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Social and Personal.

St. John—South End. Miss M. Thompson left this week to resume her studies at the Halifax ladies' college, after spending the vacation at her home in this city. Mrs. John Cowan and the Misses Cowan left this week for Newfoundland where they will permanently reside. Mrs. Lockaby, of Montreal, is the guest of her friend, Miss Helen Parks, Mount Pleasant. There was quite a fashionable audience at the hockey match on Friday night. The game was very exciting and promises to draw a still larger number of spectators at the next match. Mrs. Robert Jardine, and Miss Elsie Jardine, who have been spending the holiday season with Mrs. Jardine's mother, Mrs. E. J. Smith, at Shelburne, have returned home. Mrs. Stewart, of Quebec, who has been visiting Miss Nan Stone, Germain street, has returned home. Mr. Thomas West, and son, Mr. Joseph West, of Toronto, spent part of this week in the city. Miss Kate Belyea, who has been visiting friends in Boston, has returned home. Miss E. Ma Irvine and the Misses Paisley, left on Tuesday for Sackville to resume their studies at the Mr. Allison ladies' college. Mrs. Cornfield, of Montreal, is the guest of Mrs. Isaac Burpee, Mount Pleasant. Sir Leonard and Lady Tiley returned on Saturday from Fredericton, where they were attending the funeral of their daughter, Mrs. A. F. Street. They have the sincere sympathy of their friends in their bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Regar have returned from their wedding tour. Miss Bessie Hewitt, of Rolling Dam, Charlotte county, will spend the winter with friends in the city. Mrs. W. S. Potts and Miss Olive Kathleen Potts are visiting Mrs. S. J. McLean at Charlottetown, Mass. Mrs. McLean is a sister of Mrs. Potts. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Dearborn leave on Tuesday, the 15th of December, for Florida, to remain until June. Mrs. Frank White accompanies them as far as Tallahassee. Miss Adela Tiffin has returned to Halifax to resume her studies at the convent of the Sacred Heart. Miss Estabrook, of this city, spent last week in Sussex, the guest of Miss M. Boal. Miss Jessie Hunter and Miss Florrie Hunter have been visiting Mrs. C. W. J. Upham, Sussex. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. McNutt have returned from their trip to Montreal and Toronto. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Carrey have returned from their wedding tour. They will reside for the present at the Victoria hotel. The Misses Nicholson left last week for New York whence they sailed for England. Mrs. J. T. Steeves, and Miss Steeves, who have been visiting friends in Boston, have returned home. Miss Eaton, of Calais, Maine, spent last week in the city, the guest of Mrs. Patterson, Horsfield street. A pleasant evening was spent last week at the residence of Rev. Mr. Sampson and Mrs. Sampson, Duke street. Games and other amusements were provided for the entertainment of the guests. Miss Seely, of this city, spent last week with friends in Sussex. Miss Maggie Roach, of Sussex, is visiting friends at Sussex. Mrs. S. Hoyt spent last week with friends at Sussex. Miss Bessie Sinclair is visiting friends at Sussex. Captain H. Newman, who has been visiting this city after a long absence, was summoned by telegraph on Tuesday night to join his ship at New York at once. Miss Alice Teasdale, who with her friend Miss Smith, of Lunenburg, has been spending the holiday season at her home in this city, has returned to Mr. Allison to resume her studies. Miss Grace McMullan, who has been visiting friends at Boston, returned home. Miss F. E. Murray, who has been spending some months at Milton, Mass., has returned to the city, and is now residing at 2 Wright street. A number of ladies and gentlemen spent a pleasant evening at Mrs. Irvine's class room, 74 Green street, when their children went through in a most satisfactory manner, the hoop and dumb-bell exercises. They also danced the vocal lancers, Oxford minuet, bon-ton gavotte. The waltzing of the children was perfect. The class consists of the following pupils: The Misses Alan, Adams, Belyea, Best, de-Bury, Dick, Deloraine, Harrison, Thomson, Titus, Holden, Stetson, Mathew, Inche, Kimball, Fanshawe, Merritt, McAvity, Payne, Christy, Masters, Forbes, Hoban, Gregory, Robertson, Stetson, Inche, Purvis, Likely, Macaulay, Hayward, Cameron. The