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### HALIFAX NOTES.

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Easter Sunday was a most charming spring day, quite an ideal Easter, and the world of fashion turned out to do it honor in the most brilliant manner. St. Luke's church really looked like a many colored garden from the gallery, so universal were new floral hats and bonnets. The churches, as a rule, looked very well this year; any quantity of flowers having been sent. People certainly gave the best they had with a good will, and a multitude of Easter lilies testified to their devotion to the great festival of the

Apropos of the confirmation about to be held in various churches, I have heard lately rather a tion, although the weather is very unfavorable. curious thing which may be interesting to confirmation candidates of the feminine gender. An English bishop to whose duty fell numerous confirmations, has lately felt obliged to request candidates to be more careful about the way in which they attach their caps and veils to their hair; the pin pricks and scratches received in the episcopal hand during the ceremony having compelled him to this action.

If, therefore, candidates for confirmation would return from that ceremony with a good conscience, let them remember their bishop—and their pins!

On Easter Monday Captain Boileau gave a very pleasant little luncheon party at his house in Dres den Row, in honor, I believe, of the birthday of his liitle son. Mrs. Hill was the guest of honor, and among the other guests were Major and Mrs. Bor, Thursday. Miss Norton-Taylor, Miss Townsend, Mr. Marsh, Mr. Euthov, etc. Altogether this was a very bright smart little party; and all the arrangements, for which the host is famous, quite above the usual average of luncheon parties.

By the way, I hear that the captain has only one more year to remain in Halifax.

On Monday night the Fiske Jubilee singers had a capital house; rather a "concert audience," taken generally-which means a larger circle than the ordinary theatre goers-with a very goodly sprinkling of smart people.

Quite the musical event of next week, will be the concert to be given in the Orpheus Hall, by the Halifax Choral Association. The works to be performed are Gaul's "Holy City," and Spoke's, "God Thou art Great." It seems rather a pity this concert could not have been held in Lent, as it is an eminently Lenten programme, However, the Choral Association may feel assured of a good house, especially, as they have the attraction of being, at present, an unknown quantity in the musi-

I am glad to learn that there is some chance of the Orpheus Club being represented at the Chicago Exhibition. This is as it should be, and it is to be hoped the Club will manage to go.

On Tuesday evening, the officers of the R. A and R. E., gave a farewell dinner to Colonel Hill, who has been in command of the latter corps here since the departure of Colonel O'Brien. There were of course, the usual speeches and good wishes proper to farewell entertainments, on Tuesday evening, all most sincerely uttered. Colonel Hill has been liked here, and the officers and men under him are sorry to see him leave. I hear that Colone Leach, who takes his place, is a great friend of Sir George and Lady Watson.

On Wednesday evening Sir John Ross gave a small dinner and musical party, which was partly intended as a farewell to Colonel and Mrs. Hill and partly in honor of Colonel and Mrs. Hamilton, Maj or and Mrs. Mellor, and those of the King's Liverpool Regiment. After the dinner, which was not a large nor a long one, a second contingent of guests arrived. Bellevue is a very good house for a musical party, as there is very little superfluous drapery bout, and the singing of some of the ladies was heard to great advantage.

Mrs. Hill was looking particularly well, as was Miss Ross, the hostess.

This week seems to have been mapped out rather exclusively in the way of music, to various forms of which four evenings have been devoted. Thursday evening was allotted a double share, having been fixed upon by the church of England Institute and the Academy cadets. The latter had upon their programme a very promising set of names—Mrs. Hagarty, Mrs. Bor, Mrs. I. McD. Taylor, Mr. Klingenfeld, Dr. Slayter, Mr. Gillis, Mr. Dodwell etc. A selection of performers which showed great sense in the orginators of the entertainment, as they are all extremely popular. I hear by the way, that the place left vacant by Mr. Lear in the choir of the church of the Redeemer, has been offered to Mrs.

Dr. and Mrs. Slayter received, on Saturday last, sad news concerning the health of one of their sons Mr. James Slayter, who has been very ill with diphtheria. Better accounts having been received of him on Tuesday, Dr. Slayter will not go to Chicago, as he at first intended; but it is very likely that Mrs. Slayter will go in his place. Dr. Howard Slayter, of Chicago, is meanwhile in charge of his

Invitations were i-sued by the officers of the R. A. and R. E. early in the week, for a farewell tea to Colonel and Mrs. Hill, which was to take place yes terday afternoon, and must wait till next week for an account in this column.

