AMHERST.

[Progress is for sale at Amherst, by George Douglas and H. A. Hillcoat.]

JUNE 22 .- The "Sacred musical recital" was repeated in Christ church on Friday evening with the slight but acceptable change of an additional chorus to the programme. The music was evidently rendered with greater composure than on the former evening, and was listened to with wrapt attention by those who filled the church to its outer doors. The grand event was quite beyond com-parison with any previous efforts manifested here and conclusively proved that Amherst is in no way deficient in musical talent of a high order, also that deficient in musical talent of a high order, also that Prof. Barnaby is a teacher and choir master of exceptional ability and perseverence. The choruses, "Glory and Majesty," Farmer; "Gloria in Excelsis," (12 Mass) Mozart; and "Lead Kindly Light," Dudley Buck, were beautifully rendered by the fine choir composed of the leading singers of the town, the majority of whom are pupils of Prof. Barnaby, and were as follows: Mrs. O. Tupper, Mrs. Fuller, Mrs. Munro, Mrs. Rhodes, Misses, Miles, Gates, Wilson, Pride, Tighe, Campbell, Cutler, Black, Moffat, Purdy, Bradshaw, Huestis, Moore, Munro, Reid, Lowerison and Clarke, and Messrs. Hodwell. H. A. Hilcoat, J. B. Gass, N. Campbell, F. George, Mr. Ripley, J. A. Black, C. S. McLeod, M. Curry, Mr. Chesley, Dr. Tupper and Mr. Reid, who were ably supported by an orchestra comprised of Messrs.

ably supported by an orchestra comprised of Messrs. C. and W. Casey, G. Munro, C. Purdy, W. Rogers, A. Robb, R. Lusby, A. Sharpe, C. Lowe, N. Quigley, C. Greenfield, and Mr. Stokes, directed by Mr. Rosend a thoroughly professional manner, to whom ge share of the success of the evening is whom s. ge share of the success of the evening is due. The excellent orchestration won golden opinions. Mr. Dodwell who sang two numbers the first evening in such a finished manner was unable to attend again. The gap was admirably filled by Prof. Barnaby who is equal to any emergency although suffering from a severe cold, sang with his usual finish and effect. The pleasing quartette "Fade Away," Barnaby, was sung by Misses Gates and Miles and Messrs. Campbell and Barnaby without accompaniment in such a manner that one almost leaker for explanes to recepting that it was out of

Away," Barnaby, was sung by Misses Gates and Miles and Messrs. Campbell and Barnaby without accompaniment in such a manner that one almost looked for applause torgetting that it was out of order. Another quartette "Ave Marie," Wiegand, by Mrs. Tupper Misses Campbell and Gates and Mr. Barnaby was a decided contrast and showed the ability of the singers to wander whithersoever they chose and to come out right at the end. The beautifully pathetic solo "Abide with Me" Torrington, was rendered by Miss Campbell in a highly appreciative style which lacked neither tone or finish. The next solo was by Miss Wilson, entitled "Eternal Rest," and was dimirably adapted to her high, clear voice, which gives much pleasure to her hearers while soaring, but seems to slightly lose quality in the descent. Miss Miles sang "The Choir Immortal," Rodney, in fine voice. Never has it been my pleasure to hear her acquit herself so creditably. The grand solo "With Verdure Clad" (creation) was rendered by Mrs. Tupper in a manner that elicited praise from all present; and many who were accustomed to hearing her a year ago were surprised at the beautiful finish and carefully moulded tone with which her work was accomplished Miss Gates sang "O Salutaris Hostia," Verdi, in a faultless manner with a voice of rare sweetness and flexibility that literally fascinated her hearers. It is rumored that she intends leaving in the autumn, a fact that will be greatly regretted by the people of Amherst. On Tuesday evening Prof. Barnaby sang "Salve Maria," Morcadante, in his usual impressive manner—his voice was at its best—which speaks volumes. The Nunc Dimittis was composed by him for the occasion. The solo of which was rendered by Mr. N. Campbell with a full rich tenor voice and distinct enunciation. Miss Roger's selection on the organ was very nicely played, but the "Andante in E Minor," Batiste, rendered on the first evening, displayed her excellent musical ability to greater advantage. Prof. Barnaby presided at the organ throughout the work of the ev

is the wish of his many

Judge and Mrs. Morse are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby boy.

A very welcome little lady visitor arrived at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ratchford on Saturday.

