#### NEW GLASGOW.

[PROGRESS is for sale in New Glasgow by A. O. Pritchard and H. H. Hender JAN. 9 .- The Misses Mitchell, of Halifax, are guests at Mr. James D. McGregor' -.

Mr. Don. Fraser is ill with la grappe. Miss Edith Carmichael, of Pictou, is visiting at

Mr. Sinclair's. Mr. D. A. Ross, of Montreal, is visiting his many friends in town this week.

Miss Blanche McDonald, of Hopewell, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred McDonald. She goes to Halifax this week to study medicine at Dalhousie college.

Rev. Mr. De Brisay officiated in St. George's church on Sunday. Mr. Reginald Walker, of Dartmouth, is visiting

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Drake. Mrs. Stewart Day and daughter returned from

Parrsboro on Friday. Mrs. Sinclair, "West Side," is visiting friends in

Halifax. The party given by the Misses Carmichael, "West Side," on Wednesday of last week, was-as is always the case when they entertain-enjoyed exceedingly by all invited. The majority of the guests were the particular friends of Mr. Rob McGregor, who was the honored guest. Those present were the Misses Innie Roy, Maitland, Jean Mitchell, Annie C. Mc-Kay, Annie Graham, Isabell McKay, S. McGregor, Isabell Graham, Sarah Patterson, Sarah Walker, Jennie McGregor, Winnie Carmichael, Pictou, Laura Smith, Grace Carmichael, Flossie McGregor, Jean Patterson, Laura McNeill, Jennie Fraser, Addie Bent, Ella Bowman, Gertrude Douglas, Miss Garvie, Hattie Underwood, Missie Fraser, Eva Grant, and the Misses Pool, Stellarton; Messrs. Strewan Robertson, H. K. Fitzpatrick, E. W. Frazee, Archie Bowman, John W. Grant, Frank McNeill, Wall Jackson, Gerdon Graham, John Grant, Don Fraser, Henry Graham, E. and C. Pool, Stellarton, A. Matheson, Edwin Fraser, Will Ross, John Bell, D. McLuck, G. Fraser, Go. Chishelm, Stanlay, Fraser, McIntosh, G. Fraser, Geo. Chisholm, Stanley Fraser, Fred Robertson, W. Lawson, Ruben McGregor.

Miss Jean McDougall returned on Saturday from

Mrs. R. McGregor, who has been quite ill, is now Mayor Jennison has returned from Windsor.

Miss Mabel Smith, of Parrsboro, is visiting her Mrs. Masel Smith, of Parrisboro, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Stewart Day.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Bell, entertained the friends of their sons, John and Adam, also some of their own, on Thursday evening last, in their hall. The Murray orchestra of Stellarton was engaged, and dancing enjoyed untill twelve o'clock when luncheon was served. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs, Newton Drake, Mr. and Mrs. H. Strong, the Misses Newton Drake, Mr. and Mrs. H. Strong, the Misses McKaracher, the Mrs N. Carmichael, Annie Roy, Ella Grey, Sarah Walker, Isabel Graham, Jean Mitchell, Mary Eastwood, Minnie Gray, Addie Bent, Missie Fraser, Annie Graham, Annie C. Mc. Kay. Jean McGregor, Annie M. Coll, Rachael Eastwood, Ella Bowman, Gertrude Douglas, Jessie Graham, Jessie Douglas, Maggie Thompson, Bessie McDougall, Tena Garen, Daisy Bell, the Misses Dorion, Stellarton, the Misses Mitchell. Halitax, Miss Garvie Toronto. Messrs Bois De Veber. H. Miss Garvie Toronto. Messrs Bois De Veber, H. K. Fitzpatrick, A. Pickett, L. Lawson, E. W. Frazee, H. V. Jennison, John Grant, John Cameron Frank McNeil, Walter Jackson, Clifford McLean, Douglas McIntosh, Will Cameron, Stanley Fraser, Reginald Walker Dartmouth, Edwin Fraser, Vernon Kerr, Louis Eastwood, George Fraser, Harry Crackett, John Roy, Gordon Grahm, Archie Bowman. John W. Grant, A number of others were invited who owing to previous engagements, could not attend. Mrs. W. S. Tallis left here on Friday last for

Montreal, Mr. Fallis being ill here with la grippe. The first of a series of socials, in aid of the episco pal church, will be held on Monday evening next, at the residence of Mr. C. T. Bent. An excellent programme is being prepared. Luncheon will be It is whispered that in a very short time a de-

lightful dance will be given at the home of one of our leading citizens. Miss S. O'Brien returned vesterday from Antigonish, where she was spending vacation. A dinner party at the residence of Mr. Graham Fraser, "River Bank," was one of the social events

James D. McGregor left to-day for Halifax to attend the legislature. Mr. George Patterson has returned from New

Principal Solone returned from Boston yesterday. Miss S. McGregor goes to Halifax this week to visit friends and will probably remain until spring. Mrs. G. Arthur Ings, returned from Quebec on

The Misses Anna Sutherland and Jean Beil were visiting in Stellarton. Mr. Will Smith left yesterday for Pine Hill Seminary to continue his studies. Miss Sadie Brown, entertained a number of lady friends last Thursday evening.

