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A couple of small dinners and some very cheery teas have taken place during last week. On Wednesday Mrs. Farrell gave a very pleasant tea at which several ladies sang very charmingly and on Thursday a larger one was given by a well known hostess, which was very successful.

On Thursday night the Orpheus hall was well filled by people essembled for the double purpose o helping along charity and getting a little amuse; ment. The concert, managed by Mrs. Weatherbee was for the benefit of a church in the country and the programme was an excellent one. A very successful teature of the affair was Mrs. Lenowen's charmingly told story; Mrs. Longe sang very sweetly and wore a very pretty combination of grey and white; Mrs. Tobin sang very nicely but declined to respond to an ercore; Miss Oliver in a lovely gown of pale blue and yellow, sang her nnmber in a manner that called forth the bright praise, while Miss Gladys Tremaine looked sweetly charm. i g and graceful in a pretty heliotrope dress as she played her violin solo in an excellent manner. Herr Walther delighted the audience with a love song charmingly rendered and for an enthusiastic encore gave the old but ever delightful "Swance River." The dance by the children was especially pretty, and gracefully done, Master Trevis Smith and little Miss Smith acquitting themselves in a highly artistic manner, in fact every number, was excellent. After the concert there were a number ot small suppers, one at "Bellevue" and another at the Halifax.

Mrs. Fred Jones left for Toronto on Tuesday where she intends making a short visit.

Mrs. F. M. Cotton leaves for New York this week where she intends visiting friends. The bachelors of Hillside hall give a dance on

Wednesday evening next. Cards are out for a young people's dance at Mrs.

William Bauld's, 4 Pleasant street, on Friday even ing the 14th.

Mrs. J. C. Mahon's "at home" Friday afternoon was largely attended.

Mrs. W. H. Wiswell gave a very pleasant "at home" on Thursday afternoon at her residence, 141 South street; which was fellowed by a small dance in the evening given for the dancing class.

Mrs. George A. Pyke has cards out for a large at home at her residence, 105 Pleasant street, on Thursday of next week from 4.30 to 6.30.

Next week there is to be a dance g.ven at Hillside hall, the third or fourth, which has taken place at that popular place. These dances have always been well done and most successful, and next week's will probably be no exception to the rule. The large dining room will of course be used for dancing, and a great deal of the house will be thrown open, so that there will be plenty of sitting out room, and people will not be obliged to take to sitting on the stairs.

The afternoons last week were taken up with skating principally. If everyone had not been so busy at the rink, there would ro doubt been a number of toboggan parties, as the tobogganing has been very good. A toboggan party was to have taken place on the Arm on last Wednesday, but had to be given up, on account of the practice at the

Every afternoon, private afternoons not excepted the rink has presented qutte a busy scene. Practice has been going on steadily for the minuet, besides other things. Every day has been quite a "gala day," as it were. Monday afternoon Mrs. Fred Jones provided tea for the skaters, before the minuet practice began, and on Wednesday afternoon, also, some one kindly provided tea for the

A revolution seems to have set in as far as skat ing is concerned; and everyone is practicing "hilies" and "roses" and figure skating generally. So that the more modest skaters, whose sole aim at present is to preserve the equilibrium, and remain steadily on their feet, have to retire discreetly into corners and out of the way places-if they value their lives. If one attempts even an unpretending little waltz, as a sort of relaxation from the "corner" business, one suddenly finds oneself in the very centre of a "lily" or "rose," and the only thing to do is to make as graceful and precipitous a retreat as possible under the circumstances.

The minuet is being practiced very hard at the rink, and the dancers selected from the very best skaters, as usual, have introduced some new and intricate figures into it.

