NEW GLASGOW.

[PROGRESS IS for sale in New Glasgow by A. O. Pritchard and H. H. Henderson]

FEB. 21 .- The most brilliant society event this season, was the ball at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. Fred McDonald, 1.st evening. In every detail it reflected great credit on Mrs. McDonald, who made a royal hostess, charming all with her manner, as well as appearance. She received her guests in a lovely gown of electric silk, trimmed with same shade of silk velvet, and was assisted by her sister Miss Annie McMillan, who wore a handsome dress of black silk velvet, cut square, trimmed with black and yellow ostrich feathers. An efficient orchestra provided the music. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Harley, Mr. and Mrs. J. Carmichael, Mr. and Mrs. H. Strong, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. Robson, Mr. and Mrs. Underwood, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. Ingles Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. P. A. McGregor, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mc-Gregor, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bell, Mr. and Mrs. Matheson, Dr. and Mrs. Keith, Mr. and Mrs. H. Townsend, Mrs. Alfred Fraser, Mrs. Ings, Mrs. Hessley, (Halifax) Mrs. Sjostedt, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dixon, the Misses Jean McDougall, Annie Mc-Coll, Laura McGregor, Jean Mitchell, Sarah Walker, Maggie Smith, Ada Fraser, Annie C. Mc-Kay, Annie Graham, Marie McColl, Lilie Jennison, Jessie Cameron, Issie Graham, Nan Carmichael, Jarvey, (Toronto) McCurdy, (Antigonish) Jennison, Archibald, Carmichael, Messrs. George Murray, Dr. McKay, George Patterson, Arch McColl, R. Lawsen, Bois De Veber, Principal Soloan, Dr. Townsend, C. W. Frazee, Dr. Wylde, George Munroe, H. K. Fitzpatrick, Neill Matheson, W. Stiles, J. Barry, A. Pickett, A. Pritchard, John Cameron, J. Fraser, Brent Sutherland.

As wellias I can remember the dresses, they were: Mrs. Harley, black silk, pink satin and lace trimmings.

Mrs. Hensley, light green crape and pink satin. Mrs. Strong, apricot silk and plush.

Mrs. Robson, ruby plush and satin, trimmed with pink chiffon.

Mrs. Underwood, black silk and lace trimmings. Mrs. Keith, black satin, jet trimmings. Mrs. Dixon, primrose veiling, jet trimmirg .

corsage trimmed with violets. Miss Annie McColl, pale blue challie, silk trimmings, pink roses.

Miss Jean McDougall, heliotrope silk and velvet,

Miss McGregor, black silk net, and heliotrope. Miss Jean Mitchell, grey challie, velvet trim-

mings, roses and smilax. Miss Sarah Walker, black net, white silk trim-

Miss Maggie Smith, pale blue silk, violets and smilax. Miss Ada Fraser, apricot silk and plush.

Miss Annie C. McKay, pale blue cashmere and white lace, white flowers.

Miss Annie Graham, pink silk and black net. Miss Maria McColl, black satin and net, corsage trimmed with forget me-nots.

Miss Lillie Jennison, pink satin and lace. Miss Jessie Cameron, black satin and lace. Miss Issie Graham, blue silk and net. Miss Garvey, cream challie and lace. Miss McCurdy, very handsome gown of heliotrope

silk and velvet. Miss Jennison, brown satin and velvet.

Miss Archibald, very pretty figured cream challie. All the ladies were beautiful flowers, but it is impossible to remember what they were.

The dining room looked lovely, being lit with numberless fairy lamps in a variety of shades, beautiful plants, and quantities of cut flowers were in every available space. Supper was very elegantly there served, after which dancing was continued until one

Mr. John Thompson, (Y. M. C. A. secy.,) went to Mulgrave on Saturday Mr. Edwin Fraser who has been quite ill with la grippe is convalescent.

Mrs. Ives and Mrs. Rood of Pictou, were the guests of Mrs. J. C. Reed, last week. Dr. Atkinson, of Truro, was visiting here last

Mr. C. A. Robson, who for the past four years has been agent here for the Union Bank of Halitax, leaves this week to fill a similar position in Dartmouth. Mr. and Mrs. Ro son made many friends here, who will feel sincere regret on hearing of

their departure. Miss M. Curdy, of Antigonish, is the guest of Mrs Fred McDonald. Miss Sutherland and Miss McKenzie of River John, are the guests of Mrs. M. II Fitzpatrick.