A great variety of small teas have been on the cards this week, chiefly owing to the fact that the weather has not been particularly settled, and that absolutely no outdoor amusement was to be found. The embargo on tea drinking which existed during Lent, has given this sort of gathering a new impetus. "Cakes and ale" gain in flavor from a period of desuetude, so why not cakes and tea? I must say that I was rather amused on Easter Eve at the ladies who besieged the sweet shops, laying in a supply which would go far to make up for their forty days' abstin-

The many sincere friends made by Sir Edmund Commercial during his stay here, may care to hear that he has lately had the honor of dining with the Prince of Wales, and that his neighbor at dinner was Prince Edward of Saxe-Weimar.

Among late news from England is that of the arrival of a little daughter to Major and Mrs. Mansel. I hear that Surgeon-Major Dorman has taken that pleasant little house on Victoria Road, lately occupied by Mr. W. A. Henry, and that he will probably bring his bride there in June.

"The Bower," Tower Road, has been taken by Mr. W. G. Jones who will take up his residence there on the orthodox first of May.

Major Waldron, R. A., leaves for England today by the mail steamer.

Many people will be shocked to hear of the sad death of Mrs. William Salter, which occu red this week. Mrs. Salter was a Miss Forsyth of this city, and leaves a large circle of friends and near relatives here. This is I think, the fourth death which has occurred in the Salter family during a period of

Mr. Thorne of the Halifax Banking Company, who went to England on leave last Saturday regret to hear called there on account of the serious ness of a relative.

Mr. Edwardes, R. A., has been ordered to Bermuda, and he will go almost immediately. Colonel and Mrs. Hill, who leave for England today, will take up their residence at Oban, where Colonel Hill has received an appointment in connec-

### tion with the Scotch office. MORRIS GRANVILLE. YARMOUTH.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Yarmouth at the stores of E.J. Vickerv, Harris & Guest, H. W. Cann and J. A. Craig.

APRIL 4.—The entertainments given in the Music Hall, of late, have been unusually good. Last week among the other numbers on the Music Hall programme, we had the "Jubilee Singers," for two evenings; the house was well-filled on both occasions, and the amount realized was beyond the ex-

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pectation of those under whose auspices the company came, the Young Men's Christian Association. This evening, the Yarmouth Band, under Prof. J. D. Medcalfe's leadership, is giving a minstrel concert. As these entertainments have always been well patronized, no doubt, this evening is no excep-

Mr. Walter Holly, of St. John, spent the first of this week in town.

Mr. Albert Johns, intends leaving soon for St. John, and will enter into business in that city. Miss Lizzie Moody, spent a short time in Digby recently, returning home the latter part of last week. Mrs. W. F. Kempton, returned from New Eng-

land, on Wednesday last, where she has been taking

Mr. Hamiston Byers, is home for a short time, from British Columbia, where he has been residing

a musical course of some months.

Mr. Peters, of St. John, N. B., is in town. Miss Lowerison, is in town for a short time, the guest of her brother, Dr. E. H. Lowerison.

Dr. Guildford, was in town for a short time on Capt. George Cann is home for a few weeks.

Mrs Jos. R. Kinney was in Digby last week. Mr. Geo. E. Lavers arrived here from Halifax rently and is spending a few days in town. Mr. Young of Windsor passed through en route

or his home on Saturday.

Mr. Walter Dodds left on Saturday of last week or Ottawa where he will enter into business. Mr. Dodds was a general favorite in society circles, and his absence is much regretted by his many triends. Before leaving Mr. Dodds entertained a number of his most intimate friends one evening at whist. Mr. and Mrs. ( ahan returned from Halifax last

F. Prot. Snell of Windsor spent a few days here re-

Mrs Z. Goudey is home from New York where she has been spending the past month.

Mr. De m F. Currie's appointment to the U.S.

consuls ip of Yarmouth has been withdrawn and another i as been appointed to the office to take effect next month. It was with much regret that the news of the change was received here, as Mr. Currie's many friends were prepared to give him a hearty

welcome on his expected arrival this week.

