

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

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ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

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

DEC. 27.—Though the "crispy sunshine of Christmas day" was not with us yesterday, yet the day passed merrily, pleasantly, if quietly in our town. There were numerous family dinner parties and Santa Claus did his duty in the way of Christmas gifts, and Christmas surprises, and it was dull and gloomy out of doors, there were few houses in which mirth and festivity did not reign.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Eaton entertained a large party of friends at dinner yesterday.

Major and Mrs. Clarke also entertained a party of relatives at dinner.

On Thursday last Mrs. John Prescott entertained the Art Club at her beautiful home. I hear it was a most delightful afternoon and greatly enjoyed.

Mrs. J. G. Smith, her usual kindly, entertained a number of guests on Christmas day those who were away from their homes and friends. Mrs. Smith's Xmas parties are always most merry and pleasant.

The young people of Calais in the grand array hall joyed a Christmas ball in the grand array hall Calais, on Christmas evening. It was a most pleasant and enjoyable affair, and a very merry way to spend Christmas evening.

The Misses Whitlock held one of their pleasant "At Homes" on Thursday afternoon.

Miss Grace Carter is spending this week with her friend, Miss Georgie Meredith.

Miss Florence Mitchell is the guest of Mrs. A. G. Blair, in St. John, and will remain until after the New Year.

The Misses Reynolds, of Lepreau, are spending this week in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Grimmer went to St. Andrews on Monday, to spend Christmas with Collector and Mrs. C. U. Gove, and have not yet returned.

Mrs. A. H. Thompson left on Monday night for Banstead, New Hampshire, where she will remain during the winter.

Mrs. Ellen Long has returned from Waterville, Conn., where she has been for several weeks.

Miss Mattie Harris this afternoon held the first of her series of dancing lessons. A large number of children are in attendance and the scene is a bright and pretty one.

Mrs. Terry, who has recently returned east from Denver, Colorado, is the guest of Madame Chapman, of the "Cedars" during this week.

Miss Rose Bradnee is spending the winter in Winchester, Mass., with her cousin, Mrs. Alfred Kirby.

Mrs. Thompson, of Carleton, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Drake.

An organ recital is to be given in Trinity church on Sunday evening after service by Prof. Heine, and his company. Prof. Heine is most talented and an organ recital is something new to our music loving public.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Young on Christmas eve had a most handsomely decorated Christmas tree at their beautiful home for the pleasure of their children and their young friends.

Miss Alice Stevens is visiting friends in St. George.

Mr. Frank T. Bixby, of Vanceboro, spent Xmas in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Eaton are spending the Christmas holidays in Pennfield, with Mrs. Eaton's parents.

Justice W. W. Wells, of Moncton, is the guest of his out, Mrs. E. C. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Beard arrived from Belmont, Mass., on Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Beard will visit here for six weeks, much to the delight and pleasure of their numerous friends.

Mr. Charles Copland, of Harvard University, is in Calais visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Copland.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Murchie, of Fredericton, are spending this week in Calais.

Mr. Mills, of the Andover Theological School, is a guest of Dr. E. H. Voss in Calais.

Mr. John M. Stevens' friends are glad to see him in town this week.

Mr. Grey Murchie has arrived from Cambridge, Mass., and will spend two weeks in Calais and will then return to his studies at Harvard.

Mr. George Eaton has returned from Boston.

Miss Alice Robinson, who is a pupil at the Porges Gymnasium, Boston, is home for the holidays. Miss Robinson's friends welcome her most cordially.

Miss Lillie Eaton, of the Wheeler art school, Providence, R. I., is making a short visit home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Eaton, of Princeton, are the guests of Mrs. James Murchie in Milltown.

Mr. George Todd and Miss Alice Todd are spending this week in St. John with relatives.

Master Godfrey Newham of the Davenport school, St. John, is home for the holidays.

The many friends of Rev. G. I. and Mrs. Newham will be glad to learn that their son Harold, who has been so dangerously ill with pneumonia, is much better and is slowly recovering.

WOODSTOCK.

[Progress is for sale in Woodstock by Mr. L. S. & Co.]