Mr. R. C. Wright, Dartmouth, is for the present manager of the Union Bank of Halifax here. On Thursday evening last, Miss Grace Car-michael entertained some of her young lady friends

michael entertained some of her young lady friends in a very delightful manner. Among the guests were Misses Sadie D. C. Fraser, Flossie McGregor, Nina Harley, Daisy Bell, Katie McGregor, Elsie Matheson, Katie McKinnon, Jet McGregor, Maggie Ritchie, Ura Miller, Annie McGregor, Sadie Fraser, Dalmina Miller, Hannah Matheson and many others I cannot remember.

A very merry driving party, baving for chaper-ones Mrs. Underwood and Mrs. Rob rt McNeill left town at 7 o'clock on last Friday evening, drove to Stellarton and Westville, returning to town at 9 o'clock, when they all assembled at the residence of Mr. Jennison, where they were cordtally re-ceived by the Misses Jamieson. Collation was daintily served, after which dancing was enjoyed until twelve o'clock. An efficient orchestra was engaged for the occasion. Those who were fortunate n being present were the Misses Annie C. McKay, Maggie Smith, Gertrude Douglass, Missie Fraser, Minnie Gray, Isabell McKay, Addie Bent, Lena Fulton, Jennie Peters, (Sydney), Annie Graham, Jessie McCall, Esther Eastwood, Ella Gray, Hattie Underwood, Isabel G aham, Minnie Ross, (Pros pect Farm), Ray Ross, Sadie Patterson, Sadie Brown, the Misses McGarracher, Messrs. E. W. Frazee, Allister Matheson, Frank McNeill, Warl Jackson, J. W. Grant, Harry McDonald, Arch Bowman, George E. McDonald, George Fraser, John Grant, Gordon Gralam, George Chisholm, lex. Grant, (Stellarton), George Thompson. Mr., F. Harley, "West Side," spent last week in

Miss Edith Carmichael, Pictou, who has been visiting relatives here for some weeks, returned

One of the most delightful socials of the season was held at the residence of ex Mayor Jeonison last evening in aid of St. George's church. Progressive whist was the chief amusement, Miss McKenzie, River John, and Dr. George Townsend winning the prizes. Vocal solos by Miss Fraser and Mr. G. A. Dixon, and choruses in which almost every one joined, gave general pleasure. Miss Lena Fulton played the accompaniments. Luncheon was elegantly served. The Misses and Messrs Jennison by their gracious manner and thoughtful attention made the large number of people present feel quite at home and enjoy every moment of the time spent

N Rod McColl is home from Halifax on a short Mr. A. B. Grey, I. C. R., is in Cape Breton this

Mr. Hed y Musgrave left here for Moncton last week, where he will reside for some time.

Last week I mentioned that Mr. Frazee was to leave here for Halifax, but owing to changes which since then have been made in the Union Bank of Halifax here, I take particular pleasure in being able to state that we are not to lose Mr. Frazee, for the present at least.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL.

FEB. 21 .- Mrs. Stanley McCormick, of Moluncus, Me., arrived last Saturday to spend some weeks with her sister, Mrs. Walter McCormick. Attorney General Longley was in town last week Rev. H. Howe spent Sunday in Lunenburg; the services here were held by the Rev. Canon Maynard.

Clergymen Recommend It.

REV. J. LEISHMAN, ANGUS, ONT., writes: "It gives me much pleasure to by her friend, Miss Bessie Pugsley. Mrs. Mctestify to the excellency of K. D. C. as a Naughton gives a large tea this afternoon, in honor cure for Dyspepsia. I have recommended it here widely, and in every case it has proved successful. It is the very best remedy for that frightful trouble that I know of, and never fails to help or cure when used as you direct. It deserves the name "King of Dyspepsia Cures."

Dr. Thompson, of Yarmouth, is spending this The rural deanery meets here this week. The lergymen expected are Rev. H. DeBlois, rural lean, Round Hill; Rev.'s Greatorex, Bridgetown; Gale, Granville Ferry; Warner, Middleton; Belliss, Clementsport; Wythecombe, Weymouth, and Haley,

J. M. Owen is in Yarmouth.

PICTOU.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Pictou by James McLean.] FEB. 20.-Mr. A. O. Macrae, of New Glasgow, spent Sunday in town. Mr. G. H. Elijott has been confined to his house

by an attack of la grippe. Miss Carrie Calkin, Truro, is visiting her sister Mrs. G. S. Carson.

Mrs. Ritchie, of New Glasgow, was the guest of Mrs. W. Dustan last week.

