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The dinner given by Hon. Mrs. Montgomery Moore on Thursday evening last was the principal event of the week, although several small teas and dinners were also given. Very many guests were present, although it was originally intended to be but a small affair. The floor was in excellent condition, the music good, and the young people appeared to enjoy themselves immensely, and to regret that the evening was so short. Supper was served about midnight.

Governor and Mrs. Daly gave a dinner at the government house on Tuesday evening, at which Colonel and Mrs. Hamilton were the guests of honor. The pleasures of the evening were somewhat shadowed by the fact of Mrs. Daly's accident. On Thursday afternoon an afternoon tea was given by the Kings regiment as a farewell to Colonel and Mrs. Hamilton. A large number of guests were present, and enjoyed themselves very much. Major Stone and officers as hosts. On Friday evening the regiment gave a farewell dinner to Colonel Hamilton.

Mrs. Weatherbe gave a pleasant afternoon tea on Saturday last, at which many of her friends enjoyed themselves, as indeed they always do at her entertainments. Mrs. James Morrow gave another of her pleasant afternoon teas on Wednesday afternoon. Rev. George Sexton was in the city last week en route for Exton. On Sunday he occupied the pulpit of Grafton street Methodist church. He was the guest of Rev. W. M. Fraser while in the city.

Miss Kennedy, who has been some time in the city, and who has been an enthusiastic member of the Oxford street Methodist church choir, leaves this week for her home in Newfoundland. A dramatic concert was given by St. George's Glee club at their hall, Malind street, on Thursday evening last week, which delighted their audience. Those who took part in the dramatic performances were Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Taylor, Mr. Jack Somers, Mr. James Munis, Mr. R. Barnes, Mr. Cuthin, Mr. Staines, Mr. W. G. B. Taylor, Mr. Cuthin and Mr. Bishop. Rev. H. H. Pitman gave the opening address, which was followed by a recitation by Miss Latham. James Lane sang a comic song, which gave great amusement to the audience, and the whistling solo by Mr. W. M. Munde was loudly applauded. There was also a recitation by Miss Fraser and the Swing song by the glee club.

A social evening was spent in Christ church Sunday school room on Wednesday evening last. The members of the church and congregation were present, and a pleasant time was spent. A musical and literary programme was rendered, and towards the close of the evening refreshments were served. Rev. F. W. Wilkinson presided over the entertainment to a close by a short address. Mr. Bernard Walter, one of our finest violinists, assisted by some of the best pianists, gave a concert in the Orpheus hall on Tuesday evening. The death occurred at Truro on Thursday last, of Mrs. Muir, wife of Dr. Muir. A musical and literary programme was given at the residence of Mrs. Muir on Saturday last. The deceased was the daughter of the late Judge Ritchie.

Mr. A. M. Hodge is having plans prepared for a new house which he will build on Torrey road. The probable cost of which is \$50,000. Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Thomas returned from their wedding tour on Thursday, and directly after their arrival Mr. Thomas was waited upon by the employees of the Nova Scotia coal mines, of which he is manager, and accompanied with a valuable set of d. canisters in a handsome case, with the inscription: "Presented to Mr. W. R. Thomas, G. F. S., by the employees of the Nova Scotia Coal Mines, January 20, 1895."

The marriage of Mr. J. A. Smith, barrister of this city to Mrs. Thomazine Wiegman, took place at Dartmouth on Thursday last. Hon. A. H. Comeau attended the groom, and Miss Sargent, of Digby, was bridesmaid. The annual tea meeting of St. Mark's church was held in their hall on Wednesday evening last. A good musical and literary programme was carried out. There was a piano solo by Miss Ackhurst, a vocal solo by Miss Lemoine, and Mrs. Gunnig, a reading by Rev. G. C. Abbott, quartette, Rev. N. Lemoine, Messrs. Wood and Jullif, and Davis, and songs by Mr. A. Jullif, Mr. Wilson, Mr. J. C. Harrison, Miss Roche, Miss Smith, Mr. W. M. Goudge, Mr. Morrison, Rev. L. Lemoine, and Mr. Woodhead.

