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The second subscription concert of the Orphens Club last week was a very delightful success. Mr. Porter has brought the club to a great degree of perfection. The Cantata "Praise Jehovah," in which Miss F. Lewis, Mrs. J. McD. Taylor, Mr. D. C. Gillis, and Mr. W. Shute, and the club with ladies Auxiliary took part was very beautiful and inspiring. Max Weils violin solo was beautiful and received rapturous applause, Miss Metzler's Ave Maria was a magnificent thing beautifully rendered and received a very enthusiastic encore. The Cantata "The Lord is King" is another beautiful production and in this Miss Lewis and Miss Taylor appeared as the soloists and held the audience spell-bound as the rich notes rolled forth. Too much cannot be said of the choruses. There are few cities were such splendid music can be produced, and Halifax should be proud of those who do the producing.

News of the death of Dr. Burns, late pastor of Fort Massey presbyterian church, was heard here with deep regret as the doctor and his family were popular with all classes. Mrs. Arthur Troop is a daughter of the deceased clergyman and will have the deep sympathy of a large circle of friends.

Miss Grace Harvey left last week on the Labrador for England.

Miss Nagle has gone to Toronto in company with Miss Rutherford who has been spending the past six weeks with Mrs. and Miss Nagle. Miss Rutherford's marriage to a western gentleman worth several millions takes place in the summer.

Mrs. and Miss Willy leave for England early in May.

Mrs. W. H. Troop who was to have had a tea on Monday of last week postponed it owing to the death of Dr. Burns.

Mrs. (Col.) Leach had a very pleasant tea Thursday of last week at which about one hundred guests were present. The rooms were beautifully arranged and the tea was excellent.

Death during the last week has shrouded another family in grief. Mr. Arthur Thompson left here in November in search of warm weather, after having passed through a very severe illness last summer. But unfortunately he did not regain his health, and died last week at Barbados, his brother, Mr. Walter Thompson, being with him at the time. To Mr. and Mrs. Thompson and their family all Halifax entends condolence in their great grief and sorrow.

Several walking parties have taken place lately and Mayflowers have been unsuccessfully looked for; but the parties have been gay ones nevertheless and the merry trampers had a pleasant time of it.

The fiend influenza has been laying his hands on many of our fellow citizens, flying on the wings of these pleasant breezes we have been enjoying lately no doubt. General and Mrs. Montgomery Moore and party have delayed their departure owing to the General's indisposition.

It is said that the summer is to bring us many yachts as several new ones are being built in Dartmouth as well as several importations from abroad. There are several who might almost be termed professionals in yachting among the ladies here, and among them might be mentioned Mrs. Fred Jones, Miss Story, Miss Buckley, Miss Dot Salter and a number of others all equally good at managing small crafts with skill and ability. The pretty American wife of one of the officers of the garrison is also a lady yachtsman, so perhaps the yacht club will insugurate some races with lady steerers. They would add to the attraction of the season.

Halifax, it is frequently averred by every one, is one of the most conservative cities on the continent. It has heretofore set its face resolutely against the bicycle, but the inevitable has come and this year every lady who can manage it will have a bicycle. In Young avenue, Halifax has its Battersea park, and I hear that when certain persons return a definite hour will be fixed for the fashionable folks to take their outing on the magnificen road lately put into shape.

Mr. A. M. K Doull returned lately from Bermuda by the Alpha and his friends are glad to know he has greatly improved in health.

WINDSOR.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Windsor at Knowles book store and by F. W. Dakin.]

APRIL 14 —Mr. Reid of the Commerical bank was in Windsor last week on his way from Truro to Parrsboro, where he goes to take charge of the branch lately opened in that place. Mr. Frank Soloan takes Mr. Reid's place in Truro office and before leaving Windsor he was given a supper and presented with a gold headed cane by the members of the bicycling club.

Mr. A. Milne Fraser of Halifax was in Windsor on Saturday.

Miss Paulin has returned from a short visit to Truro.

Miss Madeline Black has been spending a few days with friends in Hantsport.

Mr. Denuison was in Halifax last week.

Mr. Bonham was in Windsor on Sunday.

Mr. R. Esson of Halifax is at Fairfield for a few weeks.

The last meeting of the whist club for this season, took place at Mr. Paulin's on Thursday. A very pleasant evening was spent. This institution has been very much enjoyed by the members and has helped to make the winter evenings pass pleasantly. The meetings have taken place once a week and has been well attended.

