St. Paul's, Halifax, is expected to take the services next Sunday.

Dr. Inch, of Mount Allison, was in town on Saturday.

Miss Campbell and little niece, left on Friday to visit friends in Boston and Chelsea, Mass., to be absent some weeks.

Dr. A. S. Townshend, of Parrsboro, was in town on Friday.

Miss Ryan, of Halifax, was visiting her sister, Mrs. Bourque, this week. Mrs. J. A. Dickey returned from Windsor on Sat-

urday. Mr. W. B. King, formerly of the Parrsboro branch of the Halifax bank, has been removed to the branch in town and appointed cashier, in place of Mr. Harold Main, who has been transferred to Halifax. Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Chapman and son, of Dorchester, spent Sunday in town with their relatives. Mr. John McKeen, agent of the Nova Scotia bank left this week to be absent a few months in charge of the branch in Minneapolis.

There is hardly any news to send this week, there Fairy ..... Miss Minnie Dawson The tableaux were very pretty indeed, especially the foundlings. The fan drill by twelve young ladies are so many preparing for weddings to come off next month that there is little time for anything else.

TRURO. N. S.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Truro at Mr. G. O. Fulton's.]

MAY 6 .- Mrs. S. E. Gourley's, nee Miss Hattie McLellan, (Windsor), cards announced her reception days as the 18th, 19th and 20th of May at her future home, Pleasant street.

lettuces, grown under glass to be sure, but it feels summer like to see them. Dr. Hind has a fine row of peach trees in full bloom in his green house, strawberries in blossom, grapevines budding, pro-mising looking rows of lettuces and radishes, and all kinds of things that grow. In the hot bed the melons are in blossom.

In the other greenhouse the roses are, and have been, lovely. Marchal neil, glorie de dijon, jaque-minot, blooming in profusion. The flowers that are in the church every Sunday are placed there by Miss Hind.

By the way, I had occasion week before last to supplement my letter to PROGRESS with a telegram, as the letter had to be mailed almost immediately after Miss McLellan's marriage, which event, of course, would not keep till the week following. Judge of my amusement when I saw the telegram joined to the letter in the following highly facetious manner: "The bride came up the aisle on the arm of her brother in-law Mr. B. S. Knowles looking very sweet and charming in a gown of white cashmere en train." It has occurred to me that perhaps Mr Knowles might like to have the impression removed from the public mind that he wore a white gown with a train; that the first part of the sentence applied to him, I should not like to contradict, but I can con-scientiously say that he did not wear a white gown

with a train, so if anyone has had that impression forced upon them through the joint literary efforts of the type-setters and myself I should like to re-158 CRANVILLE STREET,

PICTOU, N. S.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Pictou by Jas. McLean.] MAY 6 .- The Oddfellows celebrated the 72nd anniversary of the founding of the order in America, and the 36th birthday of the Eastern Star Lodge, by a social, ending with a dance, in their hall, on Tuesday evening of last week. In the afternoon over 50 members of the lodge, in regalia, formed in procession and paraded the streets, headed by the Pictou band. During the evening a fine musical and literary programme was rendered, among those taking part being : Mr. John Pringle, Miss McKenzie, Mr. Frazee, Miss Murray, Mrs. MacRobert, Mr. Rogers, Mr. Skinner, Mr. Murray, Miss Carroll,

Miss Porteous, Mr. H. H. Garvin, Mrs. Cooke and Mr. P. M. McDonald, Miss Macdonald, Mr. Pitts. After the programme came refreshments. Then followed dancing, which was kept up until the small hours of the morning. Mr. C. D. Macdonald of Halifax spent two or

three days in town last week. Mr. McColl of New Glasgow was in town last

week Mr. Henry Ives has moved into the house, east end of the town, formerly occupied by Mr. W. Noonan. I believe this is only for the summer, as Mr. Ives is fixing up a house at the west end. Mrs. J. S. McKenzie left last week for New

sented with the following cast :

York. Mrs. C. E. Davies of Stellarton was in town last Thursday.