The following is a list, incomplete, I am afraid, of those dancing: Mr. Thompson and Mrs. Jones, Mr. Guy Mott and Miss Nagle, Mr. Guy Stayner and Miss Lawson, Capt. Kent and Miss Story, Mr. Beale and Miss Graham, Surgeon-Major Hall and Mrs. Gordon Andrews, Mr. Lyde and Miss Albro, Mr. Hole and Miss Stayner, Mr. Tremaine and Miss Cady, Mr. Humphrey and Miss Stokes, Mr Alexander and Miss Wylde, Capt. Creighton, Mr. Odeviane, Mr. Ansel, Mr. Forbes and several others. Thirty-two couple in all, so I have been in formed. Among other features of the carnival, Capt. Kent has arranged a sixteen rose, also a special set of lancers-so there can be no lack of

attraction. Miss McPherson daughter of Mayor McPherson gave a dance to her young friends at her residence, 26 Campbell Road, last week. There was a large attendance, and the hours passed all too quickly for those who were fortunate enough to be present.

also h d a pleasant "at home," which was very On Monday the Hon. Mrs. Montgomery-Moore had quite a large tea at Bellevue, and I heard of a

Friday atternoon, Mrs.'J C. Mahon, Hollis street,

large party being entertained at dinner on Thursday evening by the same hostess. General and Mrs. Montgomery-Moore took quite a large party to the concert in the Orpheus hall in

Hon. Capt. Colborne, Hon. Florence Colborne, and Miss Eyre Mitchell returned to Bellevue from Queb c on Wednesday afternoon, after spending a

most enjoyable time taking in the carnival. ANTIGONISH.

[Progress is for sale in Antigonish at I. R. Mc Illreith & Co's book store.]

FEB. 11 .- Angus McAdam spent a few days in adopted home and hope to hear of his rapid recovery Mr. and Mrs. Henry O'Leary entertained a few friends on Tuesday evening in honor of Madame Poirier of Shediac, who is Mrs. McMervey's guest. Mr. John Short of St. John, is in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Short. town visiting his old friends, who were glad to see Miss McCurdy of Baddeck is

uncle's, Mr. H. H. McCurdy. Miss Sinclair who was vis ting her many friends in town has returned to her home at Lochaber. Herbert Walker who was spending a few weeks

here with his parents returned on Wednesday to to be a pleasant one. Boston accompanied by his two sisters. Mrs. George and Miss Thompson of Halifax, who

have returned home. ading the funeral of the late Nisbett J. A. Walker and his family are going to remove to the States in a short time, They will be much

missed as they are very popular in social circles J. A. Fraser, Ex M. P. of New Glasgow spen some time in town last week while enroute to Goldensville, his former home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Whidden gave a party to select number of their friends, in honor of Mr. and



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the Misses Walker, on the eve of their departure

for the States.
Mr. and Mrs. Hale had a party recently at the

"Merimac House," a snow-shoe tramp was part of

the entertainment which was greatly enjoyed, Mr.

Mrs. Borden of Pugwash who was the guest of her mother, Mr. Archibald and sister, Mrs. W. D.

RICHIBUCTO.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Richibucto by Theedore P. Graham.]

Feb. 12,-Quite a number from here went to

Kingston to attend the performance given by the

R. A. D. club last Friday night in their new hall.

The company were kindly received by the hall com-

Mr. John T. Caie received word on Friday last

that his son Mr. W. S. W. Caie of Livermore Falls,

Me., had in some accidental way broken his left leg

in two place below the knce. Mr. Caie's many

friends trust he may be kindly cared for in his

Invitations are out for a dance in the Kingston hall on Friday night given by the lacies of that town.

Many from here will accept and the affair promises

Snowshoeing parties are in order this week, many

pleasant ones are anticipated when the moonlight

mights come again.

Miss White of Kingston, spent last week and part of this in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm.

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FEB. 11.-Quite a number of our young people attended a dancing party given at the elegant residence of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Steward, Bathurst, last evening. The party was chaperoned by Mrs. C. A. Kennedy and Mrs. W. A. Mott. Some of those present were: Mrs. Lingley and Misses Jellot Gunn, Johnson, Stewart, Mame Barbarie, Winnie Barbarie, Gertrude Jardine, Lizzie Henderson Essie Mersereau, Sadie and Lou Sowerby, Minnie Henderson, Amy Price and Messrs. Kennedy, Mott Lingley, Stewart, Fraser, Johnson, Matheson, Patterson, McDevitt, Wathan, Inglis, McKenzie, Blackhall and C. Stewart

Music was furnished by McEachern's orchestra of Chatham. This was one of the most enjoyable events of the season.