A very serious recident happened to Mrs. C. S. McLeod on Friday last, which is causing much anxiety to her friends, while out driving the horse become frightened at the train whistle when he holt. became frightened at the train whistle when he bolted and upturned the carriage, throwing Mrs. Griffin, who was with her, clear of it, but Mrs. Mc-Leod, who was driving, and is pronounced an expert with the reins, was dragged quite a distance before she could be extricated from her perilous position. She remained insensible for a long time and apparent y suffered severe pain. Miss Crane is the guest of her sister, Mrs. R. H.

Tremain, Havelock street. Mrs. Eaton and little son, of Parsboro, are the guests of Mrs. C. W. Main. Miss Strickland left on Tuesday's train for Parrs. boro where she intends spending a few days with friends, after which she will spend several weeks visiting different towns in the Annapolis Valley. Mr. Strickland, of Halifax, was in town yester-

day. Miss Campbell and Miss E. Moffat are spending a few days at Tidnish.

Miss Hyde, of Truro, is warmly welcomed to

Amherst by her many friends. She is the guest of Miss F. Dunlap, Eddy street.
Dr. Curry, of Halifax, and bride (Miss Robertson,

of St. John) spent a few days here last week, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Curry. Mr. G. Townshend, from the capital, is visiting his uncle, Mr. J. M. Townshend, for a few days.

Miss Thompson, of Moncton, was the guest of Miss Purdy for a few days.

Miss Ayer, of Sackville, who has been visiting
Dr. and Mrs. Ayer, returned home the latter part

Mrs. McDougal and family bade us good bye on Tuesday and went to her new home in Parrsboro, much to the regret of her many friends. Mrs. O. Chapman entertained on a very large scale last week. Upwards of 80 guests were served

with afternoon tea. Mrs. C. Wisely divided the company which provided two very enjoyable occasions, one on Friday for the youth and beauty and on Saturday the staid and talented received her hospitality in a most delightful manner.

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Mrs. W. D. Main, whose health has been far from good during the past few months, has gone for a few weeks' visit with her daughter, Mrs. D. A. Bishop, Truro. She was accompanied by Miss Ethel Main.

Miss Cogswell, of Sackville, was the guest of Mrs.

C. Bliss for a few days. She left for her home on Saturday.

Miss Terrice, so favorably known in town, has returned from a lengthy visit to friends in Boston

Boating parties have been frequent events during the past week on Christie's pond. Though on a small scale on account of the limited number of boats they were none the less enjoyable.

A very pleasant fishing excursion was enjoyed by few of our anglers, who were kindly chaperoned by Mrs. A. McKinnon.
Mr. R. S. Pridham's many friends will be pleased to learn that he has sufficiently recovered from his

severe illness to be able to drive out. Miss Bell, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. G. Miller, returned to her home in Sackville last The mammoth picnic held on Tuesday in aid of

the nev R. C. church brought a great many visitors to town Shortly past noon a very unwelcome guest arrived in the form of a Scotch mist which developed into a first class rain before night and materially affected the sport of the day. A sumptuous tea was served in the exhibition building by a number of fair entertainers that could be enjoyed in spite of the clerk of the weather. The A. M. band enlivened the visitors with their best music, and all who were interested did their utmost to make it a success.

YARMOUTH.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Yarmouth at the stores of E. I. Vickery, Harris & Horsfall and Dr. Lovitt's

JUNE 21 .- The closing of the schools at Sackville and Wolf the last week, returned many of our young ladies ora. This week a number of our young men who have been attending school in New England, arrived home, among whom are Mr. Sydney Killam, Mr. Clifford Allan and Mr. Frank Killam.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Y. Robbins and son spent a week in Boston, returning home on Saturday last. Among the strangers in town last week, was Col. Rivers, who, with a party of friends spent a few days in Tusket, enjoying the scenery and the excellent fishing. The party returned well satisfied with their excursion.

Messrs. C. S. P. Robins, J. M. Lawson, T. B. Crosby, Chas. Godfrey and H. E. Chute has returned home last week from Amherst, where they have been attending the masonic meetings. Mr. and Mrs.

E. J. Vickery returned at the same time.

The account of the marriage of Miss Minnie Baker to Mr. Henry Kirton, which took place in St. Paul's church, Halifax, last Thursday morning is as interesting to Yarmouthians as to her friends in Halifax, as Miss Baker is well known in Yarmouth, which was until recent years her home. Her sister, Miss

Grace Baker is at present residing here.