OXFORD. Jan. 20.—Among the visitors to Oxford can be mentioned Mrs. G. R. Layton, of New Glasgow, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. M. M. Thompson. She has just returned home accompanied by her sister, Miss Lida Thompson. Mr. James Green, of Attleboro, Mass., who has been visiting relatives in Moncton, N. B., spent a few days in town last week. Miss Martha Smith, of Parrsboro, is spending the week with her cousin, Miss Alice De Wolfe. Miss Jennie Spencer and her sister, Miss Ella Spencer, spent Sunday in town. Miss J. Spencer left Monday evening for Boston, where she intends to remain for the winter and pursue her studies in music. She is talented in that direction and no doubt will make a success of the work. Miss Julia Dickson, who has been teaching the intermediate department, accompanied Miss Spencer. She is now taking a course in physical culture. Mrs. Lamb is paying a visit to friends in Parrsboro. Mrs. J. E. Smith, of Boston, is visiting at the home of Mrs. J. H. Green. Some of our popular young ladies have left town for the winter. Miss Minnie Robb is visiting friends in Montreal. Miss Tina O'Leary is spending a few months with her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) Cannon of Halifax. Mr. Arnold and wife have moved to the business side of the river. Miss Black, of Patzash, has taken Miss Dickson's place as teacher for the rest of the term. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Thompson gave an "at home" for the young people last Thursday evening. Miss Thompson received, looking very nice in light blue waist and black silk skirt. Among the ladies present were: Miss Lizzie Dunsmuir, brown and cream silk. Miss Katie Dickson, drab velvet chalice and fringe. Miss Addie Haigh, pink chalice with ribbon trimmings. Mrs. C. Smith, wine colored silk. Miss Leone Wood, fawn silk. Miss Lizzie Lewis, brown silk with cream lace. Mrs. Allison De Wolfe, black and white. Miss Josie Green, cream cashmere and lack trimmings. Miss Fannie Oaker, pink silk with black lace. Miss Minnie Trent, lawn silk. Miss Lou Hewson, cream work chalice with lawn lace. Miss Fannie Wood, lemon cashmere with cream lace. Lunch was served about eleven o'clock after which several games were played, then the young people left for their homes with pleasant memories of a well spent evening. A large temperance meeting was held Tuesday evening at which arrangements were made to preserve quiet and peace in our town. The Division of the Sons of Temperance will visit Pugwash Monday evening, Feb. 4. If the weather is favorable, a very pleasant time is expected.

ANNAPOLIS ROYAL. Feb. 4.—Miss Ella Raudman returned from a visit to Boston on Wednesday. Mr. E. Couling returned to his home in Moncton on Monday. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Langille have taken the house

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formerly occupied by Wm. McIntyre, of the D. A. R. Mr. Bell, of St. John, spent a few days in town last week. Miss Pickford, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. F. W. Harris. Miss Grace Robinson left on Tuesday for Yarmouth to visit her cousin, Mrs. Ross. Miss Nellie Robinson went to St. John on Wednesday for a few months' visit. Mr. B. B. Hardwick returned on Saturday from an extended American trip. Miss Mahoney returned from a few weeks visit in Lunenburg on Wednesday. Miss Lena Goucher went to Yarmouth, on Friday, to visit her cousin, Mrs. Steeny. Mr. Rufus Hardwick returned from Boston, Saturday. Miss Maude Hall returned Saturday from Halifax. Miss Blanche Tibbitts spent Thursday with friends in Bridgetown. Miss Nellie Tibbitts has dancing class of about fifteen members which meets every Monday evening. The brownie quadrille club will meet at Mrs. Ritchie's on Friday evening. Mrs. Savary entertained a few friends at dinner, Friday evening. Mrs. Maynard, of Windsor, took the services in St. Luke's on Sunday. Mrs. West has formed a very enjoyable whist club to meet Friday evenings, which comprises the club are Mr. and Mrs. West, Mr. and Mrs. Gillis, Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. Ritchie, Mr. and Mrs. Lounsbury, Mr. and Mrs. Owen, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Harris, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Ritchie, Mrs. Leavitt, Miss Gammon, the Misses Brittain, Mrs. Irvine secured the gentlemen's first prize and Mr. F. O. Lee the second. Mrs. Owen will entertain the club on Friday evening, February 15th. Dr. Arbuckle has accepted a position in New York and leaves for that place this week. He has many friends who are sorry to lose him from their social gatherings. Mr. Horace Cole, of St. John, spent Sunday in town. Mr. J. H. Whitman is home from Halifax for a few weeks' visit. S. M.