The friends of Mrs. W. Curry and Mrs Forsyth who have been wintering in Jamaica and Bermuda respectively, are glad to learn that they may look for their return, probably by the next trip of the "Alpha."

Mrs. Clarence and Mrs. Norman Dimock will also likely be home from their continental trip early in May. So many of our largest and and pleasantest houses have been closed by the absence of these ladies that their return will be hailed with delight.

Owing no doubt in part to the backward and changeable weather, there is a great deal of sickness in town, quite a number of people being confined to the house. Notwithstanding this, however, the evangelistic meetings have been very largely attended. On Sunday evening the Methodist church (the largest in town) was filled to overflowing, a very pleasing feature of the meeting was the singing of a male sixtette composed of Messrs. Shand, Chisholm, McElhinney, Dimock, Curry, and Dakin. The meetings close this week.

Mr. Arthur Sutherland has been quite ill but is recovering.

Rev. J. S. Coffin and Mrs. Coffin of Aylesford are visiting friends in town.

The many friends here of Rev. I. and Mrs. Whithycomb are congratulating them on their removal from Weymouth to Carleton New Brunswick where Mr. Whithycomb has been appointed to a parish. Mrs. Whithycomb is a daughter of Mr. H. W. Dimock of the customs department

Every one is looking forward to the Kirmess and Delsarte entertainment to be given in Reform club hall next Monday evening by Miss Annie Cecil Jones and a number of the young ladies and gentlemen in town. As this is the first exhibition of the kind ever given here, expectations is high and I understand that no one is likely to be disappointed.

Miss Nora Shand has returned to Acadia Seminary Wolfville after spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Shand, Chestnunt street.

Miss Minnie Pratt of Wolfville and Miss Clarke of Starr's point, are visiting Mrs. George Wilcox.

Miss Anslow has returned from a visit to her friend Mrs. A. H. Johnston at Wolfville.

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YARMOUTH.

(FROM AN OCCASIONAL CORRESPONDENT.)

APRIL 11.—It is perhaps not generally known that Yarmouth gives the cleverest amateur performances in the lower provinces. I have happened now to see several of them, operatic and dramatic, and there is a finish to them which savors more of the professional than amateur stage. I wish the St. John people might have an opportunity of seeing and hearing the Yarmouth amateurs present the pretty and well known opera Chimes of Normandy which they gave here last Thursday and Friday under the leadership of Mr. J. D. Medcalfe. The costuming was correct and tasteful the male chorures were admirably given, while the ladies in their picturesque Normandy caps and dresses looked charming and acted with a naivete and a perfect ease which was really surprising. To the principals too much praise cannot be given. Serpolette, in the hands of Mrs. P. St. C. Hamilton was as finished a piece of acting as has ever been given in an amateur company in the provinces and indeed was in advance of the average professional performance. Her makeup and costumes were excellent and this lady not only has a pleasing mezzo-soprano voice, but sings every word with as clear articulation as though it was spoken. Miss J. T Gardner as little Germaine, gave a fine rendition of a role well suited to her, her splendid soprano voice showing to great advantage, while a pretty face and pleasing vivacious manner made the part very fetching. Miss Annie Peterkin was a most attractive Gertrude singing and acting with the greatest spirit throughout. Dr. W. O. Gray as Gaspard. was a surprise. It is a hard part in the hands of an experienced professional, but his impersonation was remarkable. There was the thin sallow faced, blear eyed old miser, with his penthouse eye-brows and sneering cruel scowl, his almost toothless mouth in very deed a "bad old man." His acting, in the chateau scene especially, was a wonderful piece of dramatic work. Mr. C. S. Pelton as "Grenicheux" was full of rollicking fun, while the old Baili, Mr. H. Jones, was a model pompous old man and Mr. R. G. Allison, as the Notary, made up as funny a little old man as one ever sees' Mr. W. H. Cann impersonated Henri, the Hero of the story' perhaps might have made a little more of his part in the way of acting, but his singing was indeed excellent. The orchestra was a strong one and well-trained. The chorus consisted of Misses Dora Tooker, Marion Murray, Laura Shreve, Dora Murray, Margaret Woodburn, Annie Peterkin, Alice Clements and Mrs. M. A. Shaw. Messrs. A. Eakins, J. H. Scott, Eugene Campbell, W. Lawson, R. Williams, F. Ross F. Ferguson, J. Baker, Geo Cain, E. H. Brown, H. Rogers and L. T. Porter.

