

Mrs. J. A. Richard and Miss Bessie Balmer Greenwich spent last week with city friends. Miss Grace Fowler has returned to Greenwich

after a visit of several weeks here. Mr. R. Barry Smith and Miss Smith of Moncton were in the city the first of the week en route to New York where they will make a brief stay. Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Ellis left Tuesday for Wor-

ceeter Mass where they intend spending a week. Mr. Harry Clarke of Halifax was in the city for a day or two the first of the week.

Mr. W. L. Waring left the first of the week for trip to Montreal.

Mr. E. L. Daley of Lynn Mass was in the city this week.

Mrs. F. E. Hall and Miss Gardiner of Calais spent part of this week in the city.

Mr. G. C. Andrews of Thomaston spent Tuesday

Mr. F. W. Heath of Toronto was in the city this week returning from an European trip.

Mr. George B. Jones of Apohaqui was in the city

Mr. F. G. Moulton of New York is visiting the city for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mensur of Philadebpia are

speeding a short in the city. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Belyea were guests at a very

enjoyable whist party giving by Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Belyea of Woodstock a few days ago.

Mr. Howard McCully was a guest of Mrs. Samuel Wilson last week.

The death of Mrs. Henry O'Leary of Richibucto which occured last Sunday evening, caused sincere regret among the numerous friends of the family ln this city as well as throughout the province. Mr. . O'Leary was formerly Miss O'Leary of St. John where many relatives still reside. Mrs. John Mc-Donald, a sister of the deceased went to Richibucto on Monday and remained till after the funeral which took place on Thursday morning. A number of floral remembrances were sent from St. John. Mrs. E. Biden of Amherst who was visiting here

for a short time has returned home. club on Wednesday evening was well patronized and proved a most enjoyable success. The following programme was rendered. Piano solo, Miss Retallick; reading, Miss Bertha Portmore; solo, Love's Souvenir, W. T. Lanyon; recitation, Miss Mary Barbour; trio. Messrs. Salmon, Bustin and Holder; dance, Fisher's