The ladies looked exceptionally nice-below are few of the costumes: Mrs. Kennedy, black brocaded satin diamond

Mrs. Mott, drab silk, chiff on.

Mrs. Lingley looked well in black and scarlet shot friend: in town.

Miss Robinsen is in Halifax.

Miss Jellot, cream with pink sash. Miss Gunn, pale blue nunsveiling.

Miss Johnson, cream cashmere combined with

Miss Stewart, cream dress, lace. Mame Barbarie, black velvet.

Minnie Barbarie, pale blue with white chiffon. Gertrude Jardine, buttercup silk with chiffon and

Lizzie Henderson, black and yellow silk. Estie Mersereau, pale blue with velvet. Miss Sowerby looked well in navy velvet and yel-

Lou Sowerby, cream and scarlet. Minnie Henderson, whit dress.

Amy Price a pretty dress of white crepon and emon chiffon.

Miss Johnson was considered the belle of the Campbellton girls and Miss Adams of the Bathurst Mr. and Mrs. David Richards entertained a few

riends at "Frogmore" the other evening. A most enjoyable time was spent by those who were lucky enough to be favored. Rev. Mr. Brown has returned from a short visit

to friends in Petitecdiac. Mrs. Mott and Mrs. Lingley returned Saturday night from Bathurst.

Mr. Guy Veits has gone to his home in Digby N.

S. for his vacation. Messrs. Jellot ani Gunn are having a snow-shoe

party to Cross Point this evening. The Free Masons have issued invitations for an At Home on Thursday night. Miss Lou Sowerby of Oak Bay who has been spending a few days with Miss Amy Price returned

There i, to be a carnival in the Curler's rink Saturday night, and one in the round rink, ash Wednes-Miss Bessie Stewart is staying in town for a few days the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Mott. Pete.

PARRSBORO.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Parrsboro Book Store.] FEB. 12 .- A quiet wedding took place at Port Greville on Wednesday evening when Miss Carrie Hatfiield was united to Mr. Girvin Elderkin. Valuable presents were received from relatives and friends. Mr. Elderkin has only lately returned home after spending eight years in the Western

Mr. James Gavin and his bride, nee Benoit, srrived from Boston on Friday and are visiting their relatives. They were sernaded by the band on the evening of their arrival. Mrs. Price entertained a party of little folks on

Friday evening in honor of her son Tillie's birthday. Although it was known that Mrs. D. R. Eaton was ill her death yesterday morning, was unexpected. Her daughter Mrs. Muir is very ill of the same disease, pneumonia

Capt. Dix of New York was the guest last week of Mr. Fred Eaton. The literary club had a pleasant evening last

evening at Mrs. Gibbons. Rev. S. Gibbons is away for the present, his

place being taken last Sunday by Rev. Mr. Dowing of River John Dr. Townsheng went to Halifax to attend the banquet on Thursday evening.

Miss Henderson and Messrs. I. and T. Henderson have returned from New Brunswick where they were summoned by the death of their mother. Dr. Foster Eaton and Mr. Percy Eaton arrived

HILLSBORO.

FEB. 12.-Miss Mable Gross who has been quite seriously ill with diphtheria is able to be out again. Mrs. Ruddick of St. Martins paid a short visit to her relatives here quite recently.

Miss Estella Steeves, of Moncton has been visit-

ing Mrs. G. D. Steeves the past week. She returns Mrs. W. R. Racey of Halifax who has been visiting Mrs. Osman, left for her home on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Osman and Mrs. Cranford started for New York Friday morning, after a short stay there they will journey south as far as Thomasville, Georgia, where they purpose spending the remainder of the winter. Mrs. Annie Beatty has gone to Moncton to live.

Her friends here will miss her. Miss Nettie Currey is going to Petitcodiac this week to visit her sister Mrs. Brown.

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WINDSOR.