Orchestra.—Violins, Miss G. Peterkin, Miss Alice Potter Cornet, W. Duncan; Trombone, F. Goudey; Clarinet, J. Woodruff; Bass, W. Spears; accompanist, Miss Eva Pelton. TRAVELLER

ANTIGONISH.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Antigonish at I. R. McIllreith & Co's book store.]

APRIL, 15 —Miss Allie Henry has gone to Sydney, C. B. She will be much missed in social circles.

Mr. J. A. McPherson is home from Boston. His many friends are glad to see him looking so well.

Mr. D. D. McCurdy returned from Sydney on Tuesday after having spent a very nice time as the guest of his aunt, Mrs J. F. Forbes.

There was a leap year skating party in the rink last Monday. The large crowd in attendance enjoyed themselves very much.

The first dance since lent was given by Mr. and Mrs Joe C. Chishclm, a their cosy residence on Main street. I did not know all who were there but they all seemed to enjoy the "hop" very much.

Miss Cassie McLean was ill for a few days but her many friends are glad to see her out again.

Mr. A. G. Forbes has returned from Cape Breton.

C. B. Whidden spent a few days in Halifax last week.

Miss Mary McCurdy has returned to her home in Baddeck after having spent a very pleasant time with friends in town.

I promised last week to give a full account of the singing in the cathedral on Sunday. I may say that it surpassed any previous occasions. Sister St. Leonidas presided at the organ, and was ably assisted by Mr. John Turnbull with the cornet. The singing was led by Professor Horrigan and the programme was as follows:

Processional, organ and cornet, Kyrie, Leonard, B; Gloria, Credo, Farmer, B; Ave Maria, tenor, Korman Mr. Bonner; Sanctus, Leonard, B; Benedictus Gounod; Angus Dei, Leonard; Vivia Leone, Gounod. Vespers, Domine, Dixit Dominus, Fiske; Confiteor, Beatus, Rosewig; Laudate Pueri, Fiske; Laudate Dominum, Rosewig; Regina Coeli, Lambilotte, Mrs. Bisset, Miss J. McDonald, Mr. Power and Mr. McGillivray; Magnificat, harmonized; O. Salutaris, basso solo, Mr. McGillivray; Tantum Ergo McDonough, soprano solo, and quartette, Mrs. Bisset, Mrs. Power, Miss M. McIsaac, Mr. Power and Mr. McGillivray; Laudate, Fiske; solo istis, soprano, Mrs. Bisset, Mrs. McGillivray, Mrs. Power, Miss McIsaac; tenors, Mr. McKinnon, Mr. Power, Mr. Bonner, bass, Mr. McGillivray, Mr. McPherson and Mr. R. McDonald; Mr Turnbull with cornet; Mrs. Bisset's singing was excellent also Mr. Bonner and Mr. Power. Miss M. J. McIsaac's alto voice was heard to great advantage, and was the first time she had sung alone and was well heard in all the alto parts. The younger members of the choir sang very nicely and deserve much credit. The sermon at mass in the morning was preached by Rev. D. McDonald of the college and was a very able effort.

I hear there is to be another surprise party soon.

I am glad to hear that Mrs. John McMillan is improving in health.

There was a highland musical entertainment in the hall on Thursday night.

Mrs. Brin, Miss Georgie and Mary McCurdy and Miss Mollie Gossip, were in Halifax spending Easter.

Mrs. C. B. Whidden went to Amherst to attend a family gathering at Easter.

Mrs. Harrington went to Truro lately to visit Mrs. King.

Mrs. Edgar Whidden's baby is recovering from pneumonia.

A great many of the young people are looking forward to lawn tennis this coming summer, and I hear that the married ladies are going to furnish lunch on the grounds once a week

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ANNAPOLIS ROYAL.

APRIL 14 —Mrs. G. E. Corbitt gave a large five o'clock tea last Wednesday. Among those present were Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. West, Mrs. Owen, Mrs. Arnaud, Mrs. Gillis, Mrs. Freeman, (Bridgewater), Mrs. Hall, Mrs. A. Harris, Mrs. F. W. Harris, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Leavitt, Mrs. Brittain, Mrs. Rudolf, Mrs. J. Harris, Mrs. deBlois, Mrs. Malcolm, Mrs. McCormick, Miss Savary, Miss Walcott and others.

Miss Savary has been visiting her brother Judge Savary.

Dr. Thompson arrived on Wednesday to spend a few days in town.