Miss Sadie Lovett left on Wednesday for New York where she will remain for some weeks. Mr. W. D. Ross arrived from England on Satur-

Mrs. J. W. Anderson, who has been absent from town on account of ill health for the past month, returned home on Wednesday last. Mr. J. Keith, of Windsor, spent a few hours here

Capt. George Wetmore is in Yarmouth for a few Mrs. J. L. Lovitt and Miss E. Lovitt are visiting Mrs. Henry Farish, of Liverpool, is the guest of

Dr. and Mrs. George Farish. Mr. H. F. Carpenter spent a short time here Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Bennet are in town.

Mr. B. W. Baldwin, of New York, was in town on Wednesday leaving in that evening's steamer for

Mr. C. E. Hancock spent a day here this week. Mr. Wm. Law, M. P, who is attending House of Assembly arrived here from Halifax on Friday evening, and returned on Monday.

Mr. Thos. Stoneman has recovered from his recent liness, although not yet able to attend business, Mr. Carl Dennis and Mr. Edward Hatfield are out again, after a month's il ness. Mr. N. W. White, M. P., passed through en route

Shelburne from Halifax on Monday. Mr. John Bower of Shelburne left on Saturday for Mrs. J. S. Perry and pupils gave a musicale on Thursday evening. The performance of the pupils was very good, and the affair well attended. Mr. T. R. Jolly arrived home from England this

Mr. Jas. McLaughlin arrived on Monday evening Mr. J. Welsh of Digby, was here for a short time on Saturday.

Mr. James Crosby is in town. Mr. G. H. Trefry arrived from Boston on Saturday. Mr. Stanley Killam and Mr. Clifford Allen are ome from Worcester College. Mr. Hatfield M. P. arrived here on Friday from

### NEW GLASGOW.

APRIL 5 .- Miss Bessie Anderson, of Port Mulgrave, was in town on Friday. Mr. H. H. Schaffer of Shediac, J. B., was in town

on Thursday of last week. Mr. Wm. Starkey of Moncton, was at the Windsor

Mrs. L. Higgins and Master Percy left town on Saturday to spend Easter Sunday with friends in Halifax. Mr. Higgins left on the same day for

Gaiety has been suspended to a great extent for the past week-Passion Week,-as a number of the elite of New Glasgow are church people. But on Sunday morning, bright faces beneath pretty taste. ful bonnets and some very pretty costumes, showed that the Lenten season was past. The Easter ser-vices were held in their usual solemn beauty. St. George's chapel was very tastefully decorated with natural flowers and plants in full bloom, in variety, Easter and calla lilbes, and the dainty fragrant yacinthes and primroses. In the afternoon the Y. M. C. A. teld an Easter service in James church. The church was crowded. Stirring addresses by Rev. A. Roberts and Rev. W. T. Stackhouse, and music by a selected choir filled in the hour. Miss Mc-Dougali's voice never sounded sweeter than in the solo, "God is Love." The male quartette al o sang

Mr. J. Grant, of the Halifax Banking Company, eft town on Thursday of last week.
Mr. Fraser, accountant of the Halifax Bank in Truro, spent Sunday in New Glasgow. Mr. J. Moriarity, head clerk in J. F. Grant's, Gents Furnishing store, is very ill at present. We have welcomed back to our town two of our

### SPRINGHILL.

popular young men, Alfred McQueen and James

Christie, from the Royal School of Infantry in Fred-

APRIL 5 -Mr. Colin McLeod spent the Easter holidays in Pictou, but returned to town the first of the week having enjoyed his brief trip very much. Mrs. R. D. G. E. Beebee, of Truro, is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. Anderson.

The many triends of Mrs. D. Irvine Forbes (nee Miss Laura Anderson) are delighted to see her once more in Springhill, looking as charming as when she left us, a bride, last August. Mrs. Forbes expects to return to Lunenburg in about two weeks. Mrs. H. H. Archibald is spending a few days in