Mr. McRae returned to town on Monday. Miss Minnie Grant, of Cow Bay, spent Sunday in town previous to returning to Dalhousie College. Misses Helen Brown and Christie Fraser, are visiting in Merrigomish.

Mr L. E. Hart, of Guysburo. paid New Glasgow friends a visit while en route to Halifax. Mr. James Keith, is visiting in Pictou this week. Miss Jennie McGregor, left yesterday for Mon-treal to continue studies at McGill University.

# BRIDGETOWN.

· Progress is for sale in Bridgetown by Miss B. Elderkin.

JAN. 9 .- Miss Bertha Ruggles returned on Saturday from Middleton, where she has been spending her holidays. Mr. Alfred Ellis spent Sunday in town.

Miss Nellie Hoyt returned to Perott on Sunday.

Miss Bertha Taylor and Miss Esther Clark, who have been visiting here, returned to Halifax on Tuesday. Miss Emily Dakin, Digby, is the guest of Mrs. F.

Mrs. E. I. Simonds, and little daughter, who have been the guests of Mrs. A. Hoyt for a week, went to

C. Harris.

Deep Brook on Monday. Miss Pryor returned to Halifax on Saturda, where she has been spending the holidays. Mr. and Mrs. Will Chute spent a few days here

last week with Mr. Chute's parents.
Mr. Arthur Johnson, of Halifax, was the guest of Mr. T. D. Ruggles last week.
Mr. W. J. G.encross, of New Westminster, is in

Mrs. G E. Marshall gave a very pleasant party on Thursday evening for her little daughters, Paul-Miss Jennie Bartling returned to Liverpool on Dr. and Mrs. Polley and child, who have been the guests of Mrs. James McGivern, returned to Lunenburg on Tuesday.

# GRANVILLE FERRY.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Granville Ferry by W. A.

JAN. 9 .- The Solomon Grundy party given by Mrs. Hatheway last Thursday evening was a decided success. The house was beautifully illuminated with wax candles, and the handsome costumes of the ladies added greatly to the pretty scene which the rooms presented. Mrs. Hatheway was a charming hostess, and received in a thandsome dress of pink sitk with an overdress of black lace. Small evening, the 18th. tables were arranged in various rooms and soon the guests were deeply interested in the different games, which continued until twelve o'clock, when the prizes were presented to the fortunate winners. Miss Jennie Piggott wen the ladies' first prize, a very pretty gold and silver orange spoon; Mr. A. D. Mills won the corresponding gent's prize, a half dozen best cigars; Miss Blanche Reynolds, the ladies' booby, a Chinese doll; Mr. G. M. Harris, a beet tied with a pale blue ribbon. After the presentation of the prizes, supper was served. Among those present were, Dr. and Mrs. Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Piggott, Mr. and Mrs. Weatherspoon, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. Pickup, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mills, Capt.

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and Mis. Keynolds, Mrs. Sutherland, the Misses Reynolds, Miss M. Mills, Miss Lent, Miss Hall, Miss Piggott, and Messrs. Irvine, Hall, Troop, Mills, Harris and McCormick.

Mrs. C. H. Mills looked extremely handsome in a mauve silk, and was undoubtedly the beile among the married ladies. Mrs. Weatherspoon wore an exceedingly rich ostume of green silk, trimmed with passamenterie.

Mrs. A. D. Mills looked particularly well in a mayy blue satin trimmed profusely with point lace.

Miss May Mills was greatly admired in a costume
of black satin with natural flowers.

Miss Grace Reynolds, cream cashmere and white Miss Blanche Reynolds, Nile green with chiffon Miss Hall, figured challie with old rose trim

Miss Piggott, fawn and Nile green velvet. Mrs. Coleman, black satin trimmed with yello

Mrs. Pickup, black satin and diamond ornaments Mrs. Sutherland, green ottoman silk. Mrs. Piggott, black satin trimmed with passa Mrs. Alfred Mills, black lace costume trimme

Miss Bertha Lent, from Brighton has been visit-Mr. A. D. Mills has been confined to the house for

several days with a severe cold. Miss Josie Hall entertained a number of her friends on Wednesday evening. Miss Belle Troop is the guest of her aunt, Mrs W. A. Piggott.
Mr.s C. W. Mills gave a dinner party at six o'clock on Thursday evening, to a party of friends.
There was a very pleasant gathering at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Weatherspoon on

After being corfined to the house for several weeks, Mr. Robert Mills is able to be out again. There is talk of having a sleighing party to Bridgetown next week. Mr. Ernest Mills, who was home during the holi days, returned to St. John on Saturday,

JAN. 11 .- Quite a number gathered the other evening at the residence of Mr. John Oliver's, and had a very enjoyable time, the evening being spent partially in games and partially in listening to music, rendered by Mrs. Samuel Mills, who performed upon the organ, and Mr. Dan. Parker with the violin.