I hear that the new American Consul has engaged the "Clements Place" for a summer residence, and that the family will remove to their new home as soon as the grounds are in repair. As all who have ever visited Yarmouth know, this place is the finest in the town, the grounds being exceedingly beautiful. ful. The place was for many years the residence of the late Mr. N. Clements, from whom it derived its name, although the present owner is Mr. Robt. Caie. It is announced that the Parishoners of Holy

Trinity church intend holding a large garden party on the grounds in July. Mr. A. W. Eakins paid a short visit to Mass.

last week.

Mr. J. A. Bell, of Halifax, is in town.

Mr. R. S. Ford, of Westport, is visiting for a short time in Yarmouth. Mr. Ford was for some time assistant Principal in the Yarmouth County Academy and is well known here.

Mr. J. T. Anderson, of Guatamala, and family, intend making Yarmouth their summer home and have purchased the house formerly occupied by Mr. A. Cann, on Parade St. They will probably arrive here the latter part of this month.

Mr. D. H. Wilson returned from New York on Saturday.

Saturday.

Last week news was received of the death of Capt.
A. M. Shaw, which occurred at Mass, on Friday.
Mr. Shaw has, for the last three or four years, been a resident of this town, and was a partner in the firm of Godfrey Bros. Since his retirement from business he has been spending some months in Florida in the hope of restoring his ill health. His death took place from the home of his brother in Mass. He leaves a wife and one child who have the sympathy of their many Yarmouth friends in their becreavement. mr. K. G. T. Webster and Mr. Gray of Annapolis,

are absent on a fishing excursion in the country, where they intend remaining for a few days.

In consequence of the Western Nova Scotia Baptist Association meeting in Hebron, there are a large number of visitors, including ministers and others number of visitors, including ministers and others interested in the work of the association, in town, among whom are: the Rev. G. O. Gates, St John, N. B.; Rev. A. F. Browne, Tusket; Rev. Wm. Simpson; Rev. Chas. E. Gates, formerly teacher of music in Yarmouth, Principal Oakes, of Horton Landing Academy; Rev. A. Cohoon; Rev. F. M. Young; Rev. Wm. McQuarrie; Miss Fitch, M. A. of the Ladies' Seminary, Wolfville; Miss Chipman, of Halitax, and-Miss Johnson.

A large number of prominent citizens, at the invi-

A large number of prominent citizens, at the invitation of Mr. Robt. E. Caie, made up a very pleasant fishing excursion to Tusket Islands, chartering the steamer, John C. Cann, for the day's pleasure. The excursionists started at seven a. m. this morning excursionists started at seven a. m. this morning (Tuesday) and returned home about six this evening, the day being a suitable one for fishing, although not remarkably fine. Among the party were: Messrs. H. and L. Lovitt, Mr. Agustus Cann, Mr. W. A. Cann, Mr. J. H. Killam, Mr. Robt. E. Caie, Mr. H. Crowell, Rev. Dr. Cartwright and son, Mr. Frank Killam, Mr. W. H. Cann, Capt. J. H. Cann, Mr. W. Spinney, Capt. R. Cann, Mr. F. H. Wilson, Mr. J. L. Lovitt, Mr. S. A. Crowell, Mr. I. Lovitt, Mr. W. L. Lovitt, and Mr. L. Killam. Mr. Agustus Cann was "High line," capturing the largest and greatest number of fish. An excellent dinner was served, aboard the steamer, which was well earned and heartily enjoyed.

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Mr. Frank Killam, M. P., is spending some weeks in Vancouver, B. C.

The death of Mrs. John A. Ross which occurred yesterday morning was attended by very sad circumstances, Capt. Ross being absent on a long sea voyage and therefore unaware of her recent illness, or his sad loss in the death of his oldest develope. or his sad loss in the death of his oldest daughter which occurred but a few weeks ago, both Mrs. Ross and her daughter accompanied him on his last voyage, and his friends extend to him their heartfelt

sympathy in his double bereavement.

A very pleasant evening was spent at the house of Rev. and Mrs. E. D. Miller, Cliff street by the parishioners of St. John's presbyterian church and a large number of others on the evening of Thursday last. A well prepared programme was carried out, every piece being very well executed. Among the principal musical attractions was a violin solo by Prof. J. D. Medcalfe which received hearty encore. Selections were read by Mrs. Von Metzke and Miss Hilton, piano solos and duets completed, this inter-Hilton, piano solos and duets completed this inter-

TRURO, N. S.

[Progress is for sale in Truro at Mr. G. O. Fulm's, and at D. H. Smith & Co.'s.] June 22 .- Mrs. C. S. Hanson is visiting home friends in Economy.

