YARMOUTH.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Yarmouth at the stores of E. J. Vickery, Harris & Guest and Dr. Lovitt's Drug Store.]

DEC. 12.—There have been few parties or society entertainments of any kind for the last few weeks with the exception of the Amateur Dramatic Club, no doubt the approaching holiday season and its attendant enjoyments occupy everyone's time and thoughts. The "Waltzing Club" still keep up its meetings although at irregular intervals.

Miss Susie Brown who has been visiting friends in Sidney, for the past summer and fall, returned home recently.

Mr. T. Johns made a short trip to Halifax, and returned last week.

We regret to learn that one of our most popular society members intends leaving shortly for the South, where he will enter into business which will necessiate his remaining away for several years.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Killiam returned from St. John, on Monday evening.

Mr. Thos. Robertson of Barrington, passed throught here en route to Boston, on Wednesday evening.

Mr. G. M. Ewan, returned from Montreal last week.

Mr. Fuller returned to Halifax, last week, after spending a fortnight with friends in town.

A very novel and successful entertainment was given in the vestry of Temple Church, last Thursday evening. The entertainment was called a "family albumn" and the programme was well carried out, particularly the musical numbers, in which assistance was rendered by Messrs Emmerson and Ward of Halifax.

Mr. Edwin Spinney, arrived home from Windsor College on Saturday. He intends returning after vacation to resume his studies at the above named school. The young girls who are attending the "Girls' School" at Windsor are expected home this week.

Mr. G. N. Ryder, who has been spending a few weeks in Yarmouth, after an absence of many years, returned to Philadelphia on Wednesday.

The funeral of the late Mr. James Crosby took place on Wednesday last.

Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Spinney, visited friends out of town for a few days recently.

Mrs. Thos. Killam, entertained a few intimate friends at cards one evening last week.

There will be a ball in Killam's Hall some time between Christmas and New Year. If expectations are carried out the affair will be very successful, for I understand the gentlemen interested are making grand preparations.

Mrs. Beveridge is visiting her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Lovitt at Milton and will remain her guest for the winter.

Two engagements have been announced in society circles during this early winter.

The "Japanese Sale" is the chief item of interest just at present, and is being largely patronized every evening. There is no doubt but that the wares are some of them very pretty and unique, whether genuine Asiatic productions or not, but every article receives its full price although some do not realize the fact.

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WINDSOR, N. S.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Windsor at Knowles' Bookstore and Dakin's Bookstore.]

DEC. 12.—The members of Miss Gliska's dancing class had an informal dance in her rooms on Thursday evening. Mrs. Henry Blanchard and Mrs. Aubrey Blanchard were the chaperones.

The young people of the Christian Temperance Union had an "at home" at the residence of Mrs. Joshua Smith on Thursday evening.

Rev. H. Harley and Mrs. Harley who have been the guests of Dr. and Mrs. Hind, have returned to Pictou.

Mrs. Harrison, of Sackville, returned home last week.

Miss Mary Smith who has been in Halifax for a few weeks is home again.

Mrs. and Miss Young, wife and daughter of the American Consul, have gone to Washington to spend the winter.

Mr. Courtney has gone home to Halifax as he was so badly injured while playing football some weeks ago that he was unable to continue his studies at King's College.

Miss Lilly Dakin is visiting friends at Annapolis.

Miss Mackintosh, of Halifax, who has been the guest of Mrs. Ryan, has returned home.

Mrs. White who has been spending several weeks with her mother, Mrs. McCallum, has gone home.

Rev. J. Rogers, of Halifax, spent a few days in town last week, and preached in the Methodist church on Sunday both morning and evening.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Gibson Mosher on the arrival of a little daughter.

Mrs. Wesley Dimock and little daughter who have been visiting Mrs. Keith have returned to Lunenburg.

Miss Sutherland who has been in Bermuda for several months is in Windsor again, the guest of her sister Mrs. Anslow.

Baby's Croup is Cured by Hacknomore.

DIGBY, N. S.

DEC. 15.—Rev. Mr. Bryant returned Wednesday from Portland, Maine. The Rev. gentleman has been offered the position of private secretary to the bishop of Maine, and assistant priest at the cathedral. Mr. Bryant will remain with us until Easter.

Mrs. John Walker, nee Miss Annie Fenwick, arrived from Cambridgeport last week and will spend Christmas with her parents.