Mr. Torrey, principal of the night school, and several of the other teachers, spent the Easter holidays out of town but returned to the post of duty on Miss Mabel McLeod, of Truro, who spent the last

few weeks with her sister Mrs. H. L. Christie, left last Friday to visit relatives in another part of the Miss Lena McKinnon, who has been suffering

from an attack of quinsy for over a week is able to

be out again. A very quiet but pretty wedding took place in the urch this week the contracting parties being Mr. Wi liam Cooke and Miss Mary Ryan; the ceremony was performed by Rev. P. Egan in the presence of a large number of people. The altar was prettily trimmed with plants and cut flowers, and the wedding march beautifully rendered by Miss Lily Fuller, organist of the church. The bride was becomingly attired in a fawn faille francaise dress, with hat to march, while Miss Mary Robbins, who attended her, wore a silver-grey cloth dress with prelate purple silk trimmings. The groom was supported by Mr. Frank D. Heffernan. After the cer-

residence of the newly wedded pair and here Mr. and Mrs. Cooke received the congratulations of in-timate friends. About nine o'clock a delightful luncheon was served, after which a couple of hours were pleasantly passed in social chat when the guests dispersed. In a previous issue I expressed the hope that the

entertainment, for which the club orchestra were preparing and which took the form of a promenade ncert, would be a success, but even the most sanguine had never hoped for such an immense crowd as filled the hall on Monday night. The enertainment took the form of a promenade concert, but though it was announced as such it could scarcely be called that, for once having forced one's way into the main hall, it was impossible to move around until about ten o'clock when the crowd began to grow smaller. The orchestra discoursed sweet music from the platform. The programme consisting of the following numbers: March-Firemen's Parade .... ....J. Beissig. Overture-Little Beauty . . . C. W. Bennett.

Frombone Solo-Field of Glory... Ripley. March-Young Soldier. E. Be er. Original Caprice-Evening Slumbers...Mercadante. Galop-Lightning Express... R. Elenberg. The distribution of the prizes caused great excite-

ment as every one whose envelope contained a number, felt quite sure of the gold watch, which was however, drawn by Mrs. W. Lowther. The list of prize winners is too long for insertion, but every one was delighted with their luck. Late in the evening dancing was indulged in, and a very gay evening was enjoyed. The members of the orchestra must feel gratified over the result of their entertain-

The bazaar in aid of the R. C. Church is the event for next week, and the ladies having charge of the affair are extremely busy preparing for it. The most elegant articles of fancy work will be on sale as well as a great many useful articles. MARS.

### BRIDGETOWN.

APRIL 4 .- Rev. Mr. Brecken, of Charlottetown, was in town last week, the guest of Mr. Hart. Mr. J. Taylor came from Halifax on Friday, returning on Monday, accompanied by his mother, who has been for some weeks the guest of her daughter, Mrs. H. Ruggles.

Miss Edith Quirk has returned from a short visit Mr. and Mrs. Gillis were the guests of Mrs. Cas-

sidy, on Friday Mrs. Hastings Freeman is visiting her mother, Miss Jennie Crowe and Miss Jack, Annapolis,

were the guests of Mrs. R. Allan Crowe, last week. Mrs. Walter McCormack is visiting her mother, Mrs. John McCormack. Mr. Ernest Bauckman, Boston, is in town, the guest of his aunt, Mrs. L. E. Marshall.
Mr. Arch. Healy, with his friend, Mr. Woodman, came up from Weymouth on Friday, returning on | Stewart

Mr. Hugh Fowler, who has been very ill with pneumonia, is convaiescent. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. T. Dearness, on the birth of a son.

Mrs. Aldous, went to Kentville on Monday, for a we k's vi-it with friends. Miss Lottie Fellows has gone to Digby. Mrs. Shipley, and Mr. Richard Shipley, went to Halifax on Monday, returning on Wednesday.

Miss Johnson, Woltville, is the guest of Mrs.

## TRURO, N. S.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Truro at Mr. G. O. Fu]. ton's, and at D. H. Smith & Co.'s.]

APRIL 5 .- The students who have been home for the Easter recess, have returned to their several colleges again, Miss Georgie Hyde to the ladies' college, Halifax, and Miss Bligh to "Edgehill,"

Masters Luther McDowail, Harry Kaulbach, Walter and Jack Muir, left this morning for their school at Windsor; and Master Walter Shpp returned to "Acacia Villa," Horton Landing.

