# SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

AMHERST.

PROGRESS is for sale at Amherst, by George Douglas, at the Western Union Telegraph office.]

DEC. 9 .- We Amherstonians are very proud of our town and its name. We think there is no place on the face of the earth that can equal it. The town was named for Lord Amherst, and if his spirit ever hovers over us it must feel a sense of pride that the name has been upheld with such dignity. The only drop of bitterness in our cup, is the knowledge that there are other places of the same name, but it has the effect of making us draw our mantle of respectability closer around us and congratulate ourselves that it is not probable that we will ever come in contact with those people.

Last Tuesday evening Mr. Gordon Main, of the Northwest Mounted Police, who has been making his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Main, a visit of three months, left again for headquarters. He had been absent seven years and his visit home was hailed with delight by his numerous friends, who deeply regret parting with him again.

Miss Blanche Harris, of Annapolis, is at present visiting her brother Rev. V. E. Harris, at the vicarage. She expects to remain until after the New

Year.

There was a parlor concert at the vicrage on Tuesday evening under the management of Mr. Bar May, and tonight (Wednesday there is to be an uer by the orchestra, under Mr. Henry Hill-coat's direction. The proceeds are for improvements on the building.

The observe woman's missionary association hald.

The church woman's missionary association held their annual meeting on Thursday in the school-room, and report a creditable sum in the savings bank, placed there by them for diocesan purposes.

The ladies of the methodist church had an oldfashioned tea-meeting in the basement on Friday evening last with most satisfactory results.

Dr. and Mrs. Dobson expect to leave here on the 17th inst., to spend the winter in Hamilton, Ber-

Dr. MacDougall and family intend to locate in Parrsboro, and will remove there about the 14th

Mr. W. T. Lawson, the London representative for Messrs. T. & E. Kenny, of Halifax, and brother Mr. James Lawson, of this town, has returned to England, after a visit of a few weeks to his relatives here and in Westmorland.

Wednesday, the 16th inst., will be the wedding day of two of our young people, a rising young lawyer and a talented young elocutionist.

Mrs. Allison, who has been spending a few weeks with her sister-in-law, returned to Hampton last Mrs. Joseph Hickman, of Dorchester, has been

paying her daughter, Mrs. D. W. Douglas, a visit.

Mrs. Carvell, wife of the lieutenant governor of
P. E. I., was in town for a few days, the guest of
her brother, Mr. S. Hanford.

Mr. J. H. Black was in town this week from Pugwash. Mr. W. J. Moran spent Sunday in Dorchester

with his friends.

A whist club has been started, to meet once a week during the winter months. Mr. Stewart Dickey is home from Toronto to spend the Christmas holidays with his parents, Senator and Mrs. Dickey. Mr. and Mrs. Ketchum gave a pleasant dinner party on Monday evening of last week, and another on last Monday evening.

MEG.

### KENTVILLE.

DRC. 9 .- Dr. Moore's many friends and patients are sorry to learn of his illness, which, they hope somehow does not seem in order for a doctor to be ill, neither can he be well spared at this time, for there seems to be an unusual amount of illness

Master Murray Hanson has gastric fever, I believe, but is not dangerously ill. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Simpson and child leave on Friday for England, where they intend staying for a year at least, visiting Mr. Simpson's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnett go to England in May, and will remain there two years or more. Kentville has been decidedly behind the times, as far as doing so long without the telephone is concerned. The subject is being agitated now by the Valley Telephone company at Middleton, and wires will likely be extended, it is said, through Kentville to connect with the telephone at Hantsport, as well

as westward to Annapolis. The Fisk jubilee singers paid us a visit on Monday evening and gave a thoroughly enjoyable concert. They are so well known that their very name at They are so well known that their very name attracts a house full. The hall was packed although the night was very disagreeable. Mr. Masters who was instrumental in getting the troop here deserves the thanks of the community for the enthusiastic audience certainly appreciated the songs sung if the encor's called for are any proof.