Miss Tupper has gone on a visit to friends in Boston.

Miss Eunice Jones, of Brighton, spent a few days with Mrs. Jones last week.

Mr. A. H. Ellis is home for the holidays.

Mrs. W. E Brown has gone to Sussex, N. B., where Mr. Brown has met with an accident to his knee.

Mr. Chas. Abbot and Mrs. Abbot left for Mexico on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Wade are on a visit to Halifax.

Mr. Martin Murphy was in town last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Stewart who have been visiting friends in Boston returned home Friday.

Miss Maggie Buckler who has been visiting friends in Digby returned to Annapolis this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Williams spent Sunday in town.

Miss Georgie Oaks and Miss Forsythe who have been visiting friends for some weeks past, returned from St. John Monday. JOCKO.

Hacknomore Cures Coughs and Colds.

NORTH SYDNEY.

DEC. 12.—The Sociable in the basement of the Methodist Church, Tuesday evening, was well patronized and a very pleasant evening spent.

Miss Challoner of Sydney was in town Saturday.

Miss S. Plant returned on Monday from Baddeck.

Last Sunday the Rev Mr. Gardner preached his farewell sermon in Calvary Baptist Church.

Mrs. Rigby has returned from Montreal and Quebec.

Mr. J. D. Copeland, of Antigonish, was in town last week.

The children who took part in the Cantata last week, were given a tea in the Y. M. C. A. rooms, Wednesday evening.

Wednesday we had a shower of snow, and for a night and a day our little world was like a Christmas card, then the mud took its turn again, greatly to the chagrin of the youngsters who had trudged so merrily along with their little sleds. Really, I think the grown up boys are quite as bad as the growing, for all day long there was the jingle of sleigh-bells, though the wheeling must have been rather better. DALLAS.

ANNAPOLIS.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Annapolis by Geo. K. Thomson & Co.]

DEC. 13.—Although the weather was not of the finest on Friday, a large number turned out to see the entertainment given by the young people in the opera house. The whole thing was a great success financially and otherwise, the sum of $42 being realized.

Mr. Andrews of Halifax is visiting Mrs. Wood.

Congratulations to Dr. and Mrs. Primrose on the birth of a son.

Mr. F. C. Whitman went to Halifax on Monday.

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

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

DEC. 14.—In spite of the rain on Thurday evening, wedding bells rang out joyfully, and Christ Church was filled to its utmost capacity, with wedding guests to witness the marriage of Miss Annie Victoria eldest daughter of Rev. O. S. Newnham to Dr. J. Melville Deacon of Milltown. At eight o'clock Dr. Deacon, accompanied by his groomsman, Mr. R. W. Whitlock, came from the vestry and stood in the nave of the church at the foot of the chancel. The grand old strains of Mendelsshon's wedding march sounded from the organ, when the bride entered the west door, leaning on the arm of her brother, Mr. Fred S. Newnham, of Canso, Nova Scotia. They were preceded by the ushers, Messrs Frank Murchie, John W. Scovil, George Topping, and Herbert McLain, who carried gold and white wands ornamented with bows of white satin ribbon, and were followed by the bridesmaids Miss Rosa Bradnee and the Misses Edith and Florence Newnham, the two young sisters of the bride.

When the bridal party reached the chancel steps, and the last tone from the organ had ceased, Rev. Canon Roberts, of Fredricton, began the marriage ceremony. The bride was given away by her father, who also pronounced the blessing. Canon Roberts came purposely from Fredricton to perform the marriage ceremony, the bride being a special favorite of his.

The bride, who is a pretty bright brunette, looked exceeeingly charming, in a bridal costume of white crepon, richly trimmed with lace, and rosettes of the crepon; she wore a veil of tulle, and wreath of natural lilies of the valley, and carried a magnificent bouquet of bride roses and maiden hair fern.

The bridesmaid, Miss Rosa Bradnee, was attired in a pretty gown of pale pink cashmere, trimmed with pink silk cord, and pale pink roses. She wore a large pink silk hat which greatly enhanced her fresh, bright beauty, and carried a lovely bouquet of La France roses.

The two little bridesmaids, Misses Edith and Florence, looked very fair and sweet, in dresses of pale pink, with Tam O'Shanter caps of white plush edged with white fur. They carried baskets of bon silene roses.