Miss Annie Hall gave a concert in Temperance hall Saturday evening before New Years, and it proved a success. One interesting feature of the performance was a "wand calcethenic drill" by a number of little boys who reflectes great credit upon their trainer, Miss Hall. The proceeds were in

Miss Grace Reynolds and Miss Mary Mills have returned to Wolfville seminary. Miss Mills, during the vacation, gave readings to a Bridgetown audience and received much applause.

Miss Minnie St. Clair is visiting her aunt, Mrs.

James Reed. About forty of the young folks of Granville Ferry went to Annapolis one night last week to enjoy the skating on the rink, also a few of the marjoy the skating on the rink, also a few of the married people. Those who went were: Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Mills, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. W. Pickup, Mrs. Piggott and Mrs. Coleman, Miss Janie Piggott, Miss J. Amberman, Miss May Mills, Miss Grace Reynolds, Miss Annie Hall, Miss Violet Irvine, Miss L. Parker, Miss Blanche Reynolds, Mr. E. McCormick, Mr. Frank Troop, Mr. Robert Mills, Mr. Avard Mills, Mr. S. M. Harris, Mr. W. A. Irvine, Mr. James Groves, Mr. A. H. Armstrong, Mr. R. Mills, Mr. H. Mills, Mr. W. A. Troop, Capt. J. Mills, Mr. L. Wade, Mr. Ed. McDonald and Mr. Alfred Mills. and Mr. Alfred Mills.
Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Messinger returned last
Thursday, from a visit to Clarence and Paradise.

#### DIGBY, N. S.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Digby by Mrs. Morse.] Jan. 10 .- Mr. Clarence Jameison is on a trip to Halifax.

Miss Maxwell, of Bear River, has been visiting friends here. Brunswick Tobin left last week for Toronto

where he intends to pursue a six months course of study at the Pharmaceutial college. Miss Lottie Corbett, of Annapolis, has been visiting her auat, Mrs. Wood.

Mr. Fellows and Mr. Mack, of Bridgetown, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Munroe last week. Miss Flo Reddon, who has been spending some months with Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Haley, has returned to her home in Windsor.

Miss Kittie Hughes, who spent the holidays here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dakin, has returned to her studies at Eel Brook convent. Miss Sadie Durkee, Miss Marion Challoner and Miss Eunice Gates have returned to Acadia semin-

"An evening with Longfellow" was a delightful entertainment given by the young people of the baptist church in their hall Friday evening. Mr. John Walsh is confined to the house. Mrs. Walsh who has been very ill is recovering. Mrs. Dykeman is also confined to her room, and la grippe

has many other victims.

Mrs. W. J. Bell received the news of the death of ner brother in Calgarry, Ont., last week. Mrs. Frank Morse has returned to Acadia college. Mr. Geo. Williams of Yarmouth spent Sunday in

# PARRSBORO.

PROGRESS is for sale at Parrsboro by Mrs. A. C. JAN. 10 .- Miss Rice, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Rand, left for her home in Digby on Friday.

Rev. Mr. Dill has returned from a three months' visit in the States. Mr McGee, of Springhill, paid a visit to Parrs. boro at New Year's.

Miss Blanche Tucker returned to the ladies' college on Monday. Miss Mabel Holmes also left on Monday to attend the same institution.

The quadrille club spent a pleasant evening at Mr Frank Young's on Thursday. Mr. Campbell and Mr. Rudderham returned to

Tatamagouche on Saturday. Dr. Atkinson is confined to the house with influ Rev. S. Gibbons and Rev. Fr. Desmond, who

have both been ill, are about again.

Miss Hockin, of Amherst, spent the Christmas holidays here, the guest of Mrs. Huestis. Dr. and Mrs. Townshend gave a large dance last evening for Mrs Cecil Townshend, who returns to the Collegiate school at Windsor to-day. Mrs. Townshend received in black lace with corsage bouquet of scarlet flowers. Many pretty gowns were worn which there is not time to describe. A twelve o'clock supper was served and after that half a dozen more dances completed a delightfully

Mis- McKay has returned from Pictou. Miss Fia ces Leitch has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Johnson, in Haufax.
Misses Hattie and Emily Spencer came home rom Halifax for a short visit at Christmas.

