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AMHERST.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Amherst by Charles Hillcoat and at the music store of H. A. Hillcoat.] JULY 11.—An afternoon of pleasure was enjoyed by the parents and friends of the music pupils of Miss Sleep on Friday, at her home on Victoria street. The performers were mostly quite small but acquitted themselves very creditably, fully endorsing the already well known fact that Miss Sleep is a popular and very painstaking teacher. On Wednesday evening Mrs. A. R. Dickey entertained a merry little party of the Misses Dickey's young friends. The corner stone of the new baptist church was well and truly laid on Friday afternoon, by Miss Annie Hickman in the presence of a very large gathering of spectators. Dr. Steele, Rev. S. McBlack, editor of the Messenger and Visitor, St. John, Rev. J. H. McDonald who composed a special Hymn for the occasion, Rev. Mr. Williams pastor of the Methodist church, and Rev. Mr. McGregor of the Presbyterian church, assisted with the imposing ceremony. Among the contents of the box placed beneath the stone for safe keeping for coming generations was the illustrated edition of Progress. An observer might readily conclude from what they saw and heard on the occasion that the new and costly edifice being erected will hardly share the fate of its veteran predecessor, moved off to a side street to be converted into an opera house, but who can foretell the future greatness of Christianity.

Miss Maud Tighe left on Thursday to visit friends in Quebec for several weeks.

Miss Helen Glass goes to Antigonish on Thursday to spend her vacation with relatives.

Miss Mabel Ayer, of Sackville, was among the visitors in town last week.

Miss Sadie Foster arrived from San Francisco, Cal., last week to pay a most welcome visit to her sister Mrs. S. F. Taylor.

The announcement of the death of Mr. John Ross, Truro, had much regret and much sympathy is expressed for the Misses Ross who have many friends in town. Mr. Dunlap went to Truro to be present at the funeral.

Miss Black of St. John is the guest of Mrs. Sherman Rogers, Rupert Street.

Rev. Foster Almon of Halifax, addressed the members of the C. W. M. A. on Friday evening. He was the guest of Rev. Mr. Harris while in town.

Miss Bessie Munro has gone to spend a few months in the Annapolis valley, she left on Saturday via St. John, where she will visit relatives for a few days.

Mrs. Allison, of Sackville, visited Mrs. Ketchum on Thursday.

The season is surely at hand when society waxes and wanes in the most uncontrollable manner, a here today and a tomorrow style of doing that will last till autumn blasts rob the seashore of the present fascination. The fashion shown nearest, is the central point just now. Mrs. and Miss Moffat drove over to their cottage on Tuesday, Miss Moffat's friends will join her later for a week's visit. The Misses Sleep have gone to enjoy the salt breezes for a fortnight or more. Mrs. Noel Steacie will soon go for a short stay at the new cottage at Tidnish. Mrs. Rhoads will also spend a good part of the season in the same locality.

Mrs. C. R. Smith and children are in Parrsboro, and several others are making ready to do likewise, and next week will probably bring the general exodus to Pugwash.

Mrs. Cameron and children, of Boston, were in town for a few days, enroute to Wallace to spend the summer. She is a sister of Miss Barbara McKinnon, who entertained over Sunday.

Among our very welcome arrivals of last week is Mr. Joe Douglas from Montreal.

Miss Mabel Heustis has gone to visit friends in Wallace.

Miss Gates, of Oxford, is the guest of her friend, Miss Phalen.

Mrs. Bishop, who has given a course of lessons in physical culture, will give a course on Monday to fill an appointment in Yarmouth. I understand she intends to return to Amherst again after teaching the class there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bell and children have joined the number at Tidnish this week.

Mr. Frank Wilson's host of friends will be very glad to hear that he is somewhat better of the attack of rheumatism which has kept him away from business for the past fortnight.

The annual picnic of the Military band and Baptist congregation has been looked forward to very eagerly by a great many but when they started out for Cape Tormentine this morning in a pouring rain the outlook for a days pleasure was rather slim and many decided that home was the best place, but it is about to turn out a grand affair after all and those who ran the risk will have a delightful trip home.