Local talent is to entertain us next Monday even-

Mr. James Neary, one of Kentville's old and respected citizens died on Monday. Although Mr. Neary had been troubled with heart disease for some time, his death was a great shock to his friends as he died early Saturday morning, and Friday night when out about town, he seemed as well as

Mr. L. de V. Chipman went to Halifax on Monday. Mr. C. C. Brown, who has been searching for a suitable farm, has purchased one near Greenwich where he will move his family next week.

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HALIFAX, N. S.

### PUGWASH.

DEC, 2.-And now a correspondent from this pretty little seaport steps to the footlights and makes a first bow to the public. You have no idea what a jolly little town this is. It is picturesquely situated on the Northumberland Straits, in the

eastern part of Cumberland. It has a splendid harbor, not surpassed on this side of the straits; the air is pure and bracing, the scenery magnificent, and the facility for bathing grand, to which many a tired, worn out inlander can testify. Ships from every sea have floated in these waters. In summer the harbor is dotted with pleasure boats, and in winter it is covered with sleighs, for it is delightful driving on the ice. I have not time now to expatiate on all the beauties of the place, but will renew

my eulogy at a future date. Strangers visiting our town are at once impressed with the idea, that we must certainly be a church going people, for every denomination has a church, and pastor. Last summer the Methodists enlarged and improved their building, the Baptists the same, and improved their building, the Baptists the same, and the Presbyterians expect to re-open their church at the New Year, which has been undergoing improvements, the Roman Catholics have a neat little chapel, and the Episcopalians have been occupying their new church for the last six years, the old St. George's being in a most delapidated condition before it was abandoned. My memory reverts to many a wintery Sunday, 'hat I have sat in that old church, trying to feel in a devout frame of mind with the thermometer below zero, the wind doing its the thermometer below zero, the wind doing its level best from the northwest, rattling the doors and

windows, to such an extent that it was impossible to hear the clergyman's voice.

The ladies of the Presbyterian church are billed for a supper and Christmas tree on 17th inst. The "Guild" in connection with St. George's church held their sale of fancy work, with lunch and refreshment table in November, and realized over

\$80. They are still continuing their work with the intention of having another sale next summer.

The baptists held a social at Mr. Griffin Smith's on Tuesday evening of last week.

The W. C. T. U. will celebrate their anniversary on Thursday evening by having a social in their hall, readings, music, etc., is the programme. Mr. and Mrs. McCallum, of Truro, spent Sunday

Our genial collector of customs, Mr. J. H. Black, went to Amherst on Monday, returning on Wed-

Mr. Charles Macdonnell, of Montreal, was here last week, he having spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Macdonald. This is his first visit for a year. I had almost omitted to note, a golden wedding, which took place the last of October, and as these events are not usual, it would have been a great piece of forgetfulness on my part not to have noticed it. Mr. and Mrs. Griffin Smith held a

reception on the eventful evening, and we all went-

got up in our best—regardless of expense, to congratulate the bride and groom of 50 years.

DIGBY. N. S.

will not be very serious, or of long duration. It Ansel Holdsworth. Grace Methodist Church was Ansel Holdsworth. Grace Methodist Church was thronged, and many of the congregation, if not all, circle hold a high tea, and fancy sale, in the building were moved to tears. Mrs. Holdsworth was a universal favorite greatly beloved by all, and her death leaves a vacancy in the Methodist congregation which will not easily be filled. Ansel the son of the deceased lady is improving; he has been suffering from the same fever which caused his mother's

> Mr. Frank S. Bacon has gone to McAdam Junction. I hear Frank goes to try his hand at Miss E. Bent intends passing the winter with her brother, Dr. Bent, at Argyle. Mr. and Mrs. Bell, of Ottawa, will occupy Miss Bent's house during

Mrs. Allan Wade entertained a number of her friends at a cuchre party on the evening of he 26th. Mrs. Wade is a charming hostess.

Miss Ella Burnham, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Lockwood, in Merrimac, Mass., returned on Wednesday of last week.