YARMOUTH, N. S. Feb. 4.—Yarmouth has been exceedingly gay of late, although we have had nothing in the way of public entertainments for some time. I understand Mr. J. D. Medcalf is getting up another of his popular operas, the last, "Fintore," in which some St. John talent took part being a decided success. Next month he will produce the "Pirates of Penzance" in which W. O. Gray will take a leading part assisted by Mr. Binney, Mrs. McKinnon and others. Although the season has had no correspondence from here for some time, it would be rather out of date to make particular mention of several parties which were given some weeks back, among which were those given at the residence of Mrs. H. A. Kilham, Mrs. L. B. Wyman, Cliff street, and Mrs. John Guest, Tucker street. Mrs. Charles W. Cann entertained a number of her married friends at her home Vancouver street one day last week. About sixty persons were present, and a very enjoyable evening was passed. Progressive anagrams, now so popular an amusement, occupied the hours. Mr. Robt. S. Eakin and family returned recently to a Boston, where they have been spending the last few months. Miss Annie Brown is spending the late winter months in Boston, attending classes in art. Miss Annie Lovitt has gone to Kentville to visit Mrs. J. E. Smith. Mrs. C. S. P. Robbins left on Saturday for a trip to Brooklyn, N. Y., to remain several weeks the guest of Mrs. John Y. Robbins, formerly of Yarmouth. Mrs. Robbins' many friends will be pleased to hear that she is recovering from her recent illness. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ross leave this week for an extended tour through the N. W. England States. Mr. E. X. Spinnay has gone abroad some weeks out of season. Councillor George D. Sanderson returned from a business trip to Boston on Wednesday last. Considerable interest is being evinced just now over our local election for a mayor and aldermen, and will probably continue until Tuesday, when the names of the successful candidates will be announced. The contestants are—for mayor, Messrs. Geo. D. Sanderson and Jas. R. Wyman. For aldermen, Messrs. B. E. Law, F. F. Conerman, J. M. Gardner, G. Murray Dane and Jacob Binney. Perhaps the most popular amusement of the season is the Quadrille club, of which has been more appropriately named "the assembly" which is being held in McLaughlin's hall during the winter months. About one hundred persons attend among whom are Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dane, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Holly, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hamilton, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Medcalf, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Cook, Dr. and Mrs. Putnam, Dr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Kiklay, Mr. and Mrs. L. Lovitt, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Jolly, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. D. Saunders, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McKinnon, Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong, Miss Kate Christie, Miss Alice Eakin, Miss Lizzie Binney, Miss Nora Munroe, Miss Josie Gardner, Miss Eva Pelton, Miss Eva Johnson, Miss Mary Gardner, Miss E. Lovitt, Miss Alice Clements, Miss Maggie McLaughlin, Miss Susie Brown, Miss Lennie Wyman, Miss Thompson, Annapolis, N. S. Miss Alice Allen, Miss Margaret Eakin, Miss Nellie Allen, Mrs. A. S. Cook, Miss Grace Horton, Miss Helen Clements, Miss Anna McHenry, Miss Grace Gray, Miss George Gardner, Miss Laura Lawson, Miss Gibson, Miss Nellie Gardner, Miss Josie Cann, Miss Gena Lovitt, Miss Lydia Kilham, Miss Agnes Jolly, Miss Katie Burrill, Miss Kate Jolly, Miss Holly, St. John, Miss Tilley, Miss Sabre Kilham, Miss Fannie Allen, Mr. Chittis Munroe, Mr. Irvine Lovitt, Mr. Fred C. Ryan, Mr. Ralph Wyman, Mr. Charles F. Brown, Mr. W. L. Rogers, Mr. Arthur Stoneham,

PARRSBORO. [Progress is for sale at Parrsboro Book Store. Feb. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith, of Amherst, spent Saturday and Sunday at the Minas hotel. Hon. A. R. Dickey arrived in town on Wednesday and spoke in St. George's hall in the evening. The P. B. B. was at the station and played one of their best selections in his honor. Mr. Dickey thanked them in a pleasant speech. The sound of the band was a surprise to the town people as it has not been heard for months. Quite a large party was made up for a moonlight drive this evening to the lumber camp, at Moore River. Owing to the storm it has to be deferred. Mr. Rice, of Digby, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. Rand. Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Nordby spent last week in Truro. Mr. and Mrs. A. E. McLeod have returned from a visit to friends in London. Rev. Mr. DesBarres, Advocate, and Mr. Lewis Eaton, of Estoville, are in town stormstruck for the present. Kalamazoo whist is the order of the day or rather evening. Mrs. Robert Aikman entertained a pleasant party last evening. Mrs. Upham on Monday evening of last week, Mrs. Woodworth on Thursday evening and Mrs. Townsend on the previous Friday evening. Mrs. Rand gave a delightful progressive euchre party with an after supper dance last Tuesday evening in honor of Miss Upham and Mr. Paul Gillespie.