# WINDSOR, N. S.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Windsor at Knowles' Bookstore and F. W. Dakin] JAN.9.-Invitations are out for a dance to be given by Mrs. E. Norman Dimock on Thursday

Mrs. Clarence Dimock is also entertaining a number of friends on Friday evening of this week. Miss Nora and Miss Kathleen Black returned on Saturday to Mount Allison ladies' college, Sack-

Mr. Ross Falkner, who has been spending his holidays with his sister, Mrs. J. F. Carver, returned to Dalhousie college on Monday.

Mr. Harry King, of Acadia college, Wolfville, spent Sunday in town with Mrs. Chas. Crandall. On Friday evening of last week Miss Maggie Bossance entertained a few of her friends at a dance. Those invited were Miss Georgie Morris, Miss Georgie Wilson, Miss McCallum, Miss Black, Miss

Fletcher, Miss Cummings, (Londonderry,) Miss Jennie Burgess, Miss Nora Blanchard and Miss Ethel Shaw, Messrs. Clairmont, Rosier, Reid, Mc-Callum, Armstrong, P. L. Dimock, Falkner and James Shand, (Halifax).

Miss Alice Wiggins left on Monday night for Toronto, where she will attend school during the winter.

Mr. Strathey, who has been spending his holidays in Windsor, returns to Dalhousie college to day.

Miss Shand and Miss Ethel Shand have returned

Miss Evelyn Kierstead, who has been visiting here, returns to Wolfville to-day.

Mrs. Pattillo, of Lunenburg, is visiting friends in

Mr. Harry King has returned to Dalhousie college.
Miss Louise Blanchard and Miss Louie Bowman
have returned from their visit to Halifax.
Miss Georgie Wilson had a small dance on Monday

Mrs. Calkin, of Berwick, spent a few days with her sister, Mrs. J. A. Woodworth, last week.

Mrs. Morris entertained a few young people on Wednesday evening of last week. Those present were, Miss Jame Curry, Miss Maizie Curry, Miss Nora Blanchard, Miss Fletcher, Miss Cummings, Londondery) Miss Lawson, and Messrs. Lithgow, angster, Ed. Reid, P. Lionel, Dimock and Falkner Mr. James trand, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Bossance, returned to Halifax on Sat-

Miss Maggie Bossance is visiting friends Habfax.
Miss Frances Woodworth spent a few days Grand Pre last week. Miss Fletcher, who has been visiting Miss Jennie Burgess, returned to Londonderry on Saturday. Mrs. Lawson entertained a number of friends

rogressive euchre this evening. On Saturday evening Miss Belle Crandall entertained a few of her friends.

Miss Graves and Fraulein Lack of Acadia semin ary, Wolfville spent a few days with Mrs. A. E. haw last week. Master Charlie Forsyth, who has been spending his vacation at home, returns this week to Horton Miss Mamie Ward is visiting her aunt, Mrs.

John Doran.

#### MAITLAND.

Invitations are out for an athome to be given at

Claremont" for Miss Sadie Locke on Saturday.

PROGRESS is for sale in Maitland by James rquhart.

Jan. 9 .- Miss Annie Rov. is visiting her school friend, Jean Mitchell, at New Glasgow. Miss Mabel Putnam has returned from a visit at

Edgar Putnam and Frank Smith who have been

spending their vacation at home have returned to the Pictou Academy. Miss Mary Allen is visiting her grandmother,

Mrs. W. D. Lawrence, "Athleston Hall." The social in the basement of St. David's presbyterian church was a great success. The programme was a good one and well carried out. Then followed such a luncheon as only Maitland people know how to prepare, and the appreciation shown for it was too marked to need comment, Mr.C. W. Browne, principal of the school is spending his vacation with Doctor McLean at

Miss Mary Roy has returned to Truro, where she s attending the Normal school. Mrs. Barbrick and Miss Bessie, returned from Stewiacke on Tuesday. Mrs. Barbrick was called there to attend the funeral of her father, Mr Sydney Smith a well known and highly respected citizen of that place, and for many years a citizen of Maitland. HOOKIE.

#### HARCOURT.

JAN. 9 .- Mrs. James McDermott and her daughter Gertrude, are visiting Mrs. A. E. Wellwood, in Miss Grace Orr, of St. John, spent Saturday here

the guest of Mrs.M. L. Keith. Rev. J. McConnell, spent last week in St. John and returned home on Friday.

Mrs. McConnell, who was visiting at Spencer Island, N. S., returned on Saturday. Mrs. D. D. Johnston, spent last week in St. John Mr. Wm. Buckley spent Sunday in Rogersville. Mr. Newton Ferguson, who has been night agent

at this station for some months, has gone to Campbellton, and Mr. J. Harry Wilson takes his place. Mr. and Mrs. James Buckley drove to Richibucto on Friday, and returned on Saturday evening. Mr. W. V. Goodwin and Miss Edith Smith both arrived here by express train on Saturday evening, so as to begin teaching on Monday. Mr. Thos. Dickinson returned last week from St.

