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Mrs. Bonbee who has been staying with Col. and Mrs. Stewart leaves for England this week.

Surg-Major Lees-Jall has received orders to leave by next mail. His successor has already been at this station and was very popular.

The Buzzard was the first man of war to arrive. I was summoned to see the blue jackets, though no doubt they heartily wished it were summer.

Halifax society will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. Reginald White which occurred suddenly in England on Thursday last week.

Ever since her marriage she has been in delicate health and has caused her family much anxiety. Mrs. White's new born baby died also.

The deceased was a daughter of the late Captain Sinclair and a sister of Mrs. F. J. Tremaine and Dr. Sinclair to whom much sympathy is extended.

The marriage of Miss Kate Kenny and Mr. Bridson, R. N. took place last week at the Langham hotel in London, and was attended by Mrs. and Miss Daly, Admiral and Mrs. Farr, Captain and Mrs. Primrose, Colonel and Mrs. Will and many of the brides friends and relatives at present in England.

Many cables of congratulation were sent to Mr. and Mrs. Bridson on the morning of their marriage. Mrs. Will and her children are expected to accompany Mrs. Kenny back to Halifax to spend the summer at Thorndale.

Mr. and Mrs. Tucker of the Grove are about to leave Halifax and will be very much missed by their many friends. I believe a testimonial is on foot among her many friends to present Mrs. Tucker with a token of their regard for her.

Mrs. Tucker will be much missed especially in St. Lukes parish where she was always foremost in good works and in whom the poor always found a ready helper.

Mrs. and Miss Tucker will go on a visit to a married daughter before proceeding to Bermuda.

The recital at the conservatory of music on Friday evening was as usual well attended. The programme was most creditable performed by the persons whose names appeared on it.

Miss Beatrice Walden doing especially fine work in her violin solos. Miss Wabel Bostford of Connecticut and Miss Annie McDonald of Prince Edward Island, two of the conservatory most promising pupils also merit special mention and Master Max Fyvie is also to be congratulated on his attainments.

These recitals serve to give confidence to the youthful performers and demonstrate to their friends the conservatory progress being made by the pupils of the conservatory.

I am informed that the Crescent will not be here till the first of June and also that Mrs. Erskine is going to England and will spend very little time in Halifax.

Mrs. M. R. Morrow returns this week from Bermuda very much improved in health. Mrs. Arthur Nagle who has been wintering in Jamaica also returns this week.

ANTAGONISH.

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MAY 7.—Society has been very dull here for some time, the ladies, and gentlemen too, have been very busy engaged at house cleaning, quite a number are having their houses painted and their walls papered. There has been delightful weather since May came in and every one seems to take advantage of the beautiful days for enjoyment, except the ones who are too much engaged at their business, and even those seem to have a more cheerful appearance than when the days were dull and cold.

Quite a number of new cottages are going up this summer. Mr. Fred Trotter is building a snug cottage near his present home and it is rumored can be depended on their will be a happy bond of union between a well known young man and a Halifax lady. The many friends of both parties are anxious that such should be the case, as the groom is one of the most popular young men in town and the bride who is considered a very fine young lady would be quite an addition to social circles.

The many friends of Dr. A. J. Chisholm will be very sorry to hear of his very serious illness, he has been quite delicate for some time but is now so entangled that he will come through under the skillful treatment of Dr. Huntly.

Dr. Cameron's little boy has been laid up with diphtheria and it is very doubtful if he will pull through. The family have the heartfelt sympathy of a host of friends in their sad trouble.

Death has been visiting our town and on Sunday one of the fairest of our young ladies was called away in the person of Miss Minnie Chisholm daughter of Mr. Roderick Chisholm, St. Ninian street.

The funeral on Monday was one of the largest ever seen here, showing the esteem in which she was held. The father, sisters and brothers have the sympathy of a host of friends in their sad loss.

The band concert was a grand success. The hall was packed and everybody enjoyed themselves very much. Among those who took part were: Miss Newcomb, Miss Gospi, Miss Grant, Miss Kirk, Miss May Jocelyn and little Miss McIntosh, Messrs McCarrroll, Turnbull, Chisholm, Powell, McNeil and Taylor. The band is getting along very nicely under the leadership of Bandmaster Henderson who comes here regularly from Pictou.

Miss Laha G abam of Halifax is visiting her cousin Mrs. Ernest Gregory.

Mr. Bernice went to St. John last week and intends returning on Friday with his family, they are to reside in W. H. McPhie's house on Pleasant street.

Miss Fixott of Arichat, C. B., and Miss Andrews of the same place are the guests of Mrs. Harry Brine.

Mrs. D. G. Kirk will live at her home in Boylston, and Mr. Kirk will board in town for the summer as they have sold all their household effects.

Mr. Thomas McKee of Melrose was in town on Tuesday. Councilor Sinclair of Gosben spent a day or so here this week.

Mr. Otto Swast, who has been attending business college in Halifax is home.

John Blanchard has gone to Cape Breton in the interest of the firm of McCurdy & Co.

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WINDSOR. [PROGRESS is for sale in Windsor at Knowles' book store and by F. W. Dakin.] MAY 5.—A pleasant change from the social quiet which has reigned here of late and one which was hailed with delight by the young people was the dance given by Miss Madeline Black on Thursday last week.

Mr. John Naylor of Halifax spent Sunday in town. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Redden and son and Mr. A. Keith were in Windsor over Sunday the guests of Mr. John Keith, Park street.

Mr. F. W. Dimock returned this evening from a fortnight's visit to New York. Mr. J. S. Johnson has moved to Truro where he lived before coming to Windsor.

AMHERST. [PROGRESS is for sale at Amherst by H. V. P.] AMHERST May 6.—The birthday party given by Epworth League in the basement of the Methodist church last Tuesday evening was a great success both socially and financially.

SPRINGHILL. [PROGRESS is for sale in Springhill at David A. Fraser's.] MAY 5.—A very interesting event occurred in Springhill on April 28th, the occasion being the marriage of Mr. J. Hargreaves son of Manager Hargreaves to Maud daughter of Mr. J. Jowkes.

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