TRURO. [Progress is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fulton, and D. H. Smith & Co. Feb. 6.—The intelligence last Thursday afternoon, that Mrs. Muir, wife of Dr. D. H. Muir, had suddenly expired in her husband's office, was a severe shock to us to respect generally. Heartfelt expressions of regret were heard on all sides from a deeply sympathetic community, who remember the deceased lady's many amiable attributes, which endeared her to all with whom she came in contact. The funeral took place from St. John's church, on Saturday afternoon, and despite the inclement weather, was very largely attended. The casket was literally covered with beautiful floral tributes. Masters Jack and Dave Moore accompanied their aunts, the Misses Ritchie, to Halifax this week, where after a visit of a few weeks the boys proceed to school at Rosetown, N. B. The social event of consuming interest at present is the moonlight whist which is to come off on Thursday of next week, the fourth-entire. The preparations being made are both extensive and elaborate. The affair, though all the fraternity is interested, is in the hands of the following efficient members of the craft: Messrs. G. Henderson, H. C. C. Yall, W. Blenkinsop, A. McCullough and I. McDonald. The chaperones are: Mrs. L. B. Archibald, Mrs. W. B. Alley, Mrs. G. P. Nelson and Mrs. E. J. Waddell. Mrs. E. C. Bigelow entertained a number of Misses and friends last Thursday afternoon from 4 to 7 to seven. The little folks had a good time, playing games, and discussing a most elaborate tea, among those present were—The Misses Eichel and Maud Bell, Bertha Tremaine, Julia Lawrence, Laura Gladwin, Hemi Bigelow, Louise Leurent, Fannie Cottens, Masters Arthur and Harry Lushby, Gladwin, Harry Prince, Charlie McCallum, Jack Learmont. Mrs. S. W. Bentley's cards were out on Monday, for Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Today a large five o'clock, and tomorrow evening a young people's party.

AMHERST. [Progress is for sale at Amherst by Master A. D. Campbell. Feb. 6.—Since Monday evening the wheels of society have been literally clogged by the most boisterous snow storm that has passed this way in a long time; in fact it has been a genuine "old timer" that nipped several merry evenings in the bud, and the carnival which was to come off at the skating rink this evening has been postponed until next week. A large sleighing party drove out of town on Monday evening to enjoy a dance and supper at the Brunswick house, Sackville. I have been unable to get a full account of the pleasant event but from start to finish there was variety in the way of amusement to suit the individual taste of every guest present. Mr. Cody, the experienced driver, made an effort to bring the party home about midnight, but found the roads impassable and had to beat a retreat to the hotel where all went merry as a marriage bell until the morning train when they returned, but not as they went, for the snow was deep and the horses are still there. Mrs. J. Medley Townsend was chaperon and the young ladies were, Miss Main, Miss Foreman, Miss Lovell, Miss Rich, Truro, Mrs. Stephen Coates, Miss May Brown, Miss Bessie Munroe, Miss Ella Hillson, Miss Cutler, Miss Jones, Messrs. Robert Murray, H. Smith, L. Moore, E. M. Lockwood, W. Thompson, A. Douday, and Dr. Hall. Mrs. Lovell's party consisted of young members of society started for Point Beate, on Monday evening but turned back on account of the disagreeable storm. Mrs. James Moffat has been the hostess of the week, her party on Wednesday evening being a very enjoyable function for the many guests assembled in the spacious parlors. Among those present were Mrs. Ernest Black, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Moore, Mrs. A. B. Dickey, Mrs. M. S. Foster, Messrs. E. M. Lockwood, J. M. Curry and R. Lusby. On Monday evening Mrs. Moffat gave a pleasant party to Miss Moffat's friends in honor of the Misses Rich, of Truro. Like all other events of the kind it was a success, but the most interesting thing is guaranteed and that is that, all who are entertained by the courteous hostess are assured of an evening that will be remembered. Mr. W. Thompson, who has been in town for a fortnight, left for his home in Sydney, C. B., on Friday evening. The latest engagement announced is that of a prominent young musician and a young lady in were about to be married. Mrs. Harris, of Sackville, is the guest of Miss Mazie Harris, at the vicarage. Hon. Harry Black returned from Halifax, on Monday. Miss Edith Darling, of Rosetown, N. B., who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. J. Moran, for a few days, left on Monday to visit friends in Truro. Miss Edith Freeman, of Londonbury, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. D. Main, "Hollis cottage." Miss Laurence, of St. John, is paying a visit to her friend, Mrs. N. Curry, "Seven Gables." Don'te, John Campbell, returned from Halifax, on Monday evening Mr. Fraser, station master, left for California on account of failing health. Mrs. Fraser and Miss Wood accompanied him. Miss Wood goes to Kansas city to spend the winter with her brother, Mr. McKinnon, who is teaching school at Brunhite, spent Sunday at her home, Laplanche street. Miss Maggie Archibald has been kept indoors by a bad cold during the past week, to the regret of her many friends in town. Mr. A. Rich, of Truro, is the guest of Miss Alice Page, Edin street. Mr. T. Campbell, secretary of the Amherst boot and shoe company, went to Truro on Tuesday where he was united in marriage to Miss Lizzie Eakin, daughter of Rev. Dr. Herzog. The wedding, which took place at the Methodist parsonage was rather quiet, but few being present. The bride was accompanied by her father, Mr. Herzog, assisted by Rev. Mr. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell have gone to Montreal and some of the warm congratulations of a host of Amherst-ontarians. The musical at Roselawn, the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Curry, on Friday evening, was a delightful event, success accompanying every number of the well arranged and a full house was present to appreciate it. Among those who lent their aid were: Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Logan, Prof. Sterne, Fraser and Mrs. W. D. Main, "Hollis cottage," Miss Holmes, Miss Sleep, Miss Black, Miss May Bent, and Mr. John Curry. I understand this one of a fortnight's society.