following boys from Rothesay school joined for the holiday, Emerson (2), Harrison (2), Adams, Sadler, Bostwick, Thomson. The parents and friends of the pupils who have been attending Mrs. Irvine's class for the past term must have been extremely surprised and gratified at the pleasing character of the exhibition lately given by her to the pupils. It was an enjoyable entertainment for the friends as well as for the young people. I can refer to the perfect manner of the performance of the hoop drill and dumb-bell exercise, and the ease of the dancing of so many young people as well as the large number of different dances that they had mastered, spoke well both for them and Mrs. Irvine. Miss May Collins and Miss Pauline Delaney, of North end, who have been spending their vacation with their parents, have returned to their studies at normal school, Fredericton. The Polia Walls quadrille assembly entertained a number of their friends on Wednesday evening at a sleigh drive and dance. After a pleasant drive out as far as Newcomb's, they returned to the residence of T. H. Boyd, on Cedar street. A very pleasant evening was spent, dancing and what being the principal attractions. Excellent music was furnished by McAfee's orchestra. Among those present, were, Mrs. E. Boyd, Mrs. Simpson, Mrs. Sweeney, the Misses Kilpatrick, Miss Dunlop, Miss Stewart, Miss Maxwell, the Misses Mowry, Miss White, the Misses Burton, Miss Rued, Miss McAvity, Miss Sprout, Miss Rubins, Miss Irvine, the Misses Bradley, Miss McArthur, Messrs. A. McInnis, G. Dickson, T. Huey, H. Leachur, C. Mitchell, W. Gaskin, L. Munroe, F. Whelpley, F. Charlton, G. Boyd, H. Boyd, G. Sweeney, T. Simpson, H. Holder, D. Richards, F. Heaus, W. Calder, N. Macburn, W. Turner, A. Shaw, N. Henry, G. Tunney, and others. Mrs. John Rogers is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allen Ritchie, at Newcastle. A pleasant drive and party was given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Morton L. Harrison Celebration street, on Tuesday evening. About fourteen couples were present, some seven tables being formed. Among the couples were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley G. Ojre, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Simpson, Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Higgins, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Leetch, Mr. and Mrs. J. Jamieson, Dr. and Mrs. E. J. March, Mrs. G. Gray, Mrs. Crawford, Miss Patchell, Miss G. Landry, the Misses Campbell, Miss Ferguson, Messrs. J. B. Gillespie, Jack Sinclair, G. T. Higgins, H. J. Anderson, W. H. Cole, and Theo. Noble. Miss Annie Murphy, of Rockland road, has resumed her studies at the Sacred Heart convent, Mt. Pleasant. Master F. Pender and Master J. Macaulay, have returned to McGill college to resume their studies. They spent their vacation at their homes in this city.

Miss E. H. Williams of this city, graduate of the General Public Hospital, leaves on Tuesday for Springhill Mines, having been appointed matron of the hospital at that place. Miss Jennie Edolls of Bloomfield is visiting her cousins, the Misses Williams of High street. The quadrille assembly met at the residence of Mrs. W. H. Horn, Leinster street, last Friday evening Jan. 4th. Miss Mary Daniel, of Pugwash, who has been spending her Christmas vacation with her grandfather, Dr. Daniel, has returned to Mount Allison Ladies' college to resume her studies. The Misses Katie and Nellie Weldon, who have been home for the Christmas holidays, have returned to Sackville, where they will resume their studies at the Ladies' college. ANOTS. FREDERICTON. [Progress is for sale in Fredericton by W. T. H. FURBER and J. H. HAWTHORNE.] JAN. 9.