Miss Calkin returned yesterday from Pictou, where she was visiting her sister, Mrs. Geo. Carson. The churches were all enlivened, on Sunday last, with beautiful floral tributes. At St. John's the decorations were particularly fine, and the singing unusually good. In the morning the solo in the anthem was nicely rendered by Miss Florrie Hall, and to say that the tenor solo in the evening was taken by Mr. Jas. Sutton, who was here from Moncon, requires no further need of praise. duetts were beautifully rendered by Mrs. Brine and Mr. Sutton, and Mrs. Brine and Mrs. McLellan. Doctor S. L. Walker spent Easter Sunday and

Monday among Amberst friends. Mr. Fairbanks, Parrsboro', formerly of the Halifax Bank staff here, s, ent Easter Sunday and Mon-

Miss Farnsworth, one of our talented artists, returned yesterday from New 6 lasgow, where she had been spending a few days. There was a large children's party at Fairview on Thursday evening last, given by Mrs. Smith for

The three Misses Milligan, who have been visiting at "Fairview," return to their home in Halifax to

### NORTH SYDNEY. [PROGRESS is for sale in North Sydney by Messrs.

April 3 .- Mrs. Earle returned from Port Mul-

grave Saturday night. Mr. J. C. Robertson returned Thursday night from New Glasgow.

The Fisk Jubilee singers are booked to appear in the Royal Albert hall on the 8th and 10th. Invitations are out for a calico sociable Thursday

evening, April the 7th. The newest calicos are eagerly seized upon but just now, with the changing patterns, and the latest fashion as yet in its untried infancy, it must seem a wory to be a woman and the vexing questions of the hour are-"How many yards? ' and how shall I cut that skirt?"

Mr. H. E. Baker is in town. Mr. Boak who left by Friday's train, is spending the Easter holidays in Halifax. Mr. McCrae of New Glasgow, is relieving Mr.

Mr. R. H. Brown and the Misses Brown of Sydney Mines, have gone south. Mr. Blowers Archibald, jr., returned from St. John last week. Miss Christie spent last week in town.

Miss Rose Bown, who has been staying with Mrs. A. C. Ross, returns to Sydney to day. Mrs. Rigby will sing at a concert to be given in Sydney to night in aid of the new Orchestra. Mr. Fred. Mahoney has been staying at Dr. MacPherson's.

### BARRINGTON.

APRIL 3 .- Mr. Thomas Robertson arrived home on Saturday evening.

Captain Asa Doane, who has been spending some weeks with his relatives here, returned to Boston on Saturday morning. Miss Leddie Hopkins, accompanied by Miss Ella

McLarren, of Argyle, returned home on Thursday evening for the Easter holidays. They are leaving a ;ain this evening for Argyle.

The Easter service at the Temple baptist church on Sunday morning was very bright and largely attended. Mr. West, who is now in charge of the congregation, and who occupied the pulpit for the first time, spoke under difficulties as he was suffering from severe cold. The second anthem was par-ticularly beautiful and well rendered, the soprano solos being taken by Miss Annie Crowell. Mr. N. W. Hogg spent Easter at his home in Shel-

[Progress is for sale at Amherst by George

APRIL 5 .- The Easter holidays so far have been uncommonly dull, a state of things which I feel dis posed to attribute to their previousness and the very erratic weather in attendance. Easter Sunday was bright but very cold, and throughout the large congregations that attended the different churches very little change was discernable in the way of Spring garb for the occasion, more than a bunch of bright flowers or a gay ribbon added to the autumn and winter millinery. In fact the season has come so early that our ladies even for fashion's sake are far too considerate to sacrifice the comfort of their handsome and becoming fur garments for the natty loose cape that is destined to take its turn next. Easter music as far as I can learn was good all

round, though nothing in a very special way was

prepared except in Christ church, where the choris-

ters made their first appearance and acquitted themselves in a most praiseworthy way. Their work was carefully rendered with a good volume of tone fairly well sustained. The soprano was a little timid at times, which brought their leader's voice out rather prominently in some passages in the anthem. Their chanting was faultless and their teacher Mr. H. A. Hillcoat, is deserving of the combined thanks of the congregation for his untiring efforts as choir master, in placing the music upon such a presentable and thorough basis. Those who expected to see a "surpliced choir" were somewhat disappointed, that being an "innovation" that has yet to wear its way into favor, and when it does then will Christ church have a choir in point of excellency and appearance difficult to surpass. The altar was very prettily trimmed with cut flowers, and banks of potted plants were very effectively arranged in front of The music in the baptist church was very good as

it is on all occasions, it being an establisted fact that they can render better music there, when all the members are present, than in any other church in town. Miss Miles sang a solo at the morning service and the fine voice of Dr. Waker of Truro, was a very pleasant addition.