The many friends of Mr. Fulton Titus will miss his genial face from among them. Fulton left for Weymouth Monday, where I hear he is to engage

n business for himself. Mrs. George Biogay and family are about to remove to their former homes in Yarmouth. Mrs. Bingay passed the summer in Digby occupying Mr. Challoners charming residence on Queen street. I hear of a wedding to take place in the near future, when a gentleman from the neighboring county will carry off one of our most popular young ladies, but more anon.

Mr Longstaff is confident of having the new hotel for Digby. It is just what Digby wants, for the strangers who come here to spend the summer increase in number from year to year, and better hotel accomodation must be had. Jocko.

# PICTOU, N. S.

[Progress is for sale in Pictou by Jas. McLean. DEC. 9 .- It has been very dull here lately in our little town, but I suppose every one is busy getting ready for Christmas. The weather is most unseasonable, but the stores are beginning to put on their holiday dress. J. McBeattie's doll window taken to Cape Breton for interment on Sunday morning. His parents had been sent for when it was known that he could not recover, but they did has been the admiration of all, especially the little

Hon. Mr. Foster, minister of finance, was in town on Monday, on his way from P. E. Island. Bunting was flying from the S. S. Northumberland in his

Miss Belle Newbery, of Charlottetown, was Mr. and Mrs. Gordon returned home last Thursday.

They have been visiting in St. John for some

Mr. Parker Carvell, of Charlottetown, was in tow Rev. D. A. Gordon, of Halifax, passed through ere on Monday on his way to Charlottetown, where

Supt. A. H. Mackay, was here this week. He left on Tuesday morning for Spring Hill.

Mrs. Inglis Johnson, of New Glasgow, was in town on Monday. The temperance lecture by the boy orator, Mr.W.

A. Demette, was well attended on Sunday last. He will speak again on Thursday evening in Prince Mr. J. G. S. Hudson, of Sydney, Cape Breton, is visiting his father on Denoon street. The concert on Monday night was a great treat to the music lovers of Pictou. Many thanks are due to Miss Annie McDonald whose untiring efforts deserve every success, as to her we owe a great many musical evenings. Miss Homer delighted the aud-ience with her solos and kindly responded to her

I hear that the Fictor telling of the year.
ball to come off in the early part of the year.
DARBY. SHEFFIELD.

I hear that the Pictou tennis club are talking of

DEC. 9 .- Mr. J. Gilchrist is now in Sheffield where he intends to remain the winter. He wil attend the Grammar school. Miss Mabel McLean is at present visiting her

Miss Rosella Burpee is in Fredericton taking music lesssons. She will remain till Christmas. Miss Agnes Hubbard leaves for Windsor the second week in January, where she will complete her

education. Her presence will be much missed at the whist club, as she was a prominent member. Mr. Fred Venning left this morning for St. John, where he will spend a few days.

Mrs. Jack Bridges, and her two children, are visiting her father, Mr. Stephen Burpee. The friends of Mrs. Garrison will be sorry to hear of her continued illness, and confinment to the house. I hear that the ladies of the methodist church intend establishing monthly "At Homes," for the benefit of foreign missions.

Dr. Day is now in Yarmouth.

Mr. Woodbridge Hubbard has returned from Vermont, where he has been on business for the last three weeks. We are going to have a whist club formed, and the first meeting will be held on New Year's Eve.

Mrs. McFadgen is lying at her home very ill, and is not expected to recover. Her friends have our

sympathy.

The engagement of one of our fairest young ladies, has been announced. Congratulations.

Mr. Gilchrist while out skating on Friday, met with an accident which might have resulted seriously. He broke through the ice, but was rescued by the school boys with nothing more than a ducking. When will boys learn to be careful?

There is a certain rising lawyer who visits Sheffield very often. And if Dame Rumour can be relied on, it is not business which entices him her, but rather the reverse. sympathy.

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### MONCTON.