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FEB. 11. - Snow shoe parties seem still to be the order of the day or rather evening in this small town. A large and very pleasant one was given last Tuesday evening by Mrs. George Wilcox. After a couple of hours' tramp the party returned to the house to supper. Those invited were: Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Shaw, Miss Woodworth, Miss S. Blanchard, Miss Janie Curry, Miss Willets, Miss Paulin, the Misses Ouseley, Miss Lawson, Miss Morris, Miss D. Smith, the Misses Black, the Misses Shand. Miss Locke, the Misses McCullum, Miss Georgie Wilson, Miss Gossip, the Misses Bowman, Miss Bossanco and Messrs. Ouseley, W. Morris, Lawson, C. Locke, DeMille, Cumming, Foster, Khadder, Bowman, Kaulbuch, Synds, Dennison, Webster, I Dimock, Leslie, Armstrong, Spencer and Suther

On Wednesday evening Mrs. O'Brien gave a small dance to about twenty of her young friends. This was a pleasant change from the numerous out door festivities which have been indulged in of late and was much enjoyed.

On Thursday Miss Gossip and Miss McCullum organized a rink party and after skating part of the evening to the music of the 78th. tand the guests proceeded to the home of Dr. and Mrs. Gossip, where supper was served and dancing enjoyed by the young people. Among those present were: Dr. and Mrs. Ryan, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wilcox, the Misses Pratt, Miss G. Wilson, Miss S. Blanchard, Miss McCullum, the Misses Black, Miss Morris, Miss Curry, the Misses L. and D. Smith, Miss Pearl Haley, the Misses Ouseley, Mi s Hollies (Dartmouth) Miss Bossanco, the Misses Shand, Miss A. Lawson, Miss Paulin, Miss Locke, and Messrs. Cochrane, Dennison, Webster Sangster, Rosier, Morris, A. Armstrong, P. S. Dimock, F. Ouseley A. Lawson, Sutherland, O. Smith, Synds, A. Blan' chard, Tremaine, Foster, Cumming, Geo. McCul lum, E. Spencer and Longard.

The "Avonian bicycle club" have their annual sleigh drive this evening. A pleasant time is an ticipated as the weather is not too cold and sleigh-

Dr. and Mrs. Black had a small driving party one day last week. The whist club met last Tuesday at Father Ken

nedy's, a very pleasant evening was spent. Miss Maysie Curry's friends are pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent severe illness. Mr. Simpson of Wilmington, Pennsylvania is in town the guest of his father-in-law Sheriff Curry. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson are to be congratulated upon the arrival of a daughter which event occurred at Curry's corner on Tuesday last.

Mrs. Geo. Geldert and children are spending a few weeks in Berwick with Mrs. Geldert's parents. Mr. Geldert spent a day or two with them last week. Mrs. F. F. Sherman of Newport. R. I. and her little son, Grant are the guests of Hon. M. H.

Goudge.
Miss Morris is visiting her brother, Captain D. H.

Miss Minnie Pratt has been spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. G. Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Tobin of Hant port were in town Mrs. F. Shand and children have been in Halifax for a few days.

Miss Churchill of Hantsport has been visiting

Mr S. G. Black of Halifax was in town last week. D. B. Smith of the W. W. mounted police, who has been visiting his father, Mr T. B. Smith returned on Tuesday to rejoin the forces at Battleford. Miss Everyn Smith is bome from Aylsford, where she has been attending school.

Mr. I. B. Moxon of Dorche ter, Mass. is visiting

his niece Mrs. Bradshaw. AMHERST.

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Feb. 12.-The large dance given on Tuesday evening at Cherry Row residence of Mr. and Mrs C. R. Smith, will rank among the first of such events that has taken place this season. The music was capitally rendered by the orchestra of the A. M. B. so it goes without saying that the dancing was fully enjoyed. The large and inviting parlors were devoted to dancing and many very cozy sitting out places were found in the upper and lower halls. Ices were dispensed during the evening and an excellent supper which was relished in a most

complimentary manner was served at twelve o'clock. Mine host who never leaves anything to the imag ination by way of entertaining, nobly assisted the hostess with the many details that made the evening one of greatest enjoyment for their guests. Mrs. Smith wore a gown of black silk, with garniture of primrose yellow silk and black lace which was both pretty and becoming, and was assisted in receiving by Miss Robinson in a dress of brown and cream. Some very pretty dresses were worn by h e young ladies.

Miss Purdy wore pink silk, trimmed with pink velvet and cream lace.