Miss Gertie Lawrance left on Saturday last for Toronto. Miss Lawrence accompanied her cousin, Mr. Miller, and will visit friends in Montreal before she returns.

Mr. A. H. Bourque is in Amherst this week. Rev. James McLean, of Great Village, was in town Mr. Wiley Benjamin, formerly of Truro, who will be well remembered by many friends here, is here from the west a guest at the "Bigelowe House."

Rev. J. E. Goucher and Rev. Thomas Cumming exchanged pulpits last Sunday night.

By Miss Doggell's return to the choir of St. Andrews, that body regains a very valuable acquisition. It is to be regretted that Miss Otty Smith is still suffering from the indisposition which incapacitated her a week ago last Sunday night.

Mrs. Main and Miss Ethel Main, of Amherst, are
guests of Mrs. Main's daughter, Mrs. D. A. Bishop,

ominion street. The burial of the late Mrs. Muir, relict of the late Dr. S. A. Muir, and mother of Drs. D. H. and W.S. Muir of this town, took place from St. John's church last Sunday and was very largely attended. The remains were interred in the English church burying

Mrs. H. T. Harding gave an impromptu dance on Monday evening last for Dr. and Mrs. Ryan nee Miss Lawlor, of Windsor. Mrs. Ryan is one of June's fairest brides and charmed everyone who met her. Among those whom Mrs. Harding had invited to meet her guests were: Miss McKay, Miss Tremaine, Miss Archibald, Miss Pratt, Miss Sutherland, Miss Ethel Bligh, Messrs. A. Campbell, A. C. Patterson, J. Bowers, Cameron, Tabor. Mr. and Mrs. Harding are charming as host and hostess, and the party though impromptu, was most enjoyable. Dr. and Mrs. Ryan proceeded on their bridal tour

Dr. W. R. Langille has returned from Lunen-Miss McArthur is here from Halifax, a guest of

Geo. Hyde's.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Brinkerhoff and Master Brinkerhoff, of Auburn, N. Y., were guests at the Leamont for a few days this week, en route to Cape Breton for the summer.

Miss Purves, who has been visiting friends in

Montreal, spent a few days with her aunt, Mrs. A. C. Page, this week en route to her home in Sydney, Yesterday's rain somewhat damped the ardon

as well as some of the giddy toilettes at the picnic in Victoria park in the afternoon. But Mr. Ross, not to be outdone, carried his proposed promenade concert to a successful issue in the rink in the Mr. and Mrs. Greenway were in town yesterday from Halifax, guests of their daughter, Mrs. Fred.

Mrs. P. J. Chisholm, of Boston, is expected here by home friends next week.

Mr. Walter Spencer, of the Merchant's bank staff here, goes to Halifax this week, where he takes a position in the head office. Mr. Spencer has become very popular in local circles.

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DIGBY, N. S.

[Progress is for sale in Digby at the bookstore of JUNE 22 .- This day week an American gentleman is to wed one of Digby's fairest daughters. Invitations are now out and the event is looked upon as an

Capt. J. B. Townsend entertained a number of lady friends Monday by a pleasant drive to Point

Mrs. W. F. Gilpin and family, of Jamaica Plains, Mass., are occupying their new summer cottage on Baxter's Point, South End. They arrived to-day Mrs. Alfred H. Ellis, who has been attending the wedding of her niece, Miss Robertson, to Dr. Currie, returned home today from St. John.

Mr. E. Biden returned to Amherst last week.

Mr. John Welch has been on a visit to St. John. Miss Estella Titus is home from her visit to Yar-Mr. R. W. Ambrose, St. John, is in town this Mrs. Thos. Ruddock arrived from the states to

day, coming via St. John.

Mrs. Appleby, of Advocate Harbor, is visiting
Digby while her husband, Rev. Mr. Appleby, is on a trip to Scotland, his native country.

Misses Ruth and Jessie Rogers, of Yarmouth, have been the guests of Mrs. J. M. Fisher at the methodist parsonage during the past week. Miss Jessie took the train today for Grand Pre on a

Rev. J. H. and Mrs. Saunders, of St. John, were in town Friday en route to Hebron.

Capt W. H. Smith, R. N., was here on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson, of New York, are guests
at "Hawthorne Villa," the residence of Mr. Geo.

ynch. They arrived Saturday.
Miss Mary Short came home today, as did Miss High sheriff Van Blarcom is on a trip to West-

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson who have been registered at Mrs. Short's hotel for the past few days, returned to Halifax by today's train. Mrs. Hugh Cann and Miss Lovitt of Yarmouth, were at the Burnham house Saturday. They left

same day for St. John.