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

DEC. 9 .- Whist parties are almost the only form of gaiety indulged in just now, partly I suppose, because there are scarcely enough young people left in town to make up even a small dance, so many are away, but whist is always a refuge in Moncton, and a true Monctonian must be in a moriband condition indeed, when the words, "It's your deal," fail to galvanize him into sudden life and action.

I have not heard much about the East End whist club this year, so I scarcely know whether it has been formed yet, but the West End club is in a highly flourishing condition, and wags merrily around in its chosen orbit. The last meeting took place on Thursday evening, when the club was entertained by Mrs. H. A. Price, of Bonnacord

street, and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

The bread and butter club is at present in a quiescent state, caused in all probability by the nearness of the season sacred to mince pie, which has divorced the thoughts of the feminine members from bread and butter, and turned them Christmas-cake and pie-wards; for be it known, that the Moncton girls in spite of their beauty and style, are noted as good housekeepers, and well versed in all that goes towards making glad the heart of man, for we all know that the heart is sympathetic with the gastric

Mrs. E. M. Estey gave a delightful little whist party last Wednesday evening. There were five tables, and the 20 guests enjoyed themselves most thoroughly, and, as usual, wound up with a small

suspicion of a dance.

Everything tends to confirm my former statement that it was going to be a quiet winter, and I begin to fear now that unless some enterprising immigra-tion agent starts a boom for Moncton in the near future, it will be worse than quiet; so many people seem to regard it as a good place to get away from this autumn. I am very sorry to say that Mr. and Mrs. John Galt will be amongst the absentees this winter, Mr. Galt having been ordered south by his medical advisers, in order to shake off a troublesome bronchial affection for which the climate of Canada is very trying. Mr. and Mrs. Galt have broken up housekeeping for the winter, and will leave this week for their former home in Ontario, from whence they will take their departure for the southern states later on. Their Moncton friends wish them a pleasant journey and a safe re-

Mrs. George B. Willett, who has been spending some weeks in Boston, returned home last week. Miss Bluck, of Bermuda, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Borden at their home on Botsford street.
Mr. R. B. Jack's many Moncton friends will be interested to hear that he has accepted a lucrative position in New Westminster, B. C. Mr. Jack was for two or three years a member of the I. C. R. engineering staff in the general offices here, and was a very general favorite. We all rejoice to hear of his advancement, but regret that his professional duties should have taken him so far away from New

Brunswick, and especially from Moneton. The children's entertainment in the W. C. T. U. [Progress is for sale in Digby at the bookstore of Mrs. Belle Morse.]

Dec. 9.—Miss Maggie Turnbuil, who has been suffering from scarlet fever is gradually improving. Miss Maggie Rice is able to be out again, after a severe attack of the same disease.

Dr. and Mrs. Jones celebrated the tenth anniversary of their wedding, on Tuesday evening of last week. They were the recipients of many useful articles in the tin-ware line.

Sunday evening last, the Rev. J. M. Fisher

The children's entertainment in the W. C. T. U. hall last Wednesday evening was a great success, drawing a full house, and realizing over \$20 clear of all expenses. The singing lancers, which were danced on the stage by little Misses Agnes, Peters, Minnie Nevins, Geraldine Beddonne and Flossie May, and Masters Stanley and Charlie Busby, Frank Hanington and Bertie Church, formed one of the chief features of the evening; and the manner in which they were danced would have reflected infinite credit upon the performers even if they had been grown-up, instead of being, as some of them were, between six and seven years old. Miss Chipman, who devoted so much time to training the children, and, Sunday evening last, the Rev. J. M. Fisher preached an eloquent sermon in memoriam of Mrs. devoted so much time to training the children, and, Miss Ella Stevens, who assisted, are to be congratulated upon their success. This evening, the on Main street, formerly occupied by Vye's restaurant. The proceeds go towards the organ fund, and, as the young folks have been working faithfully for the greater part of the summer, it is to be hoped that they will be well patronized.

Miss Bliss, of Westmoreland, is in town, the guest
of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McSweeny.