The services at St Stephen's church were very largely attended, it being the tenth anniversary of the induction of the Rev. D. McGregor, into the pastor-ship of that church. A profusion of flowers was tastefully grouped about the pulpit and front of the choir. The services were of particular interest as the Rev. Mr. McGregor expects to leave his flock about the middle of this month, for a trip to Scotland, to enjoy a well earned vacation. I understand there is a pleasant surprise in store for him this evening at Holm cottage, the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Main, when his congregation wil show their great appreciation of his earnest teaching with something in the way of disbursements, and I am told a silver service of great value will also be forthcoming on the occasion. It is expected that Mr. Grierson will discharge the ministerial duties in the presbyterian church during Mr. McGregor's

The egg sociable in the methodist church was a very great success in every way, eggs were eisplayed of many curious designs for both use and ornament, all selling for good prices. Mrs. Pridham captured the prize for the handsomest production and Miss Donkin got the honor for originality, although the lady who constructed the "owls" home was far ahead of all in general estimation. Mr. W. Curry has returned from a trip to Mon-

Mrs. Charles Smith is visiting her home in Mrs. Fen and little daughter of Halifax, are the guests of her sister Mrs. A. McKinnon, Daplanche

Mr. J. Douglas, arrived home on Saturday, from Montreal, where he has been attending McGill Miss Rich, of Truro, is visiting her friend, Miss Ella Hillson. Miss Worth, is the guest of Mrs Sherman Rogers.

Mr. B. Treen, who has been in Boston for the winter, returned to Amherst last week. Mr. J. Mowat, of the Bank of Nova Scotia. accompanied by Mrs. Mowat and children, left the first of the week en route, for his home in Scotland, to spend his vacation. Miss Conie Dicke, went to Halifax, on Wednes-day, to pay a visit to her little friend, Miss Lilian

Rev. D. A. Steele, will assist at the dedicatory service, next Sunday, of the new baptist church, Miss Maud Tighe, who has been paying a long visit to friends in Kentville, returned home last

week, to the great pleasure of everybody. Mr. W. D. Pride, has gone on a trip to Boston and New York.
Miss Ella Moffat, went to Westmorland, on Tuesday, to assist Miss Bliss at the Easter concert. Quite a number propose driving over this evening, to assi-t the undertaking, which, by all I hear is to

well worth the drive. Miss Lowerison has gone for a brief visit to Yar-Mr. and Mrs. Morley Pike, returned on Wednes day last, from their wedding trip to Florida, and will take a home in the vicinity of Amherst, to the

delight of their Triends. On Thursday last, Mrs. Ketchum went to Moncton, to spend Easter, with her mother and sister, returning home on Tuesday. Miss Mattie Strothard, en'ertained a number of friends, on Friday evening, in honor of Miss Borden, and Miss Leavitt, of Sackville, who were her guests over Easter, returning horse on Monday evening.

gave a merry little party, for the yorng friends of her daughter, Miss Myra, which was a very pleasant event. Mr. James Moffat spent a few days of last week in John on busine-s. Miss Wallace and Miss Katie Gross, who have been in town for several weeks, left on Wednesday

On Tuesday evening, Mrs. Aubiey Chapman,

for their home in Hillsboro Mr. A. R. Dickey, M. P., arrived home from Ottawa on Tuesday evening On Tuesday Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Main gave a small party at their handsome home which was about the only event of the kind that I have heard of this week. No doubt it was very p'easantly enjoyed as all gatherings at their home meet with general appreciation.

At nine o'clock on Sunday morning Rev. V. E.

Harris baptized Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Munro's baby giving it the pretty name of Donald Rice. Bishop Courtenay arrived in town on Monday to attend the Easter meeting which was of unusual importance on account of the resignation of the rector. The ladies were specially invited to meet his lordship on Tu sday aftern on and a very large number were present. I have failed to learn why Rev. Mr. Harris resigned but the bishop thinks he

is as much needed here as any one else and as far as

appreciation goes it is certain if he went further he

would hardly fare better. The ladies will put out an extra effort after the kind admonitions of the

### bishop, giving a sociable in a small way next week and a sale on the first of May. MARSH MALLOW.

APRIL 4.- Mrs. Chisholm returned home last Monday, having spent a few weeks with friends in

PICTOU.

Mrs. A. H. McKay of Halifax, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Johnston.

Friends of Mr. Simpson, are sorry to hear of li illness, and hope for his speedy recovery. Mr. B. J. Metzler of the Bank of Nova Scotia, left for Halifax last Thursday. He will be greatly missed by his Pictou friends, with whom he was a general favorite.