Mr. J. Taylor, of Moncton, was intownthis week, the guest of Mrs. R. Johnstone. The young ladies' glee club intend holding a con-

cert in the masonic hall on March 6. This should be well patronized as it is in aid of the Cottage Dr. Murray has returned from Westville and is to

continue his practice permanently here. Mrs. Tait, of Quebec is here on a two weeks' visit. Rev. A. Falconer delivered a lecture before the Alumni association in Convocation hall on Friday Mr. George Paterson, of New Glasgow, was in

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McLaren were visiting friends in Halifax last week. Miss Aggie Mackenzie returned on Saturday from a visit to friends in Merigomish. FEB. 20 .- A large audience assembled in the con-

vocation hall of the Pictou Academy on Friday evening. They were the friends of the old educational institution that is dear to so many hearts both from ties of sentiment and real benefit. The lately organized "Alumni Association" are doing all they can to further the interests of their 'Alma Mater" of high school days and for this evening had announced a public meeting. Senator Primrose acted as chairman. The programme carried out was as

Remarks.... ... Chairman Speech Dr. McKay, Halifax Violin Solo Miss Bonn Speech Rev. D. M. Gordon Piano Soio......Miss McDonald A vote of thanks was moved by Mr. C. E. Tanner,

seconded by Mr. E. M. McDonald. A better selection of speakers on such an occasion could scarcely have been made. Dr. McKay one of Pictou Academy's most famous sons, one who has done so much for her was a welcome speaker. Rev. D. M. Gordon ably represented the theological production of th: Academy and Mr. E. M. McDonald and C. E. Tanner the law. The music by Miss McDonald and Miss Bonn both on the present staff was very well received. Such a pleasant evening will bear townspeople an interest which should now be evin-BRENDA.

BRIDGETOWN.

PROGRESS is for sale in Bridgetown by Miss B.

Ederkin FEB. 20 -Rev. Henry DeBlois was in town on

Friday. Mr. Richard McCormack spent Sunday in Digby. Mr. Jack McCormack, Maine, who has been the guest of his parents for several weeks, left for his home on Saturday.

Miss May Fullerton, Roundhill, is the guest of Mrs. Whidden at the manse. Miss Grace Hoyt has returned from a visit to

Mrs. Bogart, Granville, is the guest of her brother, Rev. F. P. Greatorex.

Mrs. J. W. Beckwith is in Windsor, the guest of Mrs. Geldart. Mr. Beckwith also spent Sunday

Miss Lillie Smith, of Annapo'is, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. T. Rice. Mr. Harry Crowe has gone to Boston on a business Dr. and Mrs. James Primrose were the guests of

Mrs. J. G. H. Parker on Monday and Tuesday. Miss Bessie Elderkin is away for three weeks. Mrs. A. A. Hoyt and little son, are visiting friends

Miss Jennie Piggott, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Lockett, has returned to her home at Granville Ferry.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Healy spent a few days in Round Hill last week.
Mr. O. T. Daniels has been to Halifax.

Mr. H. E. Gillis, of Annapolis, spent Sunday in Mr. Frank Fowler is down from Kentville for a

Mr. J. E. Sancton entertained about forty of her little daughter Jennie's friends on Saturday evening from five to ten. All spent a most enjoyable time

The Carnival held in the rink on Monday evening was well patronized, but, contrary to expectation, there were few skaters in costume. Among those were, Miss Rose Healy, who made a charming were, Miss Rose Healy, who made a charming "Diana," Miss Murray, as a "Red Cross Nurse," Miss Mattie Dearness, "Dairy Maid," Miss Fannie Healy, "Troubadour," Miss Grace Hoyt, as "Evangeline," Miss Florrie Williams, "Japanese Lad,y" Miss Bessie Tupper, "Education" and Miss May Dodge, "Fair Summer." Among visitors to the carnival were, Messrs. W. Malcolm, F. W. Harris, T. Cowling Geo. Hughes, H. Mills, R. Mills of Annapolis, and many others. Annapolis, and many others.

PARRSBORO.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Parrsboro bookstore.] FEB. 21 .- Rev. Fr. Bresnan who was the resident, R. C. priest here some years ago has returned to take charge of St. Bridget's church again, Rev Fr. Desmond having returned to Halifax.

Rev. S. Gibbons is confined to his bed by illness, but it is hoped that he will be about again before Miss L ara Tacker, is spending a few weeks in

Halifax M .. E. Gillespie has gone to New York for a short

Mrs. Clarence Fullerton left for Bermuda last week to stay several months.