Mr. R. W. Simpson, returned on Saturday from Haifax, where he has spent the last two months, as assistant engineer, on the construction of the new Dartmouth bridge
I regret to say that Mrs. Williams, wife of the treasurer of the I. C. R., has been very ill for the

past two weeks, and is still far from well. Her illness seems to be a species of brain fever, which has greatly reduced her strength. The bridge across the far-famed Petitcodiac river, between Moncton and Coverdale, gave way before the violence of last Friday night's gale, and three of the spans tell on Saturday morning. Things look very gloomy for several Moneton ramilies who moved over to the Albert county side last summer, and the heads of which came over every morning to their professional and business duties. Just now the indications are that they will be compelled to wade across or else climb over the ice cakes, carrying their grocery and meat supplies on their backs, for some months to come, as the Petitcodiac is not a river that either remains open or freezes respectably over all winter—it simply piles up huge boulders of mud and ice, which the tide floats each day, so that navigation and locomotion are alike impracticable, and the outlook is dark as well for Moncton as Coverdale, since we are largely supplied with apples, vegetables, and poultry from the farmers of

Albert county not to speak of that more than staff of life, butter. One of the saddest deaths which has taken place in Moncton for a long time, was that of Mr. Duncan McKinnon, clerk in the store of William Cowling & Co., which occurred on Saturday last, at his boarding house on Steadman street. Mr. McKinnon had been ill with fever for nearly two months, and had nearly recovered when he suffered a relapse and and died shortly afterwards. He was a native of Cape Breton, an active member of the Y. M. C. A., and of the presbyterian church. The remains were not arrive in time to see him alive. The greatest

sympathy is felt for them in their sorrow.

Lieut. Colonel Maunsell, of Frederict n, was in town yesterday, inspecting the accoutriments of the two militia companies here.
Miss Bessie Magee, of St. Andrews, is in town visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams.
CECIL GWYNNE.

# SACKVILLE.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Sackville at C. H. Moore's The Young Ladies Sewing Bee, matronized by Mrs. H. K. Foster, met at Mrs. Josiah Wood's on Friday afternoon.

Mr. Frank B. Street, of Montreal, passed Monday Mr. and Mrs. McDougall, on Tuesday evening,

gave one of those pleasant and sociable whist parties, for which they are so celebrated. Though in no sense intended for elaborate affairs, they are always quite as enjoyable to those fortunate enough to be among the select few present.

Mrs. Smith, has as her guest, her sister, Mrs. Evanson, who, I believe, will remain in Sackville

Rev. Cecil Wiggins, Rector of Sackville, was in Dorchester this week to attend the deanery meeting.

Mr. Albert T. Fawcett for many years a resident
or this town, left for California this week on a pleasure trip. It is his intension, should the climate suit him, and he be otherwise pleased, to dispose of his property here, and remove there with his family. Col. and Mrs. Maunsell, of Fredericton, were in town on Tuesday, the former en route to Bai de Verte on official duties. Mr. and Mrs. Tait, of Dorchester, were also here,

the same day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane passed a few days in Sackville last week as guests of Mrs. Fred Ryan. Mrs. Lane when Miss Estabrooks, was one of our liveliest and best natured young ladies, always ready to assist in all social pleasures.

The informal club, or the "annex" of the Young

People's Sewing circle, met last week at Mr. James Rainnie's, where a few pleasant hours were spent in dancing, the hostess on this occasion being Miss Mabel Rainnie, who is a general favorite. Mabel Rainnie, who is a general lavorite.