Mr. Wilmot Brown, manager of the K. N. R., and Mr. W. H. McLeod were at the Eureka on Friday returning to Richibucto from spending their Christ mas in St. Stephen and St. John. Mr. John W. Miller and Mr. John J. Miller were

at the Eureka on Monday going south. Mr. David A. Murphy, the heavy-weight schoolmaster, of Westmorland county, after spending sev eral days in this vicinity, went south by train today

## MAUGERVILLE.

JAN. 9 .- Miss Mary Miles, of Kingsclear, is visiting her parents here.

Mrs. J. A. Moore, St. Stephen, is visiting friends having been suddenly called here by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Bent. Miss Agnes Miles and Miss Mabel Brown, after

spending their vacation at home, have again gone to their schools. Miss Georgie Perley, of St. John, is spending her vacation at her home here.

Miss Strange, Miss Magee and A. A. Treadwell have been visiting friends at Kingsclear. I have to record the illness of Miss Agnes Wilmot, of "Belmont," and Mrs. George Clowes.

#### on a recent domestic event. ST. GEORGE.

Congratulations are offered to Mr. and Mrs. Miles

PROGRESS is for sale in St. George at the store of

JAN. 9 .- Mr. Hugh Ludgate died on the 4th inst. after a fortnight's severe illness, though he had been in poor health for some time past, from the effects of la grippe. His funeral took place on Saturday, a very long cortege following his remains to the grave, showing the high respect in which he was held. The services at St. Mark's church and at the grave were conducted by the rector, Rev. R. E. Smith. On Sunday evening the rector alluded to the loss of a staunch member of the church, and held him up as a good example for others to follow.

Mr. Douglas Wetmore, of Truro, and Mr. Joshua Knight, of Musquash, attended the funeral of Mr. Mrs. Douglas Wetmore, who has been north visiting her sister, Mrs. Ludgate, returns home to-day. Mr Nicholas Meating, one of the granite proprie-

tors, was attacked by la grippe on Saturday evening, and is confined to his bed. Mr. James Doddy, also another granite proprie-tor, has been attacked by the same disease. The Tarte-Meating mill is the only one at work just now. The others are expected to start soon. A marriage wave is passing over St. George—three couples have been made properly happy of

# SHEDIAC CAPE.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Shediac Cape by George E. Mills.] JAN. 9 .- Who says life is not worth living? If it is not, at least there are some people who tried to make it so last week. There was no end of festivities and notwithstanding that about half our popu

lation are suffering from the prevailing malady, every event was surprisingly well attended. On New Year's morning the Young Men's club appeared out in striking costumes. They were well received by everybody.

On Monday evening, Mrs. M. W. Bateman and the Misses Bateman entertained a number of their friends at whist, etc. Several of the young ladies displayed their musical accomplishments to advantage and all were unanimous in declaring the even-

I hear of a similar and successful affair on Wed nesday evening, but by special request no names are mentioned.

The surprise party and dance at the residence of Mr. William R. Wood on Thursday evening was productive of a crowded house and proved to be one of the most successful affairs of the season. Mr. and Mrs. Wood provided in every way for the comforts of the assembly and it is not in any degree approaching exaggeration to state that every one was made to feel thoroughly at home. Dancing was continued until about 2 a. m., and those who admired not the graceful terpsichorean art found their interest absorbed in whist and various other games. Re-

Mr. James McQueen was in Moncton last week M ss Florence Miller has been making a lengthy Hon. Judge Hanington, of Dorchester spent Sur

day here. Rev. A. B. Murray, of Stanley, York Co., is visit. Miss Fannie Bell returned on Thursday from a visit to Truio.

Mr. Isaac Jones, of Boundary Creek, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William M. A. Murray last

Mr. Walter L Belyea, the new teacher in the Madras school, arrived Saturday and has assumed charge of his new field. La grippe is affecting the health of a large number just now. The rector, the organist and a num

ber of the choir of St. Martin's church are disabled. The former, however, is slowly recovering.

Miss Clara Bateman, returned to Mount Allison

Miss Eva Welling left on Saturday for Elgin Albert county, where she takes charge of a school Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Dickie are to close up their house this winter. Mr. Dickie goes to St. John on the 15th where he embarks for Liverpool with Capt. Bray, his brother-in-law. Mrs. Dickie will live in Moncton until his return. Their daughter is attending Mt. Allison.

Mr. Sydney Mills arrived from St. John this week.