On Thursday evening, April 9th, the members of Mrs. Ervin's dancing class gave their closing dance in the academy of music. About eighty invitations were issued in Annapolis and Granville. Mrs. F. C. Whitman assisted Mrs. Ervin as chaperone and all who attended pronounced it a most delightful dance. Some very pretty dresses were worn by the young ladies but lack of space prevented me from describing them. The music was excellent the floor in excellent condition and it was a late hour that the dancers returned to their homes.

Mrs. Owen entertained the whist club on Friday evening, the prizes were won by Miss Nellie Robinson and Mr. A. D. Irvine.

Mr. K. D. Leavitt returned to Massachusetts on Saturday after spending several weeks with his parents.

Miss Jessie Stewart returned to her home in Digby on Saturday.

The concert given by the young ladies of the "Pickwick" club in aid of the masonic building fund was held on Monday evening and was certainly one of the best local entertainments ever given in this place. The most pleasing feature of the entertainment was an Empire drill by twelve of the club members led by Miss M. Leavitt and Miss Susie Cunningham. The young ladies wore Empire gowns of white with trimmings of pink and pale green ribbon and carried shepherdess' crooks also decorated with bows of ribbon. The dresses were very becoming, the effect being most graceful and the young ladies deserve great praise as does also Miss Robinson who was manager of the drill and in fact of the whole affair, Mrs. Malcolm's song, "Beauty's Eyes" was loudly encored as was also the duet in costume by Miss Lily Harris and Mr. Harry Hall. Recitations by Miss Robinson, Miss Jennie Mills, and Miss Gladys Robinson and the song in character "Little Alabama Coon" were much enjoyed. The last on the programme was a farce entitled "The Peake Sisters" acted by Miss Robinson and seven other young ladies. This included a comb chorus recitation and songs by all of the sisters a lecture by "Lucindy" Miss Susie Cunningham, a jews harp solo by 'Rosy", Miss Maggie Leavitt, a duet by the twins, Misses Maud Hall, and Carry Harris, a song by "Jerushy" Miss Jennie Mills, and other things which were equally amusing. There was a large audience present and quite a sum of money was realized.

Mrs. Bustin of Middleton is visiting Miss Jennie Mills.

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TRURO.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Truro by Mr. G. O. Fulton, and D. H. Smith & Co.]

APRIL 15—Miss Etta Page left last Friday for New York to visit her sister, Mrs. Dan O'Day, and to attend the marriage of her brother, Mr Lyman Page, which event comes off at Montclair, N. J. on the thirtieth inst.

In writing about the Ladies Mock Parliament last week, and trying to do justice to it too hurriedly, the idea was conveyed that a unanimity prevaded the whole "House" on the subject of "Suffrage" and "Enfranchisement." This is not so; for, while the Hon. Premier, Miss J. C. Smith, and many of her Honorable Colleagues are ardent partisans for womens' suffrage, The Hon. Speaker, Mrs. H. T Harding, the Hon. Attorney General, Miss Mai Dimock; the Hon. leader of the opposition, Miss A. T. McKay, are equally averse to the question, and all of its tenets,

Mr. C. E. Bently, who has been abroad visiting foreign markets, in the interests of his house, arrived home last night, per C. P. R.

The news of Miss Jennie Smith's death, which occurred in Canard, Kings Co., last Thursday was received here with very sincere regret, by her relatives and also by a large circle of friends, who loved and esteemed her, for her many very amiable qualities. The funeral services took place in St. Andrews' church on Friday afternoon. Rev. Mr. Cumming, was assisted in the service by Rev. Mr. Rogers from New Glasgow, whose short address was delivered feelingly and couched in words beautiful and touchingly sympathetic. The floral tributes from friends were beautiful and profuse.

Mrs. G. O Gates was "at home" last Thursday evening and entertained a select few of her friends to a rare musical treat in the following very choice programme:—violin solo, Miss Fider, Wolfville; piano duett, Freyschuiz Weber; Misses Jones and Fitch; song, Mona, M. Jarvis Bice; piano solos, A. Polonaise, Chapin b 2nd mazurka Godard, Mr. E. R. Stuart; song, Sweetheart, Miss King; The guests who afterwards were entertained with a delightful supper were Rev. Mr. Parker and Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Harding, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rice, Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Fulton, Mrs Flemming, Dr. and Mrs. Kent, Misses Jones and Fitch, Wolfville, Miss Clara King, Miss Harris, Miss Lena Fulton, Misses Jamieson, Dr. B. Black, Messrs. F. Schurman, R. Schurman, E. R. Stuart, Dr. Hall, G. A. Hall, V. Jameison. PEG.