After the ceremony there was a reception at the Rectory. At half past nine, the bride left the reception-room, to change her bridal dress for her travelling costume, which was of navy blue broad cloth, with trimmings of black leather, with hat to match. The pair then left on the train for a wedding tour to Boston and New York city.

The tollettes worn by the guests were very elegant, but space forbids me from describing them. Mrs. Newnhan, mother of the bride wore a handsome dress of a dark garnet color, with vest of cream colored silk, and bonnet of garnet velvet and cream colored lace. Mrs. Deacon, mother of the groom, was attired in black silk heavily trimmed with jet.

The wedding gifts were the most elegant and valuable ever given to a bride in St. Stephen. The groom's present was an exquisite gold watch. To the bridesmaids, and Miss Annie Porter, the organist, he gave brooches, with settings of moon stones. He also presented the ushers and groomsmen with gold scarf pins. Dr. and Mrs. Deacon will remain away a fortnight, on their return, will occupy their residence at Milltown. The following is a list of the wedding gifts: Mrs. E. B. Todd, silver butter dish; Mrs. Scovi, (Shediac), handkerchief sachet; Mrs. Chipman, silver cake salver; Miss K. G. Bolton, silver biscuit jar; Mrs. Topping, half dozen solid silver spoons; Mrs. Harper, half dozen solid silver spoons; Mrs. Waterbury, opal glass vase; Mr. Hutchinson, two solid silver spoons; young ladies of Milltown Guild, silver water pitcher; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dexter, silver sugar tongs; Mr. and Mrs. Baxter, set of linen towls; Miss Mabel Topping, sugar spoon; Mr. and Mrs. S. Topping, silver spoon holder; Mr. George Topping, bamboo music stand; Mrs. T. J. Smith, silver framed sconce; Mr. and Mrs. W. Porter, handsome picture; Mr. J. Deacon, bear skin sleigh robe; Mrs. Deacon, set of dinner knives; Miss Mary Deacon, three handsome silver tea pots; Miss Louise Smith, (Hampton), toilet mats; Miss Sara Porter, silver salver; Miss Bridges, jewel case; Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Smith, handsome travelling trunk; Miss May Carter, china strawberry dish; Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Brown, white ostrich feather fan; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ross, silver pepper and salt bottles; Miss Maggie Bolz, vase; Miss Dora Bolz, silver pickle dish; the Misses Vroom, silver nut pickers; Mr. E. Robinson, the Misses Robinson, silver fruit knives; Mr. and Mrs. I. Meredith, bronze vase; Miss Nellie Meredith, embroidered handkerchief; Mrs. C. Brown, china celery dish; the Misses Bixby, pretty picture; Miss Essie Webber, china butter dish; Mr. and Mrs. A. Edwards, table; Mrs. Henry Graham, fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Vroom, handsome oak chiffonnier; Mrs. James Mitchell, picture; Mr. and Mrs. S. Williams, table; Mrs. Frank Grimmer, silver pickle fork; Mr. Fred Pickett, (St. John) original picture; Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Harmon, bronze statue; Mrs. C. H. Clerke, French placque; Mrs. N. Hannah, picture drapery; Dr. and Mrs. Deinstadt, silver salver; Miss Taylor, pickle dish; Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Balkam, pickle dish; Mr. Frank Violet, pitcher; Miss Violet, set of towels; Miss McAllister, card receiver; Miss Blanche Baxter, card receiver; Mrs. John King, five dollar gold piece; Mrs. Bell, picture of the Madonna; Mr. John W. Scovil, silver sugar and cream pitcher; Mr. and Mrs. W. McLaughlin, silver syrup jug; Mr. Peers, (Springhill, N. S.) picture; Mrs. McLeod, (St. John) hand painted cocoa jug; Dr. and Mrs. F. I. Blair, pretty white enamel clock; Mr. Fred S. Newnham, check for $25; Mr. Will Mills, silver berry spoon; Miss Nellie Maxwell, silver berry spoon; Mr. and Mrs. J. Ryder, plate and calendar; the Misses Grimmer, picture; Mrs. S. B. Thompson, silver salver; Mr. and Mrs. DeVeber, wedge-wood tea set; Mr. S. A. McBride, olive spoon; Miss K. McCullough, fruit dish; Miss Maggie Smith, (Hampton) tray