I hear of a large and successful driving party on
Friday evening, which was followed by a delightful
supper at Mr. J. McFadzens.

On the same evening Mrs. Geo. Welling and the
Misses Welling entertained a number of friends at

cards. An enjoyable evening was spent by all. Among those who had the good fortune to be present I might mention, Miss Ingles, Miss Mugridge, ent I might mention, Miss Ingles, Miss Mugridge, Miss Eva Cannon, Miss Ruth Bateman, Miss Clara Bateman, Miss Henrietta Bateman, Messrs Geo. Wilbur, A. Bateman, J. Bateman, John L. Welling, Wilbur, Chas. Welling, Edward Mugridge, Leonard Welling, Chas. Welling, Edward Mugridge, Daniel A. McQueen, Geo. L. Murray and John H. There are rumors of another dancing assembly this

#### ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

[PROGRESS is for sale in St. Stephen by Master

Ralph Trainor, and at the book store of G. S. Walls In Calais at O. P. Treat's. JAN. 10 .- The Current News club met at the residence of Captain and Mrs. McAllister and enjoyed a most instructive, and interesting evening on Thursday last.

A large party of friends surprised Miss Mattie Harris, one evening last week, it being the occasion of her birthday. Miss Harris was presented with a handsome card table, from her friends, among whom she is a general favourite. This was the most pleasant party Calais society has enjoyed this

Mrs. C. H. Clerke, invited a party of ladies to drive to the Ledge on Friday afternoon, and take supper at Rockaway cottage, but was obliged to postpone it until this week owing to the snow storm. Miss Margaret Todd, has gone to Montreal to visit friends. She also intends to visit Ottawa.

Miss Bessie Jack, has returned to Fredericton, having spent several weeks among relatives and

Mrs. O. S. Newnham, gave a very pleasant tea to a number of young lady friend, on Thursday even-ing at Christ church rectory. Mrs. John Black, entertained a small party of girls at her residence one afternoon during this week in honor of her daughter Esther's birthday. The Missess Whitlock were "at home," to their friends on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. John Mowatt and her young daughter have returned to their home in Amherst, after a fortnight spent most pleasantly here. Mrs. C. F. Todd left on Thursday for Augusta,

Me., where she will visit for a short time before she zoes south for the winter. Messrs. Vernon Clarke and Bert Clinch, of St Andrews, were in town during this week. Miss Carrie Barker and Miss Josie Ham have returned to Boston to resume their musical studies

at the Boston conservatory of music. Miss Daisy Stewart has returned to Woodstock, after a visit to her aunt, Mrs. Duncan Stewart. Miss Mattie Young is visiting friends in Boston. Miss Nellie McCormick, who was Miss Mabel Clerke's guest during this week, has returned to her home in St. John. Miss McCormick will soon leave

Wheaton Academy. Mr. James Thompson, jr., has returned to Colby Mrs. Frank Corey and her young son Phillip, have

gone to Portland, Maine, for a visit to relatives. Miss Alice Robinson left on Friday for Boston, to enter upon a course of study at the Possee gymna-Miss Gertie Moore has returned from Michigan,.

after an extended visit of several months. Dr. Goodhue and his bride, arrived in Calais on Thursday morning, and are registered at the Border city hotel.

Miss Ida McKenz ie is the guest this week of Mrs. Henry Todd. Misses Emma Veazie, Grace Wilson and Jessie Dustin, left for Fredericton on Thursday morning.

Mr and Mrs. John K. McKenzie gave a pleasant party to their relatives, at their residence, on Friday Mayor S. D. Leavitt of Eastport, made Calais a visit on Saturday.

The numerous friends of Miss Emma Harris, will regret to near she is very ill at her home in Nashu-

way, New Hampshire.
Mr. Arthur Murchie has been in town for a briet visit this week. Mr. Frank Todd is visiting the city of Washing. Mr. Harold Clarke left on Monday morning for Halifax, to resume his studies at Dalhousie college.

Mrs. Laura Neill was obliged to postpone her

visit to Palatka, Florida, owing to an attack of grip, from which she is very i.l. Mrs. Neill had intended leaving on Tuesday evening.

Mr. John Wentworth, of Eastport, is visiting in Miss Roberta Murchie, left on Monday for Sack ville, Nova Scotia. Miss Helen Foster, who has been spending the holidays at her home left on the morning train on

Monday for Groton, Mass. Mr. George M. Porter, of New York, is visiting his tather. Mr. G. M. Porter. The Mic-a-Mis snow shoe club have given invitations for a tramp from Calais, to Mr. Archibald Maxwell's in the vicinity of St. Stephen, to-morrow evening. This is the first affair of this kind this season and much pleasure is anticipated from it.