Last Saturday being the birthday of those dear little "Mt. Allison twins," so called, daughters of Rev. Mr. Borden, principal of the ladies academy, the students presented them with a pair of silver napkin rings. Doubtless Miss Gladys and Miss napkin rings. Doubtless Miss Gladys and Miss ably he will get even with us yet; so it does not E ai e fully appreciated the kind thought of the young ladies, though too young to make an elaborate reply-which was I believe done for them by their father who thanked the young ladies in his own happy style. The little twins are great favor ites with all connected with the institutions, and being born at the ladies academy they seem a part

The Young People's Sewing society expect to hold their Christmas sale of useful and fancy articles (the work of their own hands) next Tuesday asternoon. It is really wonderful how much they have accomplished, as most, if not all, of the members are mere school girls who have their studies to occupy most of their time. The proceeds are for church purposes. The ladies of St. Paul's church held a sociable in the Sunday school house on Thursday even-

ing.

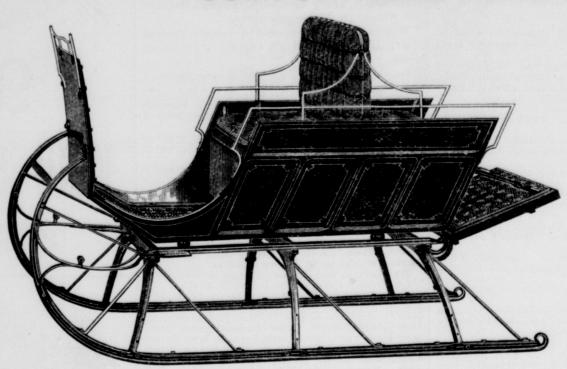
Mrs. Fred Ryan last week entertained some (or most I should say) of the members of the young people's sewing society at her residence, on Tuesday evening. Dancing was much enjoyed by all present, among whom were the Misses Rainnie, Shewin, Bell, Smith, Wiliis, Ayer and Tait; and Messrs. Smith, Black, Olive, (St. John) Rainnie, Potts and Snowball, of Chatham. There were, of course, delicious refreshments.

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An oyster supper was given on Tuesday evening

t Mount Allison by the football association to the

victors in the late matches at St. John and Moncton, and attended by the faculty, students, collegians, etc., of Mount Allison. After promenading music,

the delicious supper was served in Beethoven hall. Besides oysters (the chief dish of course) there was

cake and fruit. After the supper came toasts and replies, interspersed with college songs. I understand that the generous donor of the supper was

toasted in the song, "For he's a jolly good fellow,"

The memorial concert commerating the death of

Mozart came off successfully at Beethoven hall,

Mt. Allison, on Saturday evening, and was attended by a large and delighted audidence. On this occa-sion the musical faculty of the ladies college fully

sustained the reputation they gained at the Beethoven evening. Miss Mack was in superb voice, and charmed everybody by her beautiful and fin-

ished rending of her pieces. Prof. Mack gave an instructive address on the life and times of the

great composer, as well as illustrations of the tones,

movements, etc., of each piece, finished to its rendering. Miss Mack appeared to particular advantage in the air from Don Juan, we thought, though

many might prefer her other selections. The Cradle Song in A, and the Serenade in B from Don Jun, with violin obligato. The other selections were of the highest order, both vocal and instru-

men al, especially the overture, The Magic Flute.

To speak of Prof. Mack's performance would be

presumptuous. The work of the Misses Ayer, violins; Crompton, Vroom, and Fawcett, piano; as

well as Miss Gray, who sang in the trio remark-

ably well for so young a student, was all of great excellence. Mr. Borden made an address at the close,

thanking the audience for the encouragement given

by their attendance, and stating that it was their intention to add to the adornment of the hall from

time to time according to their means. He announced a lecture on Friday evening. At the close

of the concert an opportunity was given to inspect many photos of Mozart, as well as the places he

frequented during life, and the place of his birth.

Mrs. Josiah Wood gave one of her delightful
evenings on Tuesday, at her residence, of which I

hope to give a full account next week. I understand it will be quite a large affair.

Miss Black is visiting Mr. and Mrs. R.A. Borden, at Moncton. Miss Black is very much missed when away, beth at the academy and among her friends outside.

DORCHESTER.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Dorchester at George M.