cover; Mrs. Millidge, wedgewood cream pitcher; Mrs. Walter Bradnee, five o'clock tea set; Miss Rosa Bradnee, oil painting; Miss Kate Bradnee, breakfast castor; Mrs. Medley, (Fredericton) twenty dollars; Mrs. Miller, (St. John) ten dollar gold piece; Miss Yates, (St. John) biscuit jar; Dr. and Mrs. Swan, silver and cut glass epergne; the Misses Porter, silver butter knife; Mrs. C. N. Vroom, painted table scarf; Mrs. John Black, silver butter dish; the Misses Abbot, pair of bisque figures; Mr. G. D Otty, (Hampton) silver oyster forks; Miss Sadie Cotter, bisque statuette; Miss Emma McCullough, bisque ornament; Mrs. Geo. J. Clarke, china biscuit jar; Miss Campbell, (St. John) wool slippers; Miss Alice Masters, (St. John) calendar; Mrs. Masters, (St. John) handsome book; Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Brown, royal worcester vase; Mr. A. P. Tippet, (St. John) silver sugar spoon; Mr. and Mrs J. G. Stevens, silver hair pin tray; Mrs. W. O. Stewart, (Hampton) blue silk easel drapery; Miss Isabel Stewart, embroidered linen table doiley; Mr. and Miss Main, japanese vase; Mrs. Main, tray cloth; Mrs. George S. Murchie, silver salt cellars; Mrs. Fraser, (St. John) Italian ware five o'clock tea set; Mrs. W. M. Jarvis, (St. John) biscuit jar; Mrs. J. C. McHenry, whisk holder; Mrs. McLean, (Moncton) dressing case; Mrs. J. Ganong, basket of candy; Miss Addie Storr, toilet set; Miss H. McLean, silver salt cellars; Mrs. Jardine, (St. John) cake plate; Mrs E J. Smith, (Shediac) solid silver gravey ladle; Miss Clara Peterson, pair of vases; Miss Cooper, table napkins and towels; Mr. Wallace Broad, solid silver sugar spoon; Mrs. Manning, (St. John) fruit knives; Miss Manning, (St. John) black chiffon fan; Mr. Frank Kinnear, (St. John) silver placque; Mrs. W. W. Graham, book; Mrs. A. H. Graham, paper holder; Dr. Kelley, book of engravings; Captain and Mrs. McAllister, silver jardenere; the Bishop of Fredericton and Mrs. Kingdon, check for twenty dollars; Mrs. Swett, rose bowl; Mrs. F. E. Rose, salad dish; Mr. Thomas Irvine, oxydized carving set; Dr. and Mrs. Lawson, glass epergne; Miss Bessie McInnich, silk neck scarf; Miss Cora Algar, silver orange spoon; Mr. F. Haley, ivory and gold dressing case; Mr and Mrs. McMonagle, call bell; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Chipman, silver salver; Mr. and Mrs. F. Smith, plush glove box; Miss Ida Smith, calendar; Mr. Charles and Miss Annie McBride, wicker table; Mr. and Miss Ganong, silver egg spoons; Miss Alice Ray, silver fruit knives; the Misses Barlow, (St. John), china sugar and cream set; Mr. and Mrs. Almon Teed, silver salt cellars; Mr. and Mrs. John Kerr, elegant silver book holder; Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Kerr, fruit dish; Mr. R. W. Whitlock, silver cream pitcher; Mr. J. T. Whitlock, silver sugar bowl; Dr. and Mrs. Nason, silver salt and pepper bottles; Mr. A. McKenzie, wedge word pitcher; Mr. R. C. Rosborough, dressing case; the Misses Webber, china fruit dish; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin, easel and picture; ladies of Milltown, picture; ladies of Milltown, elegant piano lamp; Knights of Pythias, (St. Stephen), gold-headed cane; Knights of Pythias, (St. John), elegant set of carving knives; ladies of Milltown, elegant silver dish; Misses Katie and Edith Newnham, china ornaments; Master Godfrey Newnham, glass berry dish; Mr. Frank Murchie, handsome gold lined salt cellars; Mrs. R. K. Ross, silver tea strainer; Miss Reita Ross, embroidered table mats; Mrs. Foster, (St. Andrews), embroidered dish cover and doileys; Mrs. Drew, (Stourport, England), wedding cake; Miss Kate Drew, (Stourport, England), handkerchief; Miss Annie Drew, (Stourport England), sachet and tea cosy; Mr. Newnham Drew and Mr. Charles Drew, silver marmalade spoons; Miss Gilmore, Miss Hanson and Miss Kerr, picture; Mr. and Mrs. Butler and Mrs. McKeown, sconce.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Grinmer, of St. Andrews, were in town during the week, and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Grinmer.