Miss Ella Hillson wore a very pretty dress of pink cashmere with cream lace and ribbon. Miss Lowerison wore heliotrope silk dantily

trimmed with violets. Miss Maggie Purdy wore cream mull.

Miss Brown was in heliotrope silk with trimmings Miss Munro's dress of pale blue crepon with blue ribbon and lace was very pretty.

Miss Palmer of Dorchester wore green and cream Miss Helen Pipes wore a pretty dress of mauve

Miss Maude Tighe a very becoming dress of

green and cream cloth trimmed with lace. Miss Aggie Munro wore pink crepon trimmed with lace and ribbon.

Miss Grace Clarke's dress of pale blue and black satin was very much admired.



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Miss McFarlane wore black and orange. Miss Harris wore green silk, trimmed with cream

Miss Annie Mitchell was daintly attired in pink

The gentlemen were Mr. J. T. Smith, Mr. Chas Purdy, Mr. Wylde, Mr. F. S. B. Moore, Mr. C. Benidict, Mr. N. W. Murray, Mr. T. S. Sayre, Mr. Geo. Munro, Mr. J. R. Douglas, Mr. Hupter, Mr. Simpson, Dr. C. A. McQueen, Dr. F. G. Halland,

Dr. McAelly. Mr. H. A. Hillcoat spent Sunday in Moncton with his mother, Mrs. McManus. Mr. W. H. Robinson spent Sunday with fiends

in St. John. Mrs. C. S. Cameron and children have returned

from a visit to Halifax. Miss Ethel Lowerison spent the first of the week with her sister, Mrs. H. Fawcett in Sackville. Mrs. Macdonald who has been visiting her daughter Mrs. A. O. Taylor. Havelock street, returned

to her home in Halifax on Monday. Miss Ella Hillson accompanied Sir Cha les and Lady Tupper as far as St. John on Friday and re turned home on Monday.

Miss Flo Palmer of Dorchester is visiting her friend Miss Pipes, Victoria street. Mr. L. H. Weaton of Yarmouth was the guest of his aunt Mrs. C. T. Hilson over Sunday.

A very enjoyable sociable was given by the Ep worth League to the members of the methodist church in their basement on last Tuesday evening. The children's carnival at the Aberdeen rink last Wednesday evening was quite a success, over one hundred children were on the ice, and their bright ostumes and still brighter faces made a very pleasing picture.

Miss Nina Cove is visiting friends in Truro. Miss Myra Black has gone on a short trip to Hal-

The practices for the cantata David the Shepherd Boy, are being well attended and no pains will be spared to make it an excellent amateur perform-

Miss Helen Pipes entertained a number of her oung friends on Monday evening for her guest Miss Palmer of Dorchester. The other guests were the Misses Purdy, Miss Maude Tighe, Miss Sleep, Miss Nellie Chapman, Miss Main, Miss Gwen Main, Miss Sutcliffes, Mr. J. H. Douglas, Mr. Moore, Mr. Wylde, Mr. J. R. Douglas, Mr. Jack Curry, Mr. Hal Main, Mr. Benidict and Mr. Hunter.

The death of Mary Mariha Steele, known to her triends in Amberst by the name of Miss Patty Steele

friends in Amherst by the name of Miss Patty Steele occurred on Monday morning at the residence of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Steele. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock at the baptist church. The large church was filled with numerous friends and acquaintances who sympathize most deeply and sincerely with Dr. and Mrs. steele and family in their great sorrow and be-reavement. The interment took place in the High-land cemetery. The pall-bearers were Mr. E. M. Lockwood, Mr. Blair McLaughlin, Mr. Harry Pride, Chas. Holmes, O. S. Moffat, and Steve

Mr. Warren Steele came home from Lynn on Tuesday, and Mr. Daye Steele from St. Louis, to attend their sister's funeral.

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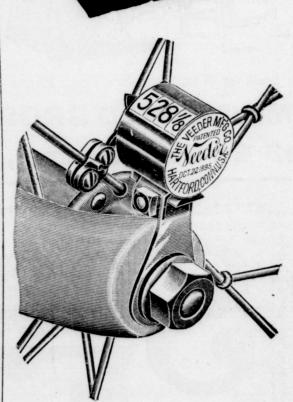
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