Mr. Harvey Fine has returned from Toronto, and went to attend the marriage of his sister Miss H. A. Pipe to Rev. W. M. Loucks, of Ottawa, which came off on July 4th, at St. James church, Halifax, Ont.

Mr. E. J. Lay spent Tuesday in Parrsboro.

NEW GLASGOW.

[PROGRESS is for sale in New Glasgow by A. O. Fritchard and H. H. Henderson.]

JULY 12.—One of the most enjoyable pastimes, during the summer, is a sail down the river, which is looking lovely. Already numbers are out rowing or paddling their own canoes.

On Friday about sixty of our pleasure-seeking people enjoyed the afternoon and evening at Rustico Beach.

Mr. W. H. Stiles spent part of last week in Port Hawkesbury.

Mr. Finley Calder, for the last few years of Boston, arrived home on Wednesday.

Mr. Fulton, of Truro, who was visiting his sister, Mrs. W. H. Dennis, has returned home.

Miss Paillo, of Bridgewater, is the guest of Mrs. S. A. Fraser.

Mr. and Mrs. Fallis and Miss Jean McDougall enjoyed a day's fishing at Park's Falls; they report trout rather scarce.

The following young people enjoyed a boating party down the river to Green's Point, on Thursday last: Misses J. Chisholm, J. Green, M. Murphy (Boston), M. Ross, A. Brown, J. Douglas, F. Balise, Messrs. J. A. Chisholm, Will McDonald, Thomas Livingston, Owen Smith, Leonard Smith, Will Stewart, Ed. McDonald and Geo. Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Mitchell, of Halifax, are the guests of Mrs. Jeffrey McCall.

Rev. Mr. Nish and wife of Halifax, are the guests of Mrs. R. C. Wright.

Mrs. J. E. Gordon spent the holiday in Antigonish. Space would not permit me to mention all the outing and pleasure trips that were enjoyed on Monday, the holiday.

Last Friday evening the ladies of the baptist church gave a garden party on the grounds of Mr. T. M. Boggs, which were prettily decorated with Chinese lanterns, during the evening ice cream and strawberries were served, the citizens' band rendered some very delightful music, a pleasant evening came to a close by the singing of favorite songs by the boys.

Miss Messenger, of Canso, is the guest of Mrs. Thos. Cooke.

Mrs. J. E. Marros, of Pittsburg, and daughter, are the guests of Mrs. David Marshall.

Mrs. Aaron McDonald, of Providence, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Geo. Fraser.

Mrs. Robert McNeill and family go to Shelburne this week to spend the summer.

Mr. James T. Burgess, of Halifax, lately of New Glasgow, was at the Vendome this week.

Basel Fraser of the Marine department, Ottawa, son of the late Dr. Fraser, is spending his vacation in Nova Scotia.

The Misses Wallace, of Boston, are the guests of Miss Algie Chisholm.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Sinclair, of Windsor, are spending a few days in town.

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Miss Josee Clish, of Providence, is visiting her mother. Miss Mary Cameron is the guest of her friend, Miss Gerie Smith, Stellarton. Miss Lillie Jamieson leaves today to spend a few weeks at that beautiful watering place, Cow Bay, near Dartmouth. Mr. J. L. Jamieson went to Halifax on Tuesday. Mr. Brown, C. E. of Port Hawkesbury, is in town. Messrs. Frank McNeill and Dr. Huderwood, are lobster fishing at Little Harbor. The Misses Fraser, River Bank, left Tuesday for Sydney, C. B. Rev. Mr. Donald, formerly of Pictou, now of Riverdale, Cal., spent a few days in town last week. Miss May McKenzie of Halifax, is visiting friends here. Mr. D. McNeill went to Halifax Monday. Mr. Basil Bell left on Saturday to rusticate for a few days at Geyshoro. Miss Sarah Patterson, Miss Minnie Ross and Miss Jean Patterson left yesterday for Cape George and Antigonish. Miss Lydia Rice, of Berwick, is visiting Miss Annie Rice. Miss Parker, of Harbortville, is the guest of her brother, Dr. Fred Parker. Miss Anna Sutherland and Miss Jean Bell, are spending this week in Carleton. Miss Jennie Smith was visiting friends in Stellarton last week. A reception was given at the residence of Mr. Desjardins on Thursday evening in honor of Miss Desjardins who is the guest of her father. Mr. and Mrs. James Clist arrived last week from Montreal for the summer. Miss Minnie Cumming is home from Boston. The Rev. S. C. Gunn, of Boston, is registered at the Vendome Hotel. Mr. Gunn is a Pictou county man, was born at East River, St. Mary's, his charge