Mr. DeWolfe of Halifax, spent Easter Sunday in town, the guest of Mrs. D. S. Crerar. Miss Smith and Miss Knox of Truro, are the guests of Mrs. George Carson.

Mr. George Pyke was in town this week. Rev. A. McLean of New Glasgow, preached an able sermon in St. Andrew's church last Sunday morning. The music loving people of Pictou, will have a

treat in the way of a concert, which will be given by the Fisk Jubilee Singers, in the Masonic Hall, on the twel th of April. Mr. and Mrs. I. Johnstone, of New Glasgow, spent Monday in town, the guests of Mrs. John-

On Sunday evening Rev. A. Harley preached his farewell sermon to a large congregation. As it was Easter Sunday the communion table was profusely decorated with white flowers. Mr. and Mrs. Harley have been general favorites while they have been with us, and their removal to Digby, where Mr. Harley has accepted a call, is much regretted by all. Some of the o her churches in town were also prettily decorated with flowers, the music in the Roman Catho ic church being specially good. The Methodist church had a profusion of the most perfect Easter lillies, which came from Bermuda. hear that next Sunday the Sabbath school children will give an entertainment instead of the usual service, a large box of flowers being also expected from Mrs. Clarence Primrose left for St. John on Mon-

day, to meet Senator Primrose on his return from Mrs. Charles Davies spent Monday in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Harley were the guest of Mrs.
Primrose at the cottage for a few days. A delightful dance was given by Mrs. Dawson on Monday evening for her son Mr. Aleck who is at home for the present. Mrs. Dawson makes a charm-

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finding my weight gradually reducing, I became alarmed. My customers continually asked me what was the matter, and as a rule being lively, they attributed it to other causes. I left Amherst and went to Oxford, and feeling that life was a burden, I was advised to call upon the leading physi ian there, Dr. J. H. McDougall, who gave me two powders and instructed me to take Malto Peptonized Porter. I followed his instructions and obtained immediate relief, and my brother knights of the grippe can testify to my improved appearance. Thanks to M.P.P.

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Miss Brown, wore a gown of pale blue silk, with white lace triminings, crimson roses.

Miss McMillan, white silk, crimson velvet trim-

Miss Katie Davies, wore a pretty pale pink dress Miss Aggie McKenzie, old rose cashmere, with Miss Mary Gordon, pretty blue dress, with white

Miss I. Simpsou, black lace. Miss Ferguson, white embroidery skirt, with white silk blouse Miss Minna McDonald, pink cashmere, white Rev. R. Atkinson, preached in Fort Massery Halifax, last Sunday Mr. Carruthers, of New Glasgow, spent Monday

in town.

WOLFVILLE. [Progress is for sale in Wolfville by Messrs. Pratt & Collins. 1 APRIL 4.-Mr. J. D. Chambers of Yarmouth, is in

Mr. Fitch, spent a few days of last week in Annapolis county Miss Edith Quirk of Bridgetown, spent Wednes-

day last with her sister, Miss Helen Quirk, at Acadia Seminary. Mr. Douglas Hemmeon passed through Wolfville ast week en route to his home in New Germany. Mr. Hemmeon has been studying at Mount Allison

College, Sackville, N. S., during the past winter. Mr. George Higgins, is visiting friends in Bridge-Mr. Harry Brown, who is attending the Dalhousie

Mrs. Moore and Miss Helen Moore, of the Church

law school, spent Easter at home. Mr. Leonard of Halifax, has been spending several Miss Maggie Douli, is recovering from her illness and will soon be able to resume her studies at the

School for Girls, Windsor, spent Easter Sunday here, the guests of Mrs. Aubrey Brown. Mr. McDonald is spending a few days in Halifax. Mr. F. B. Carter, of St. John, was in town last Mrs. T. E. Benjamin entertained a number of friends at 6 o'clock tea, on Thursday evening last.

Miss Cramp, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. T. A. Higgins, for some time, started on Monday last for her home in Montreal Mr. A. V. Pineo spent Easter at his home on Main Miss Ethel Johnston is visiting friends in Bridge

The Easter services were taken in St. John's church by Mr. Schofield of King's college, Windsor. Miss Mary Fitch is about again, after a short ill-Mr. J. F. Herbin has successfully passed his examination in phonography before the Phonographic



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