MONCTON.

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April 15,—Quite a number of Moncton people attended the ball with which the formal opening of the Windsor hotel at Dorchester, was celebrated last Thursday evening. Amongst the Moncton contingent were Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Price, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Benedict, and Mrs. Newton Benedict of Washington, D. C., Dr. and Mrs. R. L. Botsford, Mr. and Mrs. George McSweeney, Dr. and Mrs. L. N. Bourque, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Holstead, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Givan, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Givan. Mr. and Mrs. J J. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. C. E Taylor, Miss Peters, and Miss Greta Peters, the Misses McSweeney, Mrs. T. V. and Miss Cooke Miss Price, Miss Hanington, Mr. J. McD. Cooke, Mr. R. A. Borden, Mr. James Geary, Dr. Myers, Mr. S. W. Palmer, Mr. F. J. Sweeney, Mr. George Robertson, Mr. T. C Toole, Mr. A. E. Wilkinson, Mr. W. D Forster, Judge Wells, and Prof J. Harry Watts.

Mr. James Sayre who has been spending the past two months visiting relatives in St. Stephen Woodstock and Fredericton, returned home last week.

Mrs. W. B Deacon of Shediac, is spending a week or two in town the guest of Mrs. J. H. Rogers of Pleasant street.

Miss Lyons of Halifax, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John M. Lyons of Highfield street.

Mrs. I. L. Miller, who has been spending some weeks visiting friends in Halifax, returned home on Thursday.

A very serious accident took place on Main street last Saturday afternoon, by which one of Moncton's oldest residents, Mr. William Wortman very nearly lost his life, escaping with serious injuries. Mr. E W. Givan's horse, which had been left standing in front of his residence on King street for a few minutes, became alarmed at the furious racing of some boys on horseback, and dashed wildly down Main street, taking the sidewalk for a part of the way. As it was the busiest time of the day, and the streets were crowded, the result can be better imagined than described, pedestrians fled in every direction, and there were some terribly narrow escapes for ladies and children. Mr. Wortman was the only victim however, being knocked down just as he was endeavoring to get out of the terrified animal's way, and both wheels of the carriage passing over his body, with the result of breaking his left leg just below the hip, and cutting his head severely over the eye. Mr. Wortman was removed to his home on Steadman street, and given every care, by Drs. J. D. Ross and F. A. McCully, but as he is over 80 years of age, it is impossible to say what may be the outcome of so serious an injury.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crosskade who have been so seriously ill with grippe, are recovering slowly.

Mr. John M Lyons, general passenger agent of the I. C. R., returned on Monday from a trip to Ottawa.

Miss Whitney, who is a student at the Girl's School at Rothesay, is spending the Easter holidays at her home in Moncton.

Mr. Richard S. Hockin, accountant of the Dominion cotton mill, left town on Friday night for his former home at Chatham, whither he was called by the death of his father Mr. Richard Hockin. Mr. Hockin will be absent for two or three weeks.

Mrs. L. Archibald of Antigonish, is visiting her sister Mrs. P. S. Archibald of Main street.

Mrs. Sayre, widow of the late Dr. Sayre, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Y. Clarke for the past month, returned to her home in Nova Scotia this morning.

Miss Archibald who was obliged to leave the Halifax Ladies College at Christmas, on account of her health returned to Halifax on Monday to resume her studies

Mr. H. B. Fleming who has been confined to the house for the past week, with an attack of grippe is able to be out again.

The members of St. George's Guild, gave a tea in the W. C. T. U coffee rooms last evening and as is usual with all the Guild entertainments, it was a very great success, the tables being filled with a constant succession of customers from half past five until seven o'clock. In the evening an entertainment was given in the hall above the coffee rooms, the excellence of which was very far in excess of the ridiculously small admission fee. Solos were given by Mrs. George W. Daniel, Mrs. Hickson, Mrs. Benedict, Mrs. Evans and Mr. Temple of Halifax. The Moncton Male Quartette consisting of Messrs. Wetmore, Daniel, Sea, and Tingley delighted the audience with some of their best selections. Mrs. Weeks and Mr. Powell gave readings. And all contributed to make the entertainment a very pleasant one. The funds were in aid of the new Sunday school house, for which the ladies are working very hard.

WOODSTOCK.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Woodstock by Mrs. Loan & Co.]