Miss Susie Clark returned to Boston on Monday

Mayor Chipman entertained the town council and the school trustees at an oyster supper at the Windsor hotel on Monday evening. Hon. James Mitchell, Collector Graham, Messrs. George J. Ciarke, J. T. Whitlock and F. G. Vroom were special Mr. Robert. J. Gilmore, of Providence, and Miss

o resume her studies.

Lucy Wentworth, arrived to-day, to attend the funeral services of Miss Martha Gates, who died at the residence of Mr. Charles King, on Sunday at the advanced age of eighty years. Trinity workers met at the residence of Mrs. Bradnee on Monday evening.

Miss Nellie Smith left last evening for Boston

where she will visit friends. She also will spend several weeks in Somerville, Mass., with the Misses Nickerson.

Mrs. Wilfred Eaton is visiting Pennefield, this

Mr. H. W. Stroud of Montreal is in town this Mr. Robert Todd of Houlton, Maine, is spending a day or two in town.

Messsrs John and Harry Eaton left on Tuesday

for Black hall, Conn., where they will resume their The Misses MaeNichol are suffering from severe Mr. William Gray, of Phildelphia has been spend-

ing a few days in Calais. Mrs. James Dow and Miss Laura are the guests of Mrs. Herbert Dow. Mr. C. H. Smith returned from St. Stephen yes-Mr. C. H. Smith returned from St. Stephen yesterday. Much to the regret of their numerous friends here, Mr. and Mrs. Smith intend soon to move to St. John, and reside there for the future.

Miss Julia McGlinchy, has gone to Providence to visit her brother. She will also visit Brooklyn, New York city and Washington.

Miss Junio Tayloric spending a deventure in St.

Miss Louie Taylor is spending a day or two in St. Mrs. Waterbury, is entertaining a few friends, with whist this evening.

# GRAND MANAN.

JAN. 8 .- Rev. W. S. Covert returned from St John on Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Guptill returned to Lubec on

The young bachelors of Grand Harbor entertain ed their friends at a very pleasant social in the public hall, on Wednesday evening. Various games were enjoyed. Mrs. F. J. Martin and Mr. Walter Ingalls, of Lubec, assisted in the musical part of the entertainment. At eleven supper was served. Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Colin Harvey

on the arrival of a son. D. I. W. McLaughlin returned from St. John on Wednesday. Messrs. W. S. Carson and R. L. Carson left by Thursday's boat for Fredericton.

ville, to continue his studies at Acadia college. Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Bancroft arrived home on Mr. and Mrs. Peter Russell are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a daughter. Miss Minnie Frazer, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, has returned to Fredericton, to continue her studies.

Mr. W. R. Wooster has returned to Fredericton. SEAWEED.

#### WOODSTOCK.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Woodstock by Mrs. John Loane & Co. Wanted-A good smart boy to sell Progress on

Jan 10 .- The Presbyterian Sunday school festival was held on Friday evening. A high tea, with a Christmas tree and good programme made a very pleasant entertainment.

Rumors of a dance are once again heard. Mrs. John C. Winslow, is visiting her daughter, Miss A. J. Robert, in Montreal.

Mrs. Howard James, with her daughters, Mrs. Ross and Miss James left for New York last week.

Miss Lily Jordan left for Northampton the first of the week. Miss Bell returned from St. John Monday. Miss Ella Gilman spent the holiday season with

friends in York county.

Messrs. Alex. and George McPhail, of Kincarline and Mr. James McPhail, of Andover, were in town this week.

The question for debate at the society meeting on Friday was: "Resolved that there is no such thing in human nature as unselfishness." The debate was not concluded, but it is to be hoped that the men of our town, in "solemn conclave," will hesitate ere they decide that they exist without unselfishness.

## DORCHESTER.

ELAINE.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Dorchester by G. M.

JAN. 9.—The congregation of Trinity church recently presented three members of the choir, Mrs. Robb, Mrs. G. W. Chandler, and Mrs. David Chapman with very handsome hymn books, in apprecia tion for their long services. They were presented to them by Judge Hanington and Warden Foster. Miss Laura Smith is spending the winter with her

aunt, Lady Smith. Miss Lee, from Fredericton, intends spending the winter with her aunt. Mrs. Hanington. Mr. Tait, of Sydney, has been visiting his sisters, Mrs. Wetmore and Miss Tait.

Mr. A. Turner and family, have rented the upper flat of Mrs. Peck's house.