Dr. Hunter Duncan, of Brooklyn, New York, accompanied by Mrs. Duncan, arrived here last week, and will spend the winter here for the benefit of Mrs. Duncan's health, physicians in New York recommending a Canadian winter. They are at present guests at "The Windsor." Dr. and Mrs Duncan have numerous friends here who will enjoy their visit extremely.

Miss Annie Bonness is visiting in St. John.

Miss Lizzie MacNichol, is in Bangor, visiting her friend, Mrs. J. P. Bass. On Tuesday evening Miss MacNichol had the pleasure of attending a reception given by Mr. and Mrs. Arad Thompson in honor of Madame Lillian Nordica, who is the guest of Mrs. Thompson, during her stay in Bangor.

Mr. Fredric S. Newnham, left on Monday afternoon for his home in Canso, Nova Scotia.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Parker Grimmer on the birth of a son.

Miss Nellie Murchie arrived home to-day having spent the past two months very pleasantly among friends in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Alice Graham was surprised by a party of her friends last evening a number of whom came from Calais. Cards were the chief amusement. Welsh rare bit and coffee was served at twelve o'clock and shortly after the guests went homeward, having enjoyed a very pleasant evening.

Mrs. Durell Grimmer has returned to her home in St. Andrews. She was accompanied by her mother Mrs. J. A. Grimmer who will remain in St. Andrews for a few days.

It is rumored that wedding bells will ring for two pair of happy souls directly after Christmas holidays.

Invitations are to be given this week by Mr. and Mrs. James L. Thompson to a number of their friends to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of their wedding day, which occurs on the 23rd.

CAMPBELLTON.

DEC. 13.—The young ladies and gentlemen of the R. C. church intend holding an oyster supper and apron fair on Thursday, the 22nd inst., for the benefit of the hospital. Lovers of good music should not fail to attend, as I hear one of the finest programmes has been prepared for the occasion by local artists. A hearty welcome has been extended to all and I hope to see it well patronized.

Mrs. Angus McLellan entertained a few friends last Monday evening. Whist was the chief function and the hours passed pleasantly, Mrs. McLellan proving a charming hostess.

Rev. Mr. Fisher, of Dalhousie, came up to attend the lecture given by the Rev. Dr. McRae, last Thursday. A large and intelligent audience was present and the sum of $50 realized.

Dr. Lunam is looking exceedingly well and happy after his pleasant trip to Moncton.

Mrs. W. S. Smith and Mrs. W. H. Philips of Dalhousie were in Campbellton on Thursday.

Mr. Jack Eagles, of St. John, spent Sunday in town.

Mr. A. G. Dewar, of Halifax, was here several days on his way to Toronto.

Last week I spoke of some of the gentlemen of the town having organized a whist club, consequently the first party was given by Mr. William Murray on Friday last. Mr. O. A. Barbarie, Mr. A. J. Venner, Mr. F. W. Daniel, Mr. James Murray, Mr. F. W. Anderson, Mr. Fairey and Dr. Doherty had a delightful evening and are looking forward to the next meeting.

Hon. C. H. LaBillois and Mr. Charlie Stewart, of Dalhousie, were in town last week.

Miss Crumley, of Chatham, who was the guest of Miss Bella Devereaux, left for her home on Saturday.

Mrs. Devereaux and Miss Maggie Devereaux, of Petit Rocher, are staying at the Presbytery.

Mrs. W. W. Doherty drove to Dalhousie on Saturday.

Mrs. A. McG. McDonald is entertaining her aunt, Mrs. James Reid of Charlo.

Mr. James P. Brean is a welcome visitor in our town.

Miss T. Stewart, of Bathurst, is visiting her sister Mrs. William Mott.

Mrs. John Barberie and Miss Daisy Barberie, of Dalhousie, spent Monday with friends in town.

Mr. Fred Tennant registered at the Royal last week.

Mr. Kilgour Shives has taken a trip to Boston, New York and other American cities.

Mr. Charlie Cole, of Sackville, was in Campbellton on Monday.

Owing to the illness of Miss Maher, Mrs. P. Sheenan, of New Mills, will be in town for a few days.