Dr. and Mrs. Townsend gave a small but exceedingly enjoyable Kalamazoo party not long since. Mrs. Cecil Parsons, with her little son and Miss Abbot who have been paying a visit to Dr. and Mrs.

Townshend have returned to Springhill. Miss Sullivan of Moncton, who has been visiting Mrs. Brown, has taken her departure. H. R. Dickie, M. P., was here on last Wednesday,

and spoke at a political meeting in St. George's hall. Mr. J. R. Miller, of Truro, was in town recently. The whist club was entertained by Mrs. Rand on the night of meeting last week, and by Mrs. E. Corbett last evening. The attendance is considerably reduced at present, quite a number of the members absenting themselves during the season of Lent.

Dr. Tow shend and Mr. Rudderham were in Am-

herst last Friday and Saturday. Mr. Walter Magee, of Springhill, spent the Sunday before last here, before leaving for Shelburne, to take charge of the Halifax banking company

At the Demorest contest held in St. George's hall last evening, Master Alvin Howe won the medal, and Miss Myra Gilbert the second prize, a book of The Knights of Pythias celebrate the thirteenth anniversary of their order with an "at home" in their lodge room this evening.

TRURO, N. S.

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

FEB. 21 .- The Misses Romans, Acadia Mines, were visiting friends in town last week. Miss Mand McNaughton has returned from quite

of her young guest. Mr. W. D. Dimock, our "nonest man," is home again, and is receiving the congratulations and Wood-tock, N. B., American Hotel, Mon. Tues. salutations of his numerous friends, who are justly proud of their townsman's success as Canadian com- Fredericton, N. B., Barker House, Wed March. 14.

missioner at the world's fair. Mrs. J. C. Mahon returned home on Friday last from Moncton, where she was visiting her m ther, Mrs. W. H. Donkin had a high tea yesterday evening at "Stony Croft cottage" for a number of chas. Clutte, 134 King St. W. Opposite Rossin House, Toronto.

Miss Gertrude Kent expects to leave shortly for a rolonged visit with friends in the west. Mrs. R. I. Craig entertained quite a large party of married ladies and gentlemen triends at a turkey supper, followed by a very pleasant evening with

Mrs. Fred Murray and Master Ralph are here rom Halifax, guests of the former's sister, Mrs. G. O. Donkin. Mr. Chas. Riordan, Halifax, is spending a few days among Truro friends.

CAMPBELLTON.

PROGRESS is for sale in Campbellton at the store f A. E. Alexander, wholesale and retail dealer in dry goods, groceries, boots and shoes, hardware, school books, stationery, furniture, carriages and

FEB. 20.—The social event of the season among he younger members or society was undoubtedly the exceedingly pleasant party given by Miss Maude Henderson and Miss Amy Price, to about thirty of their friends at the residence of Mr. John Henderson, on Thursday evening. The young hostesses surpassed themselves in their manner of entertaining their guests and the hour for departure came all too soon. Amusements of all kinds were on the tapis and light refreshments were daintily served during the evening. Miss Amy Price and Miss Maude Henderson received, the former in a pale pink crepon with chiffon trimmings, the latter in a grey nuns-veiling. Those present were Mrs. Lou Sowerby who wore a very pretty dress of pale pink challie with decorations of silk, Miss Sophie Carr looked sweet in a combination suit of brown and green, Miss Winnie Barberie, black skirt and pale blue silk waist, handsomely trimmed with lace, Miss Nellie Asher, black skirt pink silk waist, Misses Effle Johnson, Gussie Fawcett, Annie Robinson, Gertie Leasby, Alice McKenzie, Bertha Ashe, Bert. Mowat, Tenie Murray, Lydia Duncan, Eliza Blue and Masters Dio Freeze, Leslie McMurdo, Edgar Chandier, Walter Jardine, Ernest McKenzie, Edgar Crawford, James Carr, Allen Henderson, Joe

Price and Walter & cKendrick. Mr. J. D. Creaghan of Newcastle, spent a few days in Campbelitown last week.

Miss Alice Mowat visited her former home in Dee Side, P. Q., last week. Congratulations are extended to W. C. and Mrs.

Mathews, by their numerous friends, on the arrival of a very highly appreciated valentine—a girl.

Miss Ida Nelson, who has been enjoying a three weeks' visit at her home in Metapedia, P. Q., has

eturned to Campbellton. Miss Chandler was visiting friends out of town or several days last week.