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PARRSBORO. [PROGRESS is for sale at Parrsboro Book Store.] JULY 11.—A party of about twenty American tourists, teachers from the schools in Boston, are making Parrsboro their headquarters and doing the country round about, greatly to their gratification, in the way of scenery, specimens of plants and minerals, &c. They have "taken in" the Joggins, and on Thursday went to Blomidon and are now visiting Acadia Mines. They are mostly ladies, only two men being in the party. Rev. Canon Townsend and Mr. Justice Townsend and his family came on Tuesday, to remain for several weeks. Mr. C. H. Smith, Q. C., of Amherst, and family have taken possession of their pretty new cottage for the summer. Miss Hawkin, of Amherst, is the guest of Mrs. Huestis. Miss Du Vernet returned on Wednesday from her visit in Windsor. Mrs. D. S. Howard went to St. John on Friday to meet her husband and daughters returning from New York. Mr. Robt. Unlache, of Halifax, was the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Townsend on Friday. The members of Kenilworth Lodge (K. of P.) have an excursion by steamer today to Advocate Harbor. A number of members of sister lodges at Amherst and Springhill with Springhill band arrived by train this morning to join the party. Mr. Henry Cox, of Halifax, is the guest of Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Evans for a few days. Mr. George McKean, of St. John, Mrs. McKean and Master George McKean were at Minas hotel on Monday. Miss Bessie Upham has gone for a visit to Bridgetown. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Parsons and little son of Springhill and Miss Johnstone, of Amherst, are staying with Dr. and Mrs. Townsend. Principal Lay, of Amherst, with a number of his school boys come down yesterday to spend a few days by the sea. Mr. L. Johnston went away to spend Dominion day. Mr. F. Gikins, of Kentville, Mr. Dickson, of Sackville and Mr. Dimock, of Windsor, were in town yesterday. Mrs. George Loshby and child, of Montreal, have been on a visit to Mrs. Fred Loosby. The schools are closed for the holidays. Principal R. S. Campbell has resigned his position, greatly to the regret of his pupils, with whom he was very popular, as well as to every one else. His genial manner has made him a host of friends. The school has presented him with a gold headed walking stick as a mark of appreciation. We are glad that Rev. Mr. Gibbons is able to be out again after his long and tiresome confinement to the house, although he is not by any means well yet. Mr. A. McN. Patterson of Horton Landing was in town on Tuesday. Mr. McTavish of Truro is staying at the Queen. He has been conducting the examination of teachers for Licentiate. Rev. Mr. Howe and Mrs. Howe, went away last week for a little trip. Mrs. Norbury went to Kingsport on Tuesday. Mr. Percy O'Donnell is giving a small dance in his rooms this evening. Mrs. C. R. Smith will chaperon.