Mrs. L.M. Burton is visiting relatives and friends Mr. Austen K. DeBlois of the St. Martins seminary, was here last week.

Mr. Alfred J. Bell of Halifax, is in Digby this

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Short entertained a number of their friends Monday evening at their residence on Queen street. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. S. Cushing, St. John, were at Mrs. Short's hotel the other day.
Mr. William Burrill and his son, Blake G. Burrill, Mr. William Burrill and his son, blake G. Burrill, of Yarmouth, came over on the City of Monticello on Monday, and took the train for home same day.

Messrs, W. C. Pitfield and C. McL. Troop, of St. John, were here this week. John, were here this week.

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

JUNE 22 .- There has been very little to amuse or

[Progress is for sale in St. Stephen by Master Ralph Trainor and at the book stores of G. S. Wall and, in Calais at O. P. Treat's.]

interest on either side of the St. Croix this week, excepting the graduating exercises of the Calais high school, which is always an interesting and im portant occasion in Calais. The exercises were held in the St. Croix hall, which was beautifully decorated with flags, flowers and the motto of the class, "Vincit que patitur," by three lady friends, Mrs. A. E. Neill, Mrs. D. E. Seymour and Mrs. Coney, whose taste and skill in arranging flowers is so well known. St. Croix hall never looked prettier, and was filled with a large and fashionable audience. On the stage besides Mr. Johnston, the principal, and his able assistants, Miss Laura Burns and Miss Halliday, was President Small, of Colby University, who at the close of the exercises, addressed the graduates complimenting them most highly on their well written essays and their "originality of thought." It is the opinion of all that the class of '92 surpassed any class that has graduated during the past ten years. decorated with flags, flowers and the motto of the

all that the class of '92 surpassed any class that has graduated during the past ten years.

It is quite impossible to speak of each one, but the recitations of James L. Thompson, J. F. Ryan, and Geo. F. Pettit, were more than is expected of the high school graduate. Also the essays of Miss May Jones, Miss Charlotte Young, Miss May Foster, and Miss Carrie Belle Boardman, were not The young ladies all looked exceeding fair and winning, and their dresses were so pretty I must describe them.

Miss Charlotte Young wore white Japanese siik,

Miss May Foster, pule blue silk, adorned with puffing of pale blue chiffon, pale blue silk gloves, Miss Mary Jones, white India silk, trimmings of

prettily trimmed with flowers of white chiffon and

chiffon and yellow roses.

Miss Eda St. Clair, pale pink china silk, chiffon trimmings and bouquet of pink roses.

Miss Edith Corliss, white bedford cord with decorations of white lace and silk, pale pink roses.

Miss Carrie Peltigrove, cream colored henrietta cloth, ribbon trimmings, bouquet of yellow roses.

Miss Carrie Belle Boardman, pale blue organdie, with bows of pale blue ribbon. Miss Carrie Bene Boardman, page blue organice, with bows of pale blue ribbon.

Miss Alice Bates, cream colored mohair with yellow chiffon trimmings.

Miss Georgie McAllister, cream colored henrietta cloth costume, trimmed with chenille, bouquet of

pink carnations.

Miss Jessie Bohannan, cream colored henrietta with trimmings of lace and silk, bouquet of lilies of

Miss Emily Bates, white embroidered muslin,

At the close of the exercises each young lady was presented with a lovely bouquet of roses. The diplomas were then given and the class ode sung, which was written for the occasion by a talented young lady of the class, Miss Jessie Bohannan.