DEC. 28.—Christmas day passed quietly, "family dinners" were the chief entertainments. Service was held in St. Luke's church, which was artistically decorated for the occasion. The singing was very good, especially the rendering of the anthems.

The ice rink opened on Christmas day, and was largely attended. A large number of skaters took advantage of the amusement. The band was present and gave a good programme.

Mr. and Mrs. George Y. Diblee, of Fredericton, spent Christmas here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Diblee.

Mr. Walter S. Fisher arrived in Woodstock on Monday and spent Christmas, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Jones.

Mrs. James F. Atkinson, Richibucto, spent part of last week in Woodstock, the guest of Mrs. C. D. Jordan.

Miss Beardsley returned from Fredericton for Christmas.

Miss Bourne returned from Normal school, Fredericton, for the holidays.

Mr. G. Hugh Harrison left for Chatham on Saturday to spend his holidays.

The Carleton county teachers' institute met here last week. A very successful series of meetings was held at which some good solos were given.

Miss Edith Porter and Miss Grace Porter returned to Fredericton last week. They will not resume their teaching next term.

Miss Duncan returned from Sackville for the holidays.

Mr. John C. Steulen spent Christmas in town.

Miss Annie Ross returned from Fredericton university for the holidays.

Miss Jennie Beardsley, of St. John, spent Christmas at home.

MONCTON.

[Progress is for sale in Moncton at the Moncton Book-store, at the Central Bookstore, by J. E. McCoy and by M. B. Jones.]

DEC. 28.—As Prof. Watt's benefit concert held in the opera house last Wednesday evening was so poorly attended, the choral society has decided to repeat it on New Year's evening, when it is hoped the Moncton people will turn out in larger numbers. The professor has been so kind in assisting others at all their entertainments, it is only fair that they should now assist him by attending his concert. A good programme is being prepared the first part is entirely changed.

Judge Landry, of Dorchester, was in the city for a day last week.

Mr. P. S. Archibald, chief engineer of the I. C. R., returned home last week from a business trip to Winnipeg.

Judge Wells left last Friday for New York where he will take the steamer for Europe, to be absent several months.

Misses Laid and Mad McKay who have been visiting friends in Boston returned home last week.

Mr. J. H. Rogers, of the Western Union Telegraph office, was in Puzwash, N. S., for a few days last week visiting friends.

Mr. George W. Chandler, of Dorchester, was in the city for a day last week.

Mrs. P. J. Doherty is in Kingston, Kent county, visiting relatives.

Mrs. A. Fred Binfield, who has been visiting her parents, Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Howard, for the past month, left for her home in Buffalo last Thursday. Mrs. Binfield was accompanied by her two little daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Backerfield, of Harcourt, were in the city on Friday last.

Rev. F. X. McMichael, of Buctouche, spent a day in the city last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robb and Master Willard, spent Christmas day in town, the guests of Mrs. Thomas Robb, Botsford street.

Mr. Henry O'Leary, of Richibucto, was in town on Friday.

Mr. Walter C. Sumner, of Truro, is spending the holiday season with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. F. Sumner.

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APAPOQUI.

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Messrs. J. Herb. Wiles and W. A. Fenwick arrived on Monday to spend their vacation here.

Mrs. M. Owens, St. John, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. M. Fenwick.

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PORT ELGIN, N. B.

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On Tuesday evening last Mr. and Mrs. W. M. McLeod entertained a number of young folks in honor of Miss Fanny Grant, of Boston, who has been their guest for the last few months.

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HELENA.

DEC. 26.—Mr. John Rusk, ex-collector of customs, who was sixty-nine years of age on Sunday, 23rd inst., after visiting his friends here for some days left for Richibucto on Monday.

Mr. Philip Woods went to Sackville yesterday and returned this evening.

Misses Annie and Irene Black are spending their vacation with their sister, Mrs. Keith.

Miss Bessie Ferguson made a short visit to her sister, Mrs. Gordon Livingston, on Saturday.

Mr. Leslie Saulnier left by train on Thursday for his old home at Sainville, N. S., where he will remain a few weeks and thence proceed to the United States.

Mr. W. W. Priddy and three of his family drove to Coatesville on Friday to spend Xmas.