SYDNEY, C. B. [PROGRESS is for sale in Sydney by John McKenzie and G. J. McKinnon.] JULY 10.—Mrs. J. G. Bourinot and two children of Ottawa, arrived by Friday night's express. They intend spending the summer with Miss Bourinot. Dr. and Mrs. G. W. T. Parish, of Yarmouth, Mr. and Mrs. F. Parker Carvell, of Charlottetown, are spending a few days in Sydney. Mr. A. M. Rogers, of Montreal, entertained a few of his Sydney friends at the hotel last Friday. Rev. F. Archibald preached in St. George's last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Nicholson spent Sunday at Drum-bae. Mrs. E. M. Archibald, of Sydney Mines and Miss Brown, of Charlottetown, spent Wednesday in town. The Misses Paul were in town last week. Mr. D. J. McDonald spent Sunday in Cow Bay. Mr. F. H. Hutton, of Sydney, was in town. Dr. J. K. McLeod, of Bay Roberts, Nfld., is spending a few weeks at home. Mr. C. Harrington and wife, of Japan, are spending the summer with Mr. C. H. Harrington. Miss W. Tremaine, of Baddeck, and Miss Jean, of Glace Bay, are staying at Mrs. L. E. Tremaine's. Rev. W. J. Lockyer, of Cow Bay, was in town today. Sydney won the third victory this season in a cricket match, played on Saturday, at the Barracks. The match was between Glace Bay and Sydney. I hear we are to have another next Saturday. This time it will be Ottawa and Sydney. CHERRY RIVER.

LOCKEPORT. JULY 10.—Miss Ida Carten and Miss Lillie Cabel are on a visit to Mrs. M. E. Carter. Mr. and Mrs. Troop, of Halifax, were at the Clifton last week. Dr. Thos. MacKinnon, of New York, is spending a few weeks at his old home. Mrs. Clarence Dimock, of Windsor, and Mrs. Colin Kay, of New York, are visiting their parents at Greenbank cottage. Mr. Sylvester Lancaster is back to Lockeport after an absence of ten years. He served under the British Government during the recent war. Miss Helen Kelly, of Yarmouth, has been at Pine Hill farm for the past week, and is again in town. Mr. H. H. Hutton, of Mill Village, is the guest of Mrs. A. F. Browne. Hon. Thos. Johnson was in Shelburne the greater part of last week. Mr. E. J. Murphy, of Shelburne, was in town during the week. Dr. F. Irwin also returned from Yarmouth where he has been attending the meeting of the N. S. Medical Society. Principal Godfrey left last week for his home at Wolfville. Mr. Simon Kepton of the preparatory department in the school is spending his vacation at Mill-toe. Mr. E. MacKenzie and Miss Hattie Johnson of Shelburne were at Lockeport last week. CADMUS.

TRURO, N. B. [PROGRESS is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fulton and D. H. Smith & Co.] JULY 11.—Miss May McDonald left on Saturday last for Arichat. Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Tupper returned today from a short visit with friends in Canning, Kings Co. Mr. and Mrs. Davenport, Miss McKay, Mr. Will McKay and a few others enjoyed a days good fishing at Westchester last week. Mrs. Bishop is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Bible Hill. Miss McArthur who was visiting the Misses Snook last week has returned home to Maitland. Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Gale leave the last of the week for their home in Granville. Mrs. Putnam, Maitland, is visiting at Mrs. J. K. Blair's, Halifax road. Rev. Simon Fraser, Hopewell, Pictou Co., exchanged with Rev. Mr. Cumming, of St. Andrews, last Sunday. Mr. Fraser preached most instructive sermons to the people of St. Andrews both morning and evening.

PICTOU. [PROGRESS is for sale in Pictou by James McLean.] JULY 9.—Mr. A. O. Macrae spent a few days in town this week. Dr. Will Ferguson left on a trip to New York this week. I omitted in writing my last letter to state that Miss Whiteway is also visiting friends in town with her mother. The moonlight excursion on the Egerton, under the auspices of the band, on Monday evening, was very enjoyable. The sail up the river was beautiful; the band furnished good music. Mrs. Cyrus Archibald, of Truro, is in town at present. Mrs. J. Cooke has returned from Montreal. She will be welcomed by musical circles here. Mrs. H. G. Ives and Mrs. McMillan leave shortly on a trip to England. BRENDAN.

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