Mr. Harvey Gillis, of Tide Head, who has been very ill for some time, is not improving very rapidly. The saying that trouble never com singly is verified in this case, as on Friday last, Mr. Gillis lost two children from inflamation of lungs. Much sympathy is expressed for the bereaved in their heavy and sudden trial. Mr. Stanley Crawford is also on the sick list,

being laid up in the hospital, with a severe attack of the prevailing malady. Dr. Sproul, of Chatham, is spending a few days in town professionally.

Rev. W. C. Matthews paid a visit to St. John, on

Mr. Wagstaff, Halifax, agent of the bible society s spending a tew days at the Lansdowne, and conducted morning service in St. Andrew's church on Sunday and in the evening preached in the metho-

George Moffat, ex-M. P. of Dalhousie, was in own on Sunday. Mr. John Mowat's friends were pleased to see him out the last of the week, after an illness of several days. Good tidings is heard of Mrs. Mowat who is improving under the care of a specialist in the metropolis and may be expected home shortly.

Mrs. W. W. Doherty and baby are spending a week in Dalhousie the guests or her sister, Mrs. D.

Mr. W. Richards left on Thursday for Fredericton. William Murray, ex-M. P. P., spent a day in St. ohn last week. Mr. Simon McGregor, of the shiretown, was in

own yesterday. A few days after the victory won by our curlers at the Quebec carnival, four novices of Campbellton challenged the winners of the trophy, and last evening by kind permission of the management commit tee, the professionals and novices measured strength, which attracted all the curlers and a large number of their lady and gentlemen friends to the rink, and a most exciting time prevailed for several hours. The rinks were as follows: Professionals—J. Oak leaf, W. A. Mowat, J. Gallant, L. S. Brown, skip. Amateurs—G. Sears, A. Dickie, A. Delaney, J. Kean, skip, Mr. James Patterson, referee. What brought forth peals of laughter from all sides were some of the questions and replies between the amateurs, clearly showing that the science of the game was yet to be learned by experience. Nevertheless, if they were not victorious, some of their stones were thrown with precision and true caution, and they may yet be counted as some of the best local curlers. Of Mr. Brown and his rink it is but little to say, that they played with their usual accuracy and skill. Both rinks were afterwards entertained to an oyster supper, and a general good time was spent. Should there be any slight mistake concerning the curiers, your correspondent is willing to suffer rebuke.

W. A. Mott, M. P. P., is spending a tew days in St. John. The long look d for snow-shoe tramp which was to have taken place this evening is unavoidably postponed owing to the absence of one of the originators, but we are pleased to hear that the bicycle club have definitely arranged to have their tramp

the latter part of the week. Miss Sadie Sowerby, of Oak Bay, is spending a tew days in town with her friend Miss McKenzie. Mr. H. F. McLatchy left on a business trip to St.

Yesterday about 4 p. m., invitations were sent out to a large number of friends by Dr. Lunam, Messrs. Kennedy, Price and Mott, to a snow shoe party to be held last evening at Camp Papineav. Although the last tramp was all that coud be desired, that of last evening surpassed it as the night was perfectly charming and the snow-shoeing excellent. The hosts treated their guests to a taffy pull, and shortly after lunch was passed around and a few songs were sung, when the party dispersed. The invited guests were: Dr. and Mrs. Doherty, Dr. and Mrs. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Lingley, Mr. and Mrs. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Lingley, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bray, Mr. and Mrs. A. McG. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Firth, Mr. and Mrs. W. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. McLatchy, Mr. and Mrs. K. Shives, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kennedy, Mrs. E. Price, and Misses Annie Duncan, Jennie Andrew, Minnie O'Keefe, Annie Delaney-Maude Johnson Evelyn Chandler, Hattie Henderson, Minnie Delaney, Effic Johnson, Nellie McLeilan, Winnie Barberie, Amy Price, Bessie Mc, Kenzie, Emma Lacasse, Ida Nelson, Sadie Miller, Luzzie Henderson, Alice Mowat, Emma Thompson, Ruth Chandler, Clara Keir, Minnie Henderson Annie Smith, Corinne Venner, Minnie Doherty, hosts treated their guests to a taffy pull, and shortly