Mr. David Wilson, after an absence of ten years or more in British Columbia and elsewhere, passed through Harcourt on Monday on a visit to his native place, Richibucto.

Mrs. Rushton, who spent Xmas with her daughter, Mrs. George H. Perry, returned to her home at Acadville today accompanied by her granddaughters, Misses Janie and Aggie Perry.

Mrs. J. F. Black arrived from Richibucto yesterday and is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Keith.

Mr. Odber Black, of Richibucto, was here this afternoon on a business trip to Amherst, N. S.

Mr. Solomon Powell, of Mill Branch, was the guest of Mrs. Ezra Keswick, at Montserrat, this week.

The scholars of the Harcourt presbyterian Sunday school held the annual entertainment and social gathering last evening. Mr. Andrew Dunn, superintendent of the Sunday school, Mr. J. N. Wathen, and Miss Campbell assisted materially in making the little folks feel at home and enjoy themselves.

To Mrs. J. N. Wathen, who trained the children in the musical portion of the programme, much credit is due.

The Harcourt amateurs are billed for New Year's night in the town hall. The principal drama will be "Ten Nights in a Bar Room," in which some of the amateurs will not be far from home.

The grand ball at Woods' hotel will take place the same evening and if reports be true a brilliant assembly may be expected from far and near.

Mr. Frank Humphrey came by train from Campbellton on Tuesday and spent Christmas at home.

Mr. Henry Wathen's residence, Wathena Cottage, was the scene of a pleasant family re-union on Christmas day, all of Mr. and Mrs. Wathen's children being present, excepting Mrs. Williamson, who resides at Greenwood.

Mr. J. Harry Wilson, night agent at Harcourt station, is seriously ill.

Misses Lizzie and Mary A. Buckley are spending their vacation at home.

Miss Eliza Oulton and Mr. W. V. Goodwin, left on Thursday to spend their vacation in Westmorland county.

Among the visitors to Harcourt on Saturday were Mr. Henry O'Leary and Mr. William Hudson of Richibucto.

MILLERTON.

DEC. 26.—Xmas day passed off very quietly the storm put a stop to the skating on the river.

The episcopal and methodist churches have been very prettily decorated, service was held in the episcopal church, Christmas morning.

Miss Susie Robinson, who was at the Ladies' college, Halifax, has returned home for her vacation.

Mr. J. Petrie went to Fredericton to spend Xmas. Mr. John Belts and Walter Crocker spent the day in Nelson.

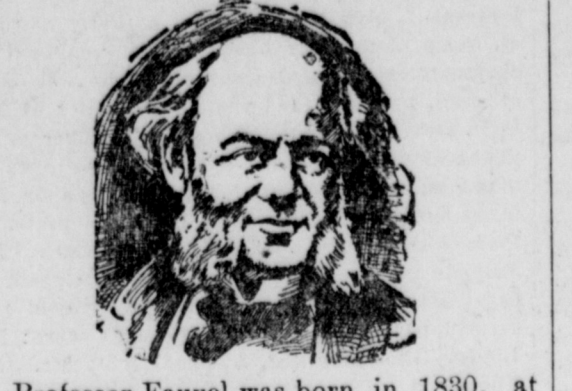
James Robinson, M. P., has returned from St. John, where he was attending the funeral of the Hon. Mr. McLeellan.

The choir of the methodist church, Derby, gave a free concert in the methodist church, Wednesday evening. The music was excellent, and the readings were also very much appreciated.

SWEET MARIE.

DEC. 26.—Christmas day was spent very quietly here. Service in All Saints church in the morning and evening. The church was very prettily decorated with ferns and spruce.

Mrs. L. Christie is spending a week or two with her mother in Truro.



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CAMPBELLTON. [Progress is for sale in Campbellton at the store of A. E. Alexander, wholesale and retail dealer in dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, hardware, school books, stationery, furniture, carriages and machinery.]

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Mrs. Arthur Herdman, of Port Elgin, returned to Campbellton on Saturday last and will probably remain a few months at her home here, as she still continues in ill health.

Miss Sadie DeLoof left on Friday to spend her Christmas holidays with her parents in Sussex.