Invitations are issued for a dance by the B. L. of E., which will take place next Tuesday, in the Odd Fellows' hall. I hope to be able to give a full description next week.

The skating season has commenced but there is "a sort of foreboding heavy upon the souls" of enthusiastic skaters as to the probability of there being no band at the rink this winter, therefore the prospects for this season do not look as bright as last year. It is not only a sad outlook for skaters but also for those who like to promenade and enjoy the music. LESLIE.

DORCHESTER.

DEC. 14.—Hon. H. R. Emmerson is absent on official duties. Mrs. Emmerson accompanied him on this trip.

Mrs. J. W. Y. Smith is visiting her old home in St. John.

Mrs. G. M. Fairweather was called to Fredericton last week by the serious illness of her father, Mr. Brown, who is now reported much better. Mr. Fairweather went to Fredericton on Saturday, returning on Tuesday.

Mr. Jos. A. McQueen spent Sunday in Dorchester. Mr. McQueen intends taking an office in St. John and moving there before long.

Hon. A. D. Richard went to Fredericton on Monday evening.

Mrs. Joshua King has been quite seriously ill but is now improving.

An adjourned sitting of the county court was held on Tuesday. Among the lawyers in attendance were Messrs Wells, R. B. Smith, James Kay and C. E. A. Simonds of Moncton.

Mr. W. B. Chandler spent the first part of the week in St. John.

Judge Hanington and Rev. Mr. Campbell were in Halifax last week.

Mr. H. J. McGrath went to St. John on Monday evening.

Mr. Fred J. King and Miss Lottie Wallace, two of our most popular young people, were united in wedlock at the methodist parsonage on Friday evening, the Rev. Mr. Baker performing the ceremony. The illness of Mrs. King, mother of the groom, made the wedding necessarily a quiet one The young couple leave on Wednesday evening for Florida, accompanied by Mrs. Joshua King whose poor health requires a change of climate.

GRAND MANAN.

DEC. 12.—Mrs. Seely and Mrs. Joseph Gaskill returned from St. John on Wednesday.

Dr. G. B. Noyes, of Charlestown, Me., is visiting friends here.

A number of the young people of the Methodist church gave a very successful and interesting entertainment on Friday evening. Nearly all of the performers were small people. but they acted their different parts almost as skilfully as the older ones.

Mrs. Burton, of Labec, is spending a few weeks here with friends.

Mr. William Russell. sr., is quite ill.

Miss Lou Covert is visiting her friend, Miss Eleanor Redmond.

I hear rumors of another wedding to take place very soon, but the invitations are not out yet.

A very pleasant dance was given in the public hall at Grand Harbour on Monday evening. The music was excellent, and all who were present enjoyed themselves.

Mr. Ralph Gupsill returned to Lubec on Thursday.

Mr Wilfred Cheney who has been so very ill, is slowly recovering his former health.

Captain Kent of government cruiser, Kingfisher, returned from St. John on Wednesday. SEAWEED

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GREENWICH.

DEC. 13.—Quite an unusual event for the time of year, occurred this week when a party of gentlemen, consisting of Mr. D. Marley, Dr. J. B. Gilchrist, Mr. Harvey Whelpley, Mr. H. Belyea, Mr. Geo. Fowler, Mr. A. L. Peatman and others, sailed to St. John on Monday and returned on Tuesday.

Miss Pickett who was visiting her parents Rev. D. W. and Mrs. Pickett, has returned to Newport.

Miss Maggie Smith expects to go to St. John after the holidays to attend school for the remainder of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McLeod will spend Christmas in St. John. they will be the guests of their daughter Mrs. Wm. Prince.

Misses Jennie Holder and Bessie Belyea, of Westfield, spent Sunday with Miss Jennie's mother, Mrs. Holder.

A tea meeting and fancy sale will take place in McLeod's hall, Wednesday 21st.

Miss Robinson has resigned her charge of the school at Round Hill.

Mrs. Zebulon Jones is recovering from her recent illness. GOLDEN ROD.

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LINCOLN.

DEC. 13.—Mr. Charles True went to Edmonston yesterday, where he intends spending the winter.

Miss Bessie Hagerman, spent a few days here last week, the guest of Miss Julia Wiseley.

Mrs. John Reid, who has been confined to the house for some time, is able to be out again.