Ruth Chandler, Clara Kerr, Minnie Henderson Annie Smith, Corinne Venner, Minnie Doberty, Mabel Hilson, Bert Stewart, Mary Kerr, Sadie Sowerby, Mamie Barberie, Mina Farrer, Minnie Kerr, Eliza Miller, Maude Lacasse, Lou Sowerby, Sphie Carr, Effie Mueray, Nellie Williams, Carrie Delaney Jennie Jardine, Cassie Thompson, Rebecca Nelson, Jessie Wallace, (Moncton) Gertie Jardine, Beatrice Gunn, Gertie Loasby, Ethel Jeilett, Florrie Mugray, Martha Barnes, Effie McKinnon, Nelie Beatrice Gunn, Gertie Loasby, Ethel Jeilett, Florrie Murray, Martha Barnes, Effic McKinnon, Nelne Asher, Cook and Carr, Messrs. T. McDevitt, W. Duncan, H. Wathen. A. D. McKendrick, A. A. Andrew, W. F. Yorston, D. J. Bruce, F. W. Brown. F. F. Matheson H. Patterson, J. M. Johnson, J. Henderson, F. Fraser, J. R. Viets, E. W. Chandier, H. Alexander, J. White, G. Fremtte, G. McKenzie, T. Math. son, J. Jardine, F. Humphrey, J. Davison, F. Andrew, W. Williams, W. M. Delaney, and Wagstaffe, (Halifax.)

Mrs. A. J. H. Stewart of Bathurst, who spent several weeks in town the guest of Mrs. S. H.

everal weeks in town the guest of Mrs. S II Lingley has returned home. Mrs. William Mott spent last week in Bathurst returning on Tuesday

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> March 12 noon, 13 noon. St. J hn, N. B., Royal Hotel, Thurs. Fri. March. Moncton, N. B., Brunswick House, Satur. March. Amberst, N. S., Terrace Hotel, Mon. Mar. 19. For further paticulars write:—

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

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

Feb. 21 .- Dover Hill, the beautiful home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Young, was enlivened on Friday evening by a very happy party of friends who gathered to enjoy a snow shoe tramp through the beautiful grove and grounds that surround the residence. The party had been invited to a sleighing party to Mr. Young's summer residence at Oak Bay where snow shoeing was to have been the social feature of the evening, but owing to the great storm of Thursday was postponed and the guests invited to Dover Hill on Friday evening. At eight o'clock the snow shoers started and after an hour's tramp returned. A linen was stretched on the carpet on the long dining floor, and on the return of the out door party, dancing began in good earnest and continued until twelve o'clock, when supper was served. Again after supper the lively strains of the orchestra were heard and dancing was resumed and did not cease until two o'clock, and even at that hour the guests reluctantly departed, for the evening had been a scene of gaiety and enjoyment from first to last.

Through the kindness of Miss Margaret Todd, a large number of our young society people enjoyed a moonlight drive to the residence of Mr. Archibald Maxwell, at the Old Ridge, last evening. On arriving at Mr. Maxwell's those who wished spend the hours snow shoeing in the broad fields and pastures that are in the vicinity of the house, while the rest of the guests remained indoors, amusing themselves with music and games. Refreshments were served at eleven o'clock, when a ter many adieus and thanks to their host and hostess for a very pleasant evening, the merry party turned homeward, arriving here shortly before midnight. Harry Champion, Edgar Mair, Jack McKenzie, Miss Todd's parties are always most pleasant and jolly and this one was even more pleasant than usual. Mr. and Mrs. Jed Duren entertained the F. U. S. club at their home on Hinckley hill last evening. The moonlight and fine grounds surrounding their residence tempted a number of the guests to spend the evening snowshoeing, while the rest amused

themselves playing whist. Miss Rose Bradnee is entertaining her friend, Miss Winter McAllister, at her home this week. On Thursday evening Mrs. Henry B. Murchie entertained a party of friends at tea. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. William A. Murchie, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dexter, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lord,

and Miss Newton. Mrs. Waterbury invited several lady friends to tea on Friday to meet Mrs. Thompson, Mrs.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Etton, Mrs. Washburn

Gilbert Ganong's guest. An "advertising carnival" to take place tomorrow evening at the skating rink, in aid of the public library tund, is the chief topic, and quite a society event, nearly all our young society people taking part. The following committee have it in charge so it cannot help being a gay and successtul affair. Messrs. F. M. Murenie, C. W. Young, J. M. Stevens, Mrs. W. F. Todd, Mrs Maude Marks, Miss Florence Sulmvan, the general committee, and Messrs. J. T. Whitlock, J. D. Chipman, and Gilbert W. Ganong, in committee. Mrs. Thompson McNeill, gave a very pleasant

party on Wednesday evening at ner home, in honor of her sister Miss Sadie Ross, and some two dezen of her young friends. It was a very merry party, Mr. Wadsworth Harris, is in Boston with Madame Modjeska's company, and is receiving many pleasing comments for the fine finished way he renders the role of General Court Von Klebs, in the German play "Magda." Mr. Harris is such a

favorite in society here, toat every one is pleased o read or hear of his success. Mr. W. W. Seaver of Cambridge, Mass., is spend. ing to s week in Calais.