On Friday afternoon a number of ladies met at the residence of Mrs. C. H. Clerke to form an outing club, and to make arrangements to enjoy each week, during the summer, an outing to enjoy each week, during the summer, an outing to some watering place or favorite picnic ground. Mrs. W. B. King, Calais, was unanimously elected president; Mrs. C. H. Smith, vice-president; Mrs. Waterbury, secretary; and Mis. Willard Pike, treasurer. The following ladies were invited to be members of the club, which received the name of the Union Outing club, which received the name of the Union Outing Club, and is composed of ladies from Calais as well as St. Stephen: Mrs. W. B. King, Mrs. D. E. Seymour, Mrs. Geo. Murchie, Mrs. S. T. Murchie, Mrs. Willard Pike, Mrs. J. D. Chipman, Mrs. Jas. Mitchell, Mrs. E. G. Vroom, Mrs. C. H. Clerk, Mrs. C. H. Smith, Mrs. Howard McAllister, Mrs. Walter Bradnee, Mrs. C. W. Young, Mrs. Seth Whitney, Mrs. F. M. Murchie, Mrs. Frank Ross, Mrs. A. E. Jones, Mrs. T. J. Smith, Mrs. A. E. Neill, Mrs. Waterbury, Miss Coulter, and Miss Abbott. The first "outing" was to be enjoyed Tuesday afternoon, a drive to the Ledge, a few miles below St. Stepben, and luncheon at Rockaway cottage, Mrs. C. H. Clerke's summer home by the river side. The rain, however, put an end to all plans, and the drive is postponed until Friday, when the ladies hope to have a bright, sunny day and a delightful time.

The young ladies of Christ church have prepared short entertainment, and an evening of music for the amusement of the congregation this evening The Wildwood Tennis club were obliged to postpone their game on Mrs. Frank Corey's grounds on Monday on account of the dull weather and frequent

Mr. Wadsworth Harris intends on Monday evening of next week to give a dramatic recital in the parlors of the Windsor hotel, with the patronage of his friends Mrs. H. E. Todd, Mrs. J. D. Chipman, Mrs. W. F. Todd, Mrs. Hugh Cullinen, and Mrs. T. J. Smith. Mr. Harris's friends expect a rich treat as he is very talented, and an evening with him to amuse and enchant, is a pleasure his friends will not enjoy for some time again, as he leaves Calais early in July for a season of rest and pleasure at Bar Harbor before starting for California to join the theatrical company of which he is a member. Mr. Harris is now the guest of his uncle Hon. L. G. Downes, Calais.

A number of young ladies from St. Stephen, Mill-

town and Calais, who are interested in the Society of Christian Endeavor, went to Lubec, Me., on Monday The death of Mr. James Horton, on Friday, was a sad shock to his young wife and his friends. The funeral services were on Sunday morning and were

conducted with pythian ceremonies. Door step parties have become so numerous and are so enjoyed by the ladies that one of our most popular and fashionable young men thinks it is extremely unfair that gentlemen are not included in

extremely unfair that gentlemen are not included in the invitations, and wishes someone would invite him, that he might enjoy the delights of conversation, lemonade and cake.

There are rumors of a wedding early in July, when one of St. Stephen's young ladies and a gentleman from Boston take the principal part.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Thorning, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George J. Clarke during the past week, have returned to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Grimmer spent Sunlay with Mr. and Mrs. Durell Grimmer at their summer ottage at Chamcook.

Mr. and Mrs. Durell Grimmer at their summer Mr. Mason Henry arrived from Boston on Saturday, and will spend a few weeks with his parents.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter U. Inches are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son, James Archibald.

Mr. Frank T. Bixby, of Vanceboro, spent Sunday Mrs. M. A. Campbell and Miss Annie Campbell have gone to St. Andrews to reside during the

Mrs. Gerrisk, of Chelsea, Mass., arrived on Saturday, and is the guest of Mrs. Elwell Lowell, Miss Minnie Haycock, who has been visiting in Chicago and other places in the West during the winter, has returned to her home in Ca'ais.

Miss Alice Cullinen, who for some months has been in New York city, has arrived home. Her many friends most gladly welcome her among them Mrs. J. N. Clarke and her cousin. Miss Wright, are spending a few days in Grand Manao.

Mr. W. H. Murchie left Calais on Friday for a

short trip to Boston.
Miss Prescott, of the city of Washington, arrived Miss Prescott, of the city of Washington, arrived on Friday in Calais, and will visit her sister, Mrs. Wilfred Eaton, during the summer.

Miss Millie Sawyer, who has been attending school at Auburndale, Mass., has returned, and will spend the holiday season in Calais.

Mrs. S. B. Thompson has returned, after spending the past nine, months with relatives in Barnstead,

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meredith are now occupying he residence on the Avenue recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Breen spent a day or two in St. Andrews last week.
Mr. John M. Stevens has returned from New York city having spent a fortnight there.
Misses Annie and Kate Stevens are again at home

after a pleasant visit in Woodstock and vicinity. GRAND BAY.