APRIL, 15.—The entertainment given by the boys brigade in Graham's opera house on Thursday the 9th was highly successful. The programme was a very varied one consisting of a physical and manual drill, tableau, singing, addresses by different clergymen and the presentation of the flag. The boys went through their drill in good style performing their various movements with military precision. The hall was artistically decorated with flags and banners, Rev. C. T. Phillips gave an interesting address on "the flag of old England." Rev. J. H. McDonald gave an address on "the boys brigade." The choruses rule Brittania, and "The Red, White, and Blue, were sung in an enthusiastic manner. The presentation of a beautiful flag, Union Jack, was made by Miss Jennie Baird a la militaire, and received in the military mode. The flag was imported and presented by several Woodstock gentlemen to the brigade. Miss Munro sang "the march of the Cameron men," in a charming manner, and music from an orchestra was well received.

The tea and sale held by the "Woman's Aid" society of St. Luke's on Wednesday last was well attended. The tea tables were prettily decorated with flowers and lavishly supplied with all the delicacies of the season. The refreshment table, fancy work table, and candy table were also attractively laden. The tables were in charge of Mrs. Neales, Mrs. Wm. Connell, Mrs. Hugh Davis, Mrs. C. D. Jordan, Mrs. Gabels, Mrs. Ingraham, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Hubert Seely, Mrs. W. B. Belyea, Mrs. Tapley, Mrs. Bourne, assisted by the Misses M. Parsons, H. Connell, L. Jordan, C. Smith, E. Griffith, E. Jordan, H. Bourne, N. Beardsley, A. Bull, N. Bull, N. Montgomery, Mt. Dobbiee, D. Griffith.

Mrs. A. B. Bull gave a very pleasant "drive whist" party on Friday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Grace Winslow of Fredericton. The evening was spent at whist resulting in a tie score, for ladies' first prize, between Miss May Clark and Miss Helen Jordan. The prize a very pretty photo frame fell to Miss Jordan. Mr. Burton Bedell won the gentlemens' first, a pack of cards. The consolation prizes, a photo frame and 'Brownie' fell to Miss Hilda Bourne and Mr. Stead respectively. Dainty refreshments were served about eleven o'clock. The young ladies looked very pretty in their bright silk waists of various becoming shades with dark skirts. Those present were the Misses Bull, Miss Winslow, Miss Neales, Miss Carman, Miss Duncan, Miss Vanwart, Miss Jordan, Miss Hilda Bourne, Miss E. Griffith, Miss Lily Jordan, Miss May Clark, Miss Cora Smith, Miss Blanche Dibblee, Messrs F. Lawlor, H. Dibblee, G. Stead, B. Bedell, A. Garden, LeB. Dibblee, P. Graham, F. S. Wilbur, A. Bedell, Andover; W. C. Everitt, M. Davis, G. H. Harrison.

Archdeacon Neales left Monday for Newport, R., where he will visit his daughter, Mrs Baker.

Mrs. Stephen Smith and Mr. R. E. Guy Smith returned from Montreal last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Jones returned from Fredericton Tuesday.

Mr. George Clarke of Fredericton spent Sunday in Woodstock. ELAINE.

SALMON CREEK.

APRIL 10.—Miss Lizzie Harper has arrived home from Sussex.

Mrs. Henry Porter is quite ill.

Mr. Arthur Fiddler who has been for some years in Montana, has arrived home again.

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Baird are rejoicing over the arrival of a young son.

Mrs. Margaret Richardson died recently. Her remains were interred in the family burying ground she will be missed very much.

Miss Lizzie Porter is spending a short vacation at home.

Miss Ida McNeil has again taken charge of the school at Seventh road.

The people of the village of Chipman purpose building a new presbyterian church it is thought that a nice building can be erected for the sum of 25 hundred dollars.

There was a quiet wedding at the manse, Miss D. Chase and St Clare Fraser being the contracting parties. The young people have the very best wishes of the community.

John R. Dunn of St. John arrived in Chipman this week to attend the funeral of his aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dunn of Weldford and Mr. and Mrs. Wood Barker of Sheffield also were here.

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For the year ending December 31, 1895.

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Liabilities.....194,347,157 58

Surplus.....$26,866,563,75
Total income.....$48,597,430,51

This is about $10,000,000 00 more than the annual revenue of the Dominion of Canada.

Total paid policy-holders in 1895 $23,126,728 45
Insurance and annuities in force $899,074,453 78
Net gain in 1895.....$61,647,645 36

NOTE—Insurance merely written is discarded from this statement as wholly misleading, and only insurance actually issued and paid for in cash is included.

Paid to policy holders since organization.....$411,567,625 79

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