Mg. Widiam Hall, of Montreal, who has been in town during the past week, left on Monday for his

Mr. Ned Herman Murchie has returned to Fred-Mr. Frank Corey is spending a few days in Port-Mr. LeBaron Thompson, of St. John, spent Sun-M . Arthur Murchie was in town on Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Amsden has returned from New York city, having spent two weeks most pleasantly Mrs. George Clarke's friends will regret to hear hat she was taken suddenly ill yesterday afternoon, and is still very ill. Mr. George Dexter has returned from an ex-

ended visit to his relatives in Providence, R. I. Mr. Thomas Wren, of St. Andrews, was in town r a brief visit this week. Mr. J. E. Ganong left last week for Montreal. Mr. E. M. Robinson has been visiting St. John. Miss Lottie Boardman has been the guest of Mrs.

James Murray during the past week.

Mrs. Elien Cony has returned from an extended risit in Waterbury, Conn. Mr. an . Mrs. George Ensor have been spending several weeks with relatives in New York, Philahia and Baltimore. Mr. R. D. noss has returned from a business trip o New York city.

Mr. Herbert Eaton and a party of gentlemen friends have been enjoying the pleasures of trout fishing at Grand Lake stream during the past week. Mr. J. T. Whitlock left on Monday for a short risit in Portland and Boston. Miss Mary Reynolds who for several weeks has

een the guest of the Misses Bixby, has returned to her home in St. John. Mr. Henry T. Todd has gone on a business trip to he States and will be absent for a week or more. Mr. John K. McKenzie has returned to Rumford Mrs. Howard Grimmer left yesterday morning for er home in St. Andrews.

Mr. and Mrs. George Curran have gone to Portland, Maine, for a short visit. Miss Nellie Sawyer accompanied her father, Mr A. H. Sawyer on a trip to Boston and New York Mr. and Mrs. Charles King have returned from

Mr. Durrell Grimmer, of St. Andrews spent Mon-Mayor Murchie and Mrs. Murchie have returned from their trip to New York. Mrs. M. A. Cockburne, of St. Andrews has been making a short visit among friends here. Mr. George Downes, has returned from a pleasant Mr. James Murchie accompanied by his son, Mr. Frank Murchie left on Monday morning for a visit of a month in Jackson ville, Florida.

Miss Neille Smith is this week in Brooklyn, New

York, the guest of ner friend Mrs. Arthur Thomp Miss C ara Barnard, entertained the Kit Kat club at her residence last evening.

ST. MARTINS.

FEB. 21 .- Dr. W. V. Davis left on Monday for Houlton, Mc., where he intends making his future

Master Eddie and Miss Clara Fritz are out again after a slight attack of scarlet fever. Mrs. D. Brown left for her home in St. John yes-

Capt. G.o. Whitney spent last week with friends in Albert county. Miss Annie Ekillen is out again after a month's

The teachers and scholars of the Seminary are er joying a sleigh drive to night. Mr. W. E Skillen returned from St. John yester-

tained his friends at a dance. With tastefully trimmed rooms, good floors and excellent music by Prof. Sutherland of St. John, the hours passed all too quickly. During the evening ice cream and fo mity has also been well tested and proven in innumerable cases, made under his superi tendence in his own factory. People ruptured and the guests repaired to the dining hall, where supper awaited them. The chaperons were Mrs. Jas Wishart and Mrs. Charlie brown. About one hundhred invitations were issued. Following is a list of those who accepted:

Dr. and Mrs. Gillmore, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Skillen, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wier, Dr. and Mrs. Ruddick, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Wishart, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller, Captain and Mrs. Fritz, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Brown, Captain and Mrs. O. P. Brown, Mr

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Miss Bes. ie Parker, Miss Atice Parker, Miss Rob-inson, Miss Cochrane, Miss Mabel Cochrane, Miss Rourke, Miss Nellie Wishart, Miss Wier, Messrs. Alison Wishart, B. Wishart, W. H. Rourke, Jas. Rourke, Geo. Parker, Hal Parker, R. Rourke, R. Hastings, Fred Cochrane, H. Rourke, S. Camp

bell, B. Davis, W. E. Skil en, S. V. Skillen, Capt. A. Vanghan, Capt. Geo. Whitney, L. V. Skillen Mrs. James Wishart, black and white sating Mrs. C. Brown, black and white Surah silk, nat-

Mrs. Cochrane, black silk and velvet, white, Mrs. McLaughlin, black and white silk, black

velvet, gold ornaments.