JUNE 21 .- One of the grandest entertainments ever held here was given in the church last Thursday evening. It had been the talk of the village for weeks, so everyone was prepared and showed up in good style. A bus load and several private teams arrived from the city, bringing performers and spectators. Mr. David Hamm, jr., acted as chairman and kept the audience in a roar of laughter with his comic sayings between selections. The programme was made up of singing, recitations, dialogues, tableaux and instrumental mu-ic and reflects great credit on the instructor, Miss Gregory, teacher of our school. At the con-clusion of the programme Mr. Usher, on behalf of the audience, tendered a vote of thanks to Miss Gregory for her kindness in arranging the entertainment. The church was decorated with bunting, greens, and flowers, one corner being taken up with a large table filled with eatables of every description

ST. ANDREWS.

JUNE 22 .- Miss Georgie Stevenson and Mrs. Stevenson are visiting friends in St. John. Miss Stone and Mr. Arthur Campbell of are the guests of Mrs. George Mowatt.

Mr. Ernest Jack of Fredericton, spent a few days in town last week the guest of Mr. J. S. MacMaster. Mrs. John Campbell and Miss Campbell who have taken a cottage here for the summer arrived Mrs. W. B. Morris is visiting friends in St. Stephen.

Tennis seems to be the rage among the young

people. Some of the most energetic have started a club I believe. Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Grimmer of St. Stephen, have been spending a few days in town. Cobweb.

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SACKVILLE.

JUNE 22 .- Mrs. H. A. Powell entertained a small number of her friends at a dinner-party on Saturday Mrs. G. Rannie, of St. John, is visiting Mrs. Rain-

nie of "Linden Terrace." Miss Emma Ayer returned home from Amherst

Mr. McCurdy, of Truro, is taking Mr. A. V. Smith's place in the Halifax bank for a week or two. Mrs. T. A. Kinnear spent Friday in Amherst. Miss Fannie Chandler, of Dorchester is the guest of Mrs. Allison of "The Cottage."

Prof. Hunton left last week for the old country. Capt. Casey returned home on Wednesday of last week from his long sea younge.

week from his long sea voyage.

The Misses Campbell of Upper Sackville, spent Saturday in Amherst.

Mr. E. Godwin of Cape Tormentine, spent Mon-Rev. Roy Campbell of Dorchester, occupied the pulpit of St. Paul's on Sunday evening.

H. A. Powell, M. P., is making extensive preparations for his new house on Yorke street.

Mrs. Chas. Fawcett gave a small and select five

clock tea on Tuesday evening. Rev. F. W. Harrison and Dr. Stewart left on uesday for Charlottetown to attend the methodist Nova Scotia conference. Dr. Allison returned home from Lunenburg on

Monday evening.

Mr. Ned Allison paid a flying visit to Halitax last Week.
Miss Lillie Johnson, of Cape Tormentine, spent Monday in town.

Miss Gwendolen Shewin entertained a large num ber of her friends at her home, "Fairview," on Saturday afternoon. Lawn tennis was the principal

s Maud Trites, of Port Mulgrave, is visiting friends at the Brunswick house. Miss Annie Lawton, of St. John, is the guest of Miss Aline Lawton, of St. John, is the gdest of her sister, Mrs. R. Foster. Miss Dixon, of Brooklyn, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. J. L. Black of Middle Sackville. Mr. Chas. Doull spent Sunday in Dorchester.

Dr. Brecken, who has been confined to the house with a severe cold, is now out once more. Miss Minnie Copp spent Saturday in Amherst. Mr. MacCully, of Moncton, spent a few days in town last week. Miss Rogers, who has been the guest of Mrs. Moore, left last week for her home in Hopewell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Dixon have returned from a fortnight's holidays to St. John, looking all the

RICHIBUCTO. JUNE 22 .- Manager Brown visited Moncton last

Mr. Geo. McLeod, of St. John, spent a day at Camp Weeks recently, and secured the largest trout ever captured in those waters. The weight was five

Mrs. A. Lutes, of Moncton, is in town, the guest of her father, Mr. John Scott. Rev. Mr. Hackenly preached in Buctouche last Messrs. James Ferguson, of Bathurst, and Charles Cole, of Moreton, were in town last week.

Postmaster Vatour, accompanied by Mrs. Vatour, have gone to Memramcook to attend the closing exercises of St. Joseph's college. Mrs. Colleen, of Buctouche, who has been visiting in town the guest of Miss Connaughton, returned home on Tuesday.