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Windsor. [Progress is for sale in Windsor at Kowles' Bookstore and by F. W. Dakin. Feb. 5.—Mrs. Jennie Morris Ellis, graduate of the American Institute of Phrenology, has been delivering a course of lectures on "How to read character," at the Reform club hall, this week. She has had large audiences and a number of private consultations besides. Mayor Wilcox, Hon. M. H. Goudge and Mr. Ouseley are in Halifax, attending the sitting of the house. Miss Morris leaves tomorrow for New York, where she intends visiting friends. Mr. Gay Allison's friends are sorry to learn that he has had to undergo several severe operations on his eyes in New York, but they hope his sight will be benefited by the treatment. His daughter is remaining with him. Dr. Hiley leaves today for Boston, taking with him his daughter Mary, whom he intends leaving at school in Providence, R. I. On Wednesday evening Mrs. Hiley entertained a number of Misses and friends at a very enjoyable dance. Among those present were: Misses Bowen, Hild, F. Jones, Ouseley, Lizzie and Dorothy Smith, Madeline Black, Mrs. McCallum, Frances Woodworth, Nora Blanchard, Mrs. Nora Black, Nellie Pauline, Bertha Locke, Rae Garvie, Harvey, Oxford, and Messrs. Bonson, Dwydale, Cumming, Lyntis, Cox, Bowman, Mrs. Allison, Leslie, Archibald, Vernon, Norwood, Jones, Tremaine, Simi, H. Smith, Hilder, Donaldson, Shattford, Hiltz, Lawson, Morris Goudge, Arthur Goudge, and Mr. G. E. Prentice, Acklom, Gent. Gillis. Some of the prettiest dresses were, Miss Willets, pretty cream dress with Nile green silk. Miss Morris, white silk with Nile green velvet sleeves. Miss Garvie, pale green cashmere with sleeves of velvet. Miss Ouseley, white silk with tea roses. Miss Bette Lacker, very pretty gown of pale blue. Miss Harvey, pale pink cashmere. Miss Bette Lacker, white cashmere trimmed with lace. Miss Rae Garvie, white silk with yellow sleeves and white lace. Miss Hild, handsome gown of black velvet. Miss Alex, pale grey and pink cashmere. Miss Black, black lace. Miss Madeline Black, pale blue cashmere white lace. Miss Woodworth, white lawn and white silk. Miss McCallum, white cashmere. Miss Nora Black, white and heliotrope chalice. Miss Rae Garvie has gone to Halifax, en route to Baitoune, where she intends to take a course in training at the John Hopkins hospital. Mrs. Laura Churchill, of Chatham, and her friend, Miss Forrest, spent a day or two in town last week, the guests of Miss Churchill's aunt, Mrs. J. Black. On Tuesday evening a number of young people enjoyed a slight drive to Hantsport. On Tuesday evening Mrs. Avar Forsyth gave a dance for her nephew, Mr. Coffin. It was a very pleasant party the arrangements being everything that could be desired. Among those invited were: The Misses Curry, Misses Gary, Miss George Wilson, Miss Bossance, Miss Madeline Black, Miss Nora Black, Miss L. Smith, Cunningham and Messrs. Bonsonelle, Lyntis, Smith, Cunningham, Archibald, Dwydale, Rosier, Webster, Dennison, Paul Dwydale, and others. Mrs. Forsyth received in a pretty gown of black lace. Mrs. Smith, wore a dress of black silk. Mr. Scott, a black velvet skirt pink waist. Mrs. Cochran, gown of black lace. Mrs. Wilson, a very pretty dress of white crepon with silver trimmings. Miss Curry, white silk. Miss Mazie Curry, white cashmere, red roses and smilex. Miss Woodworth, white Chaise crepe. Miss McCallum, pink lawn trimmed with white lace. Miss Black, white silk with Chinese gauze over white lace. Miss Geldert, white crepon. Miss Bossance, white and heliotrope chalice trimmed with lace. Miss Garvie, white cashmere. Miss Rae Garvie, white silk. Mr. Coffin, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Avar Forsyth, Albert street, returned to New York last week. Mr. Bonson, of Cornwallis, has come to Windsor to be near her son, who is attending Kings college. Mr. Alex. Forsyth had the misfortune to sprain her ankle a few days ago; she is, I am glad to know, recovering. Mrs. Nora Shand, of Acadia seminary, Wolfville, spent Sunday at home. Miss Ethel Shand is not returning this term. The Misses Curry, at the corner, gave a sleigh drive to a few of their friends last evening. Mrs. Hiltz Curry entertained them at supper afterwards. Mrs. Hiltz Dimock has been confined to the house for several days with a bad cold. Miss Lizzie Cummings, of Londonbury, is in town the guest of Mrs. F. Fraser. A number of young people enjoyed the fine tobogganing last evening.

MILLERTON, N. B. Feb. 1.—Mrs. J. W. Miller left for Boston, on Monday, expecting to be absent some months visiting friends. Mr. Byron Call, of Newcastle, was the guest of Mr. J. W. Miller, Brookside, on Wednesday. Major Beckwith and F. B. Coleman, of Fredericton, spent Friday evening with Mr. James Robinson, M. P. P. Mrs. W. A. Hickson, of Newcastle, spent Sabbath with Mrs. J. A. Robinson, "Riverside." Mr. C. P. Williston, of Newcastle, was in town on business Monday. Mr. James Robinson, M. P. P., leaves for Fredericton on Wednesday to attend his legislative duties. Last week Mr. Robinson with a number of friends, Mr. J. J. Miller, Mr. Street, Mr. MacKane, enjoyed a trip to the lumber camps. Mrs. J. E. Miller is spending a few days with his cousin, Mr. J. G. Miller, Chatham. SWEET MARIE. VANCOUVER. Feb. 4.—Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Matthews entertained a number of their friends at whist Saturday evening. During the evening some choice music was rendered by Mrs. Connolly and Mr. Gallagher. At 11:30 lunch was served, and the party broke up. All who participated avowing that they had spent a delightful evening. Among those present were Dr. and Mrs. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Halbrook, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Connolly, (St. Croix), Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Kingston, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Toussie, Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Lenelle, the Misses B. Beau, Batson and Clendenen, Mrs. A. Good-peed and Gallagher, (McAdam), and Mr. Keele. ANDOVER. Feb. 5.—Miss Clarke, of Woodstock, was the guest of Mrs. S. J. Coster, last week. Mrs. B. H. Tibbitts and Miss Anderson spent a few days last week with friends at Bridgewater. Mrs. Smith, of Woodstock, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Myer, returned home today. Mr. and Mrs. Belyea, of St. John, were here over Sunday. Mr. Thomas Lawson returned from Fredericton yesterday. Mr. Arthur Crawford, of Houlton, is visiting at Mrs. Bibb's. EVELY.

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