Mrs.Murray, brown satin and lace, natural flowers Mrs. Fritz, black satin skirt, fawn brocade waist,

Mrs. Miller, black silk, white chiffon trimmings; Miss Rourke, green silk, white lace and white Miss Burchill, white cashmere, pink roses; Mrs. Swatridge, black satin, pink silk trimmings,

natural flowers: Miss Skillen, heliotrope cashmere, heliotrope Mrs. Ruddock, black silk, white lace, natural

Miss Robinson, pink crepon, trimmings of Nile green siik; Mrs. Gillmor, fawn poplin and brown velvet; Mrs H. V. Skillen, black fish net over black satin,

gold ornaments: Mrs. Roland Brown, brown plush and satin; Miss Marr, black cashmere and silk, Miss Parker, pale blue silk and black lace;

Miss Wier, cream challie and pink China silk;

Miss B. Cochrane, old rose silk and black lace Miss M. Cochrane, pale blue silk and white lace Mrs. Geo. Weir, black silk, natural roses: Miss Alice Parker, white lawn natural flowers: Mrs. D. Smith, black lace over black silk, gold

Mrs. D. P. Brown, black satin. white lace, dia-Mrs. J. A. Smith, black challie and chiffon; Miss N. Wishart, white cashmere and satin, natu-

CAMPOBELLO.

FEB. 15 .- Miss Maggie Harvey, of this place, has been visiting her brother, Fred O. Harvey, of St.

Captain McShara, of Gloucester, Mass., who has been here on a visit to friends and relatives, invited a number of the "boys" to a farewell dinner at the Byron Hotel, last week. Among those present were Messrs. Wm. Batson, Barney Gallagher, Thaddeus Calder, George Calder and others. The company enjoyed themselves with music, cards, etc., until Capt. McShara was escorted to the steamer. Capt. McShara went to Gloucester when a boy and owes the position he now holds to pure merit.

Miss Ida Brown has returned to St. Stephen. The general quiet of the Pool was disturbed last week by the serenade to Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Bishop, who were married at the Byron Hotel by Rev. Mr. Street. The happy couple took their departure for Eastport this morning.

Mr. Albert and Miss Allingham spent Saturday evening and Sunday at Wilson's Beach. Rev. Bolton Daggett held the first of a series of

meetings in the North road church on Tuesday Mr. Leonard Calder and Miss Deshon spent Sunday afternoon and evening at H. F. Batson's, as the guest of Miss Batson.

A large party of young ladies, taking advantage

of the fine sleighing, drove to Wilson's Beach on Monday evening, where, at the residence of Chas Calder, they enjoyed themselves immensely in cards, until the wee small hours. Rev. Mr. Boal, of Truro, has been here lately with magic latern views on Mount Sinai and on the wilds of Africa. Owing to disagreeable weather the attendance at the hall was small.

A number of young ladies were invited to a mat party at Mrs. Owen Batson's one afternoon last week. The gentlemen followed in the evening, of ourse, and every body had a gay time.

Mrs. Flocton and Mrs. Joel Mitchell have returned to Plymouth, Mass., after an extended visit

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FEB 20 .- Miss Ada Clowes, of Oromocto, spent ast week with Mrs. Charles Clowes. Rev. H. E. Dibblee left vesterday for Woodstock Mr. John C. Clowes, of Gagetown, spent last week

with friends here. He will return today, accom-

panied by Mrs. Clowes. Mr. A. R. Miles, government scaler, is home for few days. Rumor says that one of Sheffield's stenographers and the adopted daughter of a former M. P., are be made one at the close of this month. Miss Mary Harrison's condition is somewhat mproved.

ELGIN, A. C. FEB. 21 .- Mr. F. W. Emerson, Judge of Probates or Westmorland county, was here on Friday even-

Saturday evening a number of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wheaton met at their residence and spent a very pleasant evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Robinson of Moncton, are pending a few days with Mrs. Robinson's parents Mr. E. A. Bleakney went to St. John, on Tuesday.

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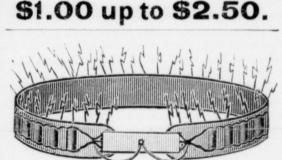
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