Mrs. William Lewell, who has been sick for some time, is slowly recovering.

The F. C. Baptists of this place have engaged the Rev. Mr. Perry, as pastor of their church, for the coming year.

Miss Flora Boyce sprained her ancle, a few days ago. She is however, able to be out again.

Miss Bessie Williamson, our popular school teacher, has resigned her charge of the school here. E. B.

ANNAGANCE.

DEC. 18.—Miss Nan Davidson of "Apple Hill" has accepted a situation in the Central Telephone office in St. John She will be greatly missed as she was a general favorite.

Rumor says that there is to be a marriage celebrated on Wednesday evening, Dec. 21st at Corn Hill. The contracting parties are prominent members of Corn Hill society. One of St. John's Methodist ministers is to be the officiating clergyman.

Miss Annie Webster of Petiticodiac spent Sunday last with friends on "Apple Hill."

Last Thursday as Mr. Jas. S. Bennett was unloading a pistol, it went off and pierced his left hand through. The wound though of quite a serious nature is fast improving. MOSQUITO.

GRAND FALLS.

DEC. 13.—Miss Mary Hartt arrived home Saturday from St. John, where she has been visiting her uncle the past two months.

Mr. J. E. Duffy, of Bangor, arrived in town Saturday to spend Xmas with his family, who are visiting at Mrs. Duffy's mother, Mrs. Jno. May.

Mr. Wm. Smith and Mr. R. Corey, of Fort Fairfield, Me., visited here last week at Mr. S. Smith's.

Mrs. F. S. Murchie, of Edmunston, was in town last week.

Mrs. L. A. Estey and Mrs. W. B. Estey went to Fort Fairfield last week.

Miss Manzer spent Sunday in Andover.

Miss M. J. McCuskey and Miss Ella McCluskey drove to Presque Isle last week.

Don't catch cold, but if you do, get Munro's Elixir at once A bottle for a quarter.

ST. GEORGE.

DEC 14.—Mr. Harry MacGowan of Vermont is in town, having been called home by the severe illness of his father.

Mr. J. Sutton Clark our popular druggist, has returned from a trip to Eastport.

Mr. Douglas Wetmore of Truro, spent a few days with Mr and Mrs. Ludgate last week.

Miss Georgie Watson who has been spending the last two months at the Brunswick House, left on Tuesday for her home in Boston

Rev. H. E. S. Mabler, Hon. A. H. Gilmor, Mr. Goss and Mr. Anderson were delegates to the quarterly Convention which opened in the Baptist Church, Pennfield, on Tuesday. MAX.

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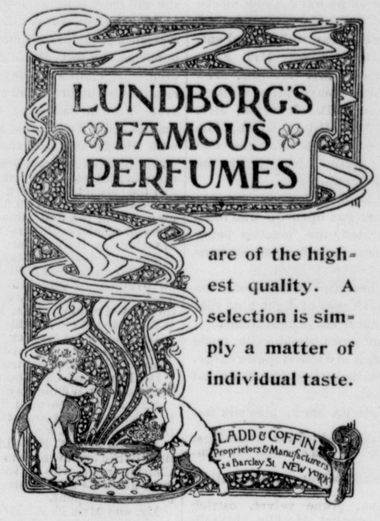

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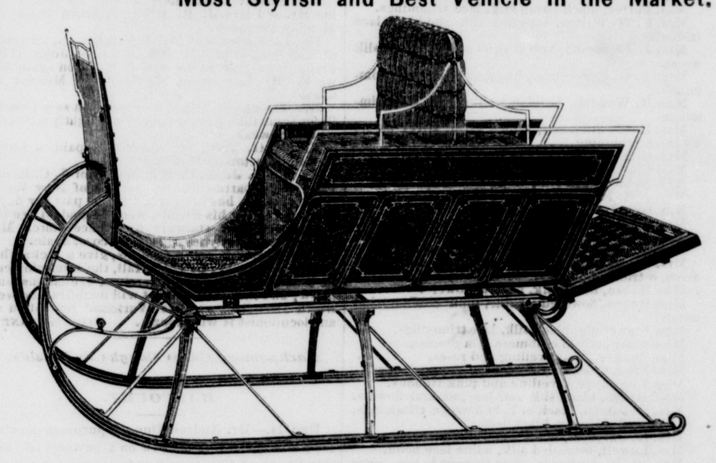

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