DEC. 9 .- I find I was a little previous, and since I

last wrote Nature has called in her "snowy mantle"

and decided not to have winter just yet. I'm sure

I feel a good deal like the small boy who tried to keep a diary and filled each date with "forget what did." Not that there has been much that merits re-

membrance. The daily round, the common task, furnish all there is to talk about; and even our seemingly unlimited stock of engagements is exhausted for the nonce, as is the material, I am

Court has been unusually long in Session for these

degenerate days, and quite a number of semi-strange

faces have been seen on our sheets in consequence.

faces have been seen on our sheets in consequence. On Thursday, Mr. Butcher's old friends were delighted to see him. It seemed quite like a scrap of the "good old time," to have him here for a couple of days. He and Mr. Beddome were witnesses in the Bank case. Mr. W. W. Wells also spent the greater part of the week in town.

Josiah Wood, M. P., was here on Friday, for a short time.

Mr. R. W. Hannington has been laid up in Halifax

with an attack of quinsey, but is rapidly recovering. Mrs. Joseph Hickman went to Amherst, on Thurs-

day, to visit her daughter, Mrs. W. D. Douglas.

The Misses Church of Albert, were in Dorchester on Wednesday, the guests of the Misses Backhouse.

pay to boast too soon.

FREDERICTON.

where she is training as a nurse.

cultivated or not.

morning for the day.

handsome new store.

Mr. John Eagles of Indiantown, spent Sunday here. Dorchester possesses a charm for him now

Their music seems to appeal to all tastes, whether

A meeting of the Shediac deanery is being held

here, and there was a special service in Trinity church last night, when Rev. Mr. Hooper, of Moncton, preached. I hope it is not impertinent to

say that to listen to his voice would be a treat, were it uttering nothing more edifying than Mother Goose. It reminds one of a great, sweet bell, and

one feels there is no limit to its depth and power. The other visiting clergy are the Rev. Cecil Wiggins and Rev. Mr. McKenzie of Shediac.

Mr. and Mrs. Lane spent Sunday in Sackville, where Mrs. Lane has unfortunately returned with a

It is rather exasperating to see our "old boys" returning to the haunts of their youth for such

fleeting visits, only to make us realize what we have lost. Well, such is life, and our loss is Moncton's

gain generally. It ought to console us to think of

that, but it doesn't.

Miss F. S. Chandler went to that muddy city this

ing a high tea and sale in their vestry tomorrow evening, when the usual array of good things may

I may have another engagement to announce ere

long, but their is an air of uncertainty overhanging

the affair, so it cannot be counted upon to furnish

Mr. J. W. Y. Smith spent Sunday in St. John as

Mrs. Geo. Swayne is visiting her mother in Point

ALBERT.

DEC. 4 .- On the evening of Nov. 28 the Epworth

DEC. 4.—On the evening of Nov. 28 the Epworth (Junior) League gave an entertainment in the methodist church. It was largely attended and all agreed that the children did nicely. They raised about \$20, which is to be spent for missionaries.

Miss Odessa McConnell, of Eastport, Me., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Nathaniel Smith.

Monday evening Mr. Robinson, grand secretary of I. O. G. T., met the Hopewell lodge at their lodge room, and with them marched to Riverside hall, where he delivered an interesting lecture; and recorganized Acadia lodge.

reorganized Acadia lodge.

Messrs. C. & J. Prescott have moved into their

Mr. J. Prescott is recovering from his illness.

son; large parlor vases, Mr. J. Prescott; fur cape, a friend: egg dish, Miss Maggie Atkinson; handsome pincushion, Miss F. Currie; pitcher, Miss McConnell, Eastport.

The ladies of the baptist congregation intend hold-

Mr. H. C. Hanington is in town today.

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# WOONSOCKET Miss Fannie Church was en route to Newport, They say we are to have the Jubilee Singers at the last of the month. I only hope it is true. We are seldom treated to anything so really good now-a-days. As someone suggested, it is a bad sign when companies of that kind take in the small places, but we shall hope it is not true in this case.



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