Mrs. Muncy, of Denver, and Mrs. Parker, from Amherst, have been the guests of the Misses Back-Mr. Barron Chandler has been confined to his

house by a severe cold. Miss Constance Chandler spent her vacation with her parents. JAN. 10 .- Miss Essie Weldon returned to Fredericton last week where she is attending training

Master Harry Tattrie returned last week to River John after spending a few weeks at his home here. Mr. John Power, night station master at Sackville

Mr. Frank Gillespie, guard at the penitentiary has been confined to the house for the last few days with a bad cold. Mr. Edward Power, of Sydney, C. B., spent a

Miss Doherty, of Memramcook, will teach the

few days at his home this week.

school at Government row this term. Miss Burtt who taught last term resigned to accept a better Mrs. Gillespie, of Chatham, is visiting her son Mr. Frank Gillespie.
Mr. Wm. Alexander returned home Saturday from St. John where he spent the week.

Mr. Chas. Miller, of the penitentiary staff, returned

for Norton, Mass., to resume her studies at the home last evening from Parisboro where he has been visiting friends. Mr. N. Tattrie has gone to River John to attend Mr. George F. Wallace has been very sick for ome time but is slowly recovering.

Miss Savage, of Amherst, is visiting friends here. Mr. G. B. Chandler, of Sackville, has been home

> The Rev. J. Roy Campbell has recovered from his evere and lengthy illness Mrs. Lawrence, of Baie Verte, has been visiting friends here for some time. Mr. James Reid returned to Newfoundland las week to resume work. Mr. Patrick McGowan, of the Rocky Mountain penitentiary staff, made a visit to the Dorchester penitentiary last week.

> > ANAGANCE.

for this last week with a slight attack of la grippe.

JAN. 10 .- Mr. and Mrs. George Davidson entertained a few of their friends to a supper and dance on last Saturday evening. Mrs. Davidson, who made a charming hostess, received her guests in blue cloth, with velvet trimmings. Among the guests invited were, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Price, Mrs. Parker Bishop, Misses Kate Willis, Maud Taylor, Annie and Alice Mackenzie, Messrs. Horace Lever, Earl Thompson, B. Smith, Jack Willis and Dr Fred Taylor, Moncton; Messrs. Ora King and W. Fairweather, Sussex; Misses Minnie and Mary Price, Havelock; Misses Annie Webster, Lena Keith, Luiu McMurray, Mary Emmerson, Allie Trites, and Messrs. Charlie Trites, Bliss Keith, Cliff

Price, and A. H. Robinson, Petitcodiac; Mrs. Heler Storrie, Miss Bertie Davidson and Messrs. Davidson, of Anagance. Misses Alice Mackenzie and Maud Taylor, of Moncton, are visiting their friend, Mrs. Davidson, at the I. C. R. depot. Mr. Cliff Price, of "Cedar Lane," Mannhurst, is at present visiting friends on "Apple Hill."
Mr. Humphrey Davidson spent Sunday and Mon-

#### Mrs. Davidson, Miss Taylor, and Miss Mackenzie, spent Tuesday in Elgin.

ST. MARY'S, N. B. JAN. 8 .- Mr. Harris, Halifax, is spending his vacation with friends in Marysville. Mr. C. Brown entertained a few friends on Friday

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and Miss Young, of St. Stephen, spent New Year's with friends at Nash

Mrs. Philip Cox, of Upper Maugerville, who had been ill for some time, died on the 26th ult, The funeral took place the following Thursday and was largely attended. Mr. A. Johnston has returned from Newcastle.
Mrs. Johnson and Miss Anna are spending some
time in Fredericton with Miss Johnson and Miss

# Miss M. Peppers is visiting friends at the hub. Mrs. Foster visited friends here lately. OAKLAND.

CHARLOTTETOWN, P. E I. [PROGRESS is for sale in Charlottetown at S. Grey JAN. 9 .- The Christmas gaieties have been suc ceeded by a week of quietness, one small party at Mrs. F. Hyndman's for the young people, being the

only break in the usual order of things. The epidemic of la grippe which is going about and is seizing many victims, is for the time being, putting a stop to social entertainments and many people are housed on account of it. Among them are Mr. Rayfield, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Peters, Mr.

Arthur Peake and others. Last week Mrs. John J. Davies entertained a Last week Mrs. John J. Davies entertained a large number of young people again. The programme was dancing, and all enjoyed themselves.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Longworth, have arrived home, and accordingly gaieties will be the order of the day, for a while at least, as the Lenten season coming so early, the most will have to be made of the short time that intervenes between now and then.

# ELGIN, A. C.

JAN. 9 .- The schools opened Monday, the primary department with an enrollment of 42, and the superior school with 55. Miss Addie Cribb entertained a few friends on

Friday evening, including Miss Steadman and Miss

Beck. Whist was the order of the evening. Miss Laura Horsman left for Berwick on Satur-Mrs. Geo. Davidson, of Anagance, Miss Taylor and Miss McKenzie of Moncton were here on Tuesday, the guests of Mrs. W. P. Robinson. Mr. Victor Gowland spent Sunday at "The Willows," the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Goggin.
Mr. Blanchard Steeves left on Thursday for Wolf-

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