Miss Dewolf went to Pugwash last week to visit her sister, M.s. Creed. Mr. Dustan of New York spent a day or two in

town last week, the guest of Mrs. W. Dustan. Mr. Bigelow of Truro spent last Sunday here. Mr. W. Cooke of Moncton spent last week in

Mr. W. Cooke of Moncton spent last week in town, the guest of Mr. R. Simpson. The entertainment given by the Pictou dramatic club Thursday evening of last week was a brilliant success. Among those who took part were the Misses Simpson, Miss Primrose, Mrs. Cooke, Miss Macdonald, and Mr. W. A. Dickson. The comedetta *Beauty and the Beast* were pre-conted with the following cost:

The Merchant ...... Mr. Will Ferguson

The Beast......Mr. B. Huntsmau Beauty......Mrs. J. S. McKenzie Lady Languor.....Miss M. Primrose Vanity.....Miss M. MacDonald

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Murray. I was not at all surprised to hear a gentleman or- der a pair of skates the other evening, as the ther- mometer rarely misses getting down to twenty the last two or three nights. If this keeps on we will be enjoying the out-door sports of winter again. COPPERFIELD. WELDFORD STATION. I PROGRESS is for sale at Mrs. S. J. Livingston's grocery store, Weldford Station.! MAY 6.—The many patrons of the Central hotel will regret to hear of the demise of Mrs. Glenn, wife of the proprietor, which sad event occurred on Thursday last. Mr. Glenn and his young family have, in their bereavement, the sympathy of all with whom they are acquainted. Overworked, broken down, prematurely aged men or those suffering from excesses or indescretions will find a certain cure in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. They supply the material necessary to enrich the blood, build up the nerves and restore the shattered system. Never fail. Sold by all dealers, or sent on more five of the price. for hear of the dy all dealers, or sent on	in Dalhousie, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Stewart. Mrs. Dougald Firth was the guest of Mrs. John Mair Sunday. Miss Peck of Albert county, who was visiting the Misses Barberie, has returned home. Miss Dora Keary spent Sunday with her friends in Petit Roche, N. B. Hon. J. C. Barberie was in town Monday. Master Arthur Maher leaves for Boston tonight. Rev. Mr. Wilson, who has accepted the pastor- ship of the baptist church here, preached his first sermon to a large crowd Sunday. We are all glad to see the smiling face of Mr. John White again. I hear Mr. White will stay with us this summer, having accepted the position of bookkeeper for Mr. J. D. Sowerley. Mayor Alexander spent Sunday in New Carlyle, Quebec. Bald heads are too many when they may be cov-	days the boys have to work their level best to get ahead of the girls, and it is no longer an understood thing that man has the "master mind." Have you the unhappy census man making him- self disagreeable in St. John? We have, and I am sure he is very sorry for himself, and has had some queer experiences. Is it not strange that in a place the size of Halifax, there cannot be found a spinster of more than thirty-five, and few, very few as much as that, and yet it is the case. One lady of un- doubted veracity has been five and twenty for the last three censuses. Another has been married twenty-eight years, but she is only thirty-five! I think her parents should be prosecuted for allowing Not many physicians make great therapeutic dis- coveries. For the most part they content them- selves with administering judiciously what is pre- scribed in the books. To Dr. J. C. Ayer, however,	Mrs. McCallum, of Maitland, is a guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Wilson. Mr. J. R. Coleman has returned from the Dental college, Philadelphia, and is spending a few days among Truro friends. Miss Fanne Yuill gave a very pleasant party Tuesday evening last. Mr. Lionel Laurance, of Montreal, is a guest of his brother, Doctor E. Laurance. Rev. Dr. Burroughs left last Thursday for St. John. PEG. "Peter Piper Picked a Peck of Pickled Peppers," was a line of alliterative nonsense, that the children used to say. Nowadays they can practice on the Perfect, Painless, Powerful Properties of Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets. It will impress a fact which will be useful to know. These Pellets cure sick headache, bilious attacks, indigestion, consti- pation, and all stomach, liver and bowel troubles. They are tiny sugar-coated pills, easy to take, and, as a laxative, one is sufficient for a dose. No more	It is a certain and speedy cure for tages.Soch Head and Catarrh in allits tages.Soch Hing, CLEANSING, HEALING.Instant Relief, Permanent tages.Marken Seider, Stater Restander tages.Marken Seider Stater Restander tages.Marken Stater Stater Res	Flowers, Silks, Umbrellas, ALSO BE CASES AM. Straw Goods. SMITH BROS. Granville and Duke Streets,
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