Mr. John t. Miller, of St. John, is spending a

few days at home.
Rev. J. Seller left on Monday for Charlottetown to attend the meeting of conference. Mrs. Jas. Morton of Kent Junction, is visiting her sister Mrs. Malcolm McKinnon. Capt. Richard McLaughlin left for St. John last Mr. Geo. McMinn of Toronto, is in town visiting

Mr. Jas. Morton of Kent Junction, was in town on Tuesday.
Mrs. K. B. Forbes left on Tuesday to visit friends in Halifax. A young lady here received \$200 on Monday the proceeds of a winning ticket which she held in the Carslake stakes. Miss Mary Richard and Miss Gaudet left by train on Monday for Memramcook.

Two weddings are to be celebrated in our vicinity about the end of this month, one of the young ladies AURORA. is well known in musical circles.

ST. GEORGE.

[PROGRESS is for sale in St. George at T. O'Brien's JUNE 22 .- Mrs. A. H. Gillmor returned home last week from a three months visit at Ottawa. Her many friends are glad to welcome her back. Capt. and Mrs. Mahoney are receiving congratu-

Mr. Alex. Milne spent a few days in Eastport last The I. O. G. T. and the St. George division intend holding their annual picnic on the 21st July at "Brooks Bluff." A good time may be expected.

Rev. Isiah Wallace of the Baptist Home Mission board, made a brief visit here last week.

lations on the arrival of a little girl stranger.

Judge Cockburn of S.. Andrews, spent Saturday Mr. and Mrs. McLean and daughter, Miss Norma McLean, of Anoka, Minnosota, arrived here this week on a visit to their former home. They are the guest of Mrs. McLean's father, Mr. Philo

Epps.

Miss Bartlett, of Truro, visited here last week in the interest of the W. C. T. U.

Capt. J. H. Pratt, of St. John, who is to command the new dominion cruiser Curlew is here visiting Mr. T. H. Frauley left here today for Brookline,

Bessie Hibbard, second youngest daughter of Mr. G. F. Hibbard, met with an accident last Saturday by falling from a high embankment, inflicting a deep cut over the eye. When picked up the child was unconscious. Dr. Dick was summoned and dressed the wound and the little patient is doing nicely.

GREENWICH.

JUNE 21 .- Hopes are now entertained by the friends of Mr. W. D. Richards that he may recover from his serious accident. On Thursday evening the singing class presented

the teacher, Mr. Fred Pickett, with a handsomely bound volume of Wordsworth's poems. The class is practising for a concert. Mrs. Geo. Fowler ret ompanied by her sister Miss Hay.

Miss Laura Belyea made a visit to St. John last

Mrs. Joseph Whelpley returned home to Boston last week.
Miss Jennie Holder returned home from the pro-Miss Jennie Holder returned home from the pro-vincial normal school on Monday.

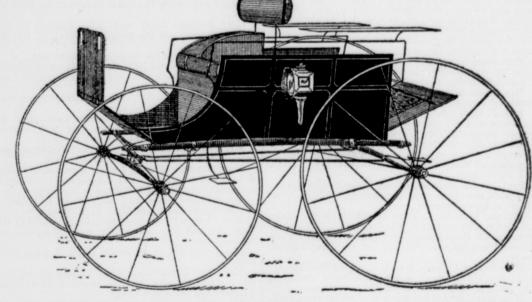
Miss Maud Belyea spent Sunday with her rel-atives here; she returned to St. John on Monday, accompanied by her aunt, Mrs. S. F. Belyea.

Mrs. H. Dalton spent Sunday with her daughter,

Mrs. A. L. Peatman.

Mrs. Wm. McLeod returned home from St. John

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Mr. Albert McKiel went to St. John on Monday. Mrs. N. T. Peatman returned home last week. Mr. James Nutter, of Welsford, passed through here on Saturday, en route to Bellisle.

Mrs. John Smith went to St. John on Monday.

Miss Cecelia Robertson visited friends here last Mrs. Annie Belyea has returned after a lengthy journ in St. John. Capt. Balmer has returned home after a twelve months' voyage.

[Progress is for sale in Bathurst at McGinley's JUNE 22 .- Mr. J. F. Barry, of Halifax, has been appointed agent of the Merchants' bank here. Mr. Blagdon, who has been in charge temporarily, is to Lawn tennis playing has at length been commenced in Bathurst. Miss Jo Burns has a very good tennis court, and the game affords much amusement

BATHURST.

herselt and friends.
Miss Helen Meahan is visiting Moncton. Mr. Harrie J. Gammon, of Moncton, was in town Much sympathy is expressed for Mr. Albert T.

Hinton, whose house was so badly damaged by five last Thursday. Tom Brown.



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