—On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Vanwart gave a pleasant party in honor of their guest, Mrs. Fred Hume, of Nelson, B. C., whilst being the amusement of the evening, and about midnight a sumptuous supper was served. Mrs. Rainsford Wetmore and daughter, Miss Nellie, are here. Mrs. Wetmore will stay a few weeks and then proceed to London, Ont., to pass the remainder of the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Whitten. Miss Nellie will remain here for the winter the guest of her sister, Mrs. T. Carleton Allen. Prof. Chisholm, of Sackville, spent the holidays in Fredericton and vicinity. Dame Rumor says that Mr. Chisholm was here on a very pleasant mission. I have recently heard of a whole batch of engagements which have first been announced, one is that of a young medico recently arrived from Edinburgh, to one of Fredericton's fairest girls, but more anon. Mrs. Stirling, of Boston, is here visiting her mother Mrs. Thorne. Miss Margaret Bailey has returned from her transatlantic trip and is being warmly welcomed home again. Mrs. E. L. Wetmore, wife of Judge Wetmore, of Moosomin, N. W. T., is here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. Byron Winslow. She is accompanied by her daughter, Miss Mary Wetmore. Mrs. Godkin, Miss Winnie Godkin and Miss Katie Beckwith, have returned from their visit to Halifax. Miss Lillie Brown, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. S. Creed, returned to her home at Hampton on Monday. On Tuesday evening about twenty couples invaded the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Vavasour, it being the tenth anniversary of their wedding day. Dancing and games were indulged in till midnight when supper was served and at 2 a. m. a very pleasant party broke up, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Vavasour many happy returns of the day. Miss Florrie Poyry and Miss Nellie Wetmore have gone to St. John to attend the assembly ball which is to take place tomorrow night. Mrs. Chestnut went to St. John on Monday. Lieut. James E. Fraser, of the A. L. Cavalry, left on Thursday for Toronto to take a special course in the cavalry school there. Mr. and Mrs. Chs. Clark and son have returned from their trip to the United States. Friends are very sorry to hear that Mrs. John Black is again laid up with an attack of pneumonia. Mrs. Will Allen has had another relapse. HAMPTON VILLAGE. [Progress is for sale in Hampton Village, by Messrs. A. & W. HICKS.] JAN. 5.—Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Sharp, St. John spent Tuesday with Mrs. B. Smith. Mrs. R. G. Earle spent a few days with Mrs. Earle, Fredericton. Miss Ena Ritchie and Miss Mary Barnes are visiting friends in the city. The first carnival in the Freeze rink took place New Year's eve and a very enjoyable time was spent by all. Miss Lee and Miss L. Clarke were the winners of the ladies' prize. Messrs. J. P. Clarke and M. W. McShane captured the gentleman's prizes. Mrs. P. H. Warneford is visiting friends in Halifax. The scholars of the baptist sabbath school gave, Kris Kingle on Tuesday evening, which was very much enjoyed by the little ones. Miss Sprague, Miss Currie, and the Misses Earle St. John, are visiting Mrs. L. Taylor. Messrs. G. Flewelling, J. A. Lindsay, R. Cunningham, and J. P. Clarke left for Halifax, Tuesday. Mrs. Taylor and Mrs. Gass gave a very enjoyable party to about sixty friends on New Year's night; dancing was kept up till the wee small hours. Miss Young and Miss Catheline, of St. John, are visiting Mrs. R. G. Earle. Mrs. G. J. Harris and Miss Ina Harris are visiting Mrs. F. L. Gorham, South Berwick, Maine. Miss Bessie Peters, who has been visiting friends in St. Stephen, returned home last week. Mrs. Geo. Fraser, of Rothesay, is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Judge Wedderburn. Prof. Tweedie is spending his vacation with his parents here. Miss Donald, St. John, is visiting Miss Annie Dunn. Mr. and Mrs. F. Bourne entertained a number of friends to a pleasant time on Wednesday evening. JAN. 8.—Miss Bourne, St. John, spent a few days with Mrs. F. Bourne. Miss Mary Cowan, St. John, is visiting Miss Ritchie. Mrs. R. G. Flewelling and children are visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Hallett, Sussex. Miss Crawford, Studholm, is spending a few weeks with Mrs. E. Logan. The Curling rink was opened for skating on Monday evening and a pleasant time was enjoyed by a large number of skaters; on Monday evening the 14th a grand fancy dress carnival will be given. Much sympathy is felt for Mrs. Edward Seely and family, in the loss of their little child, which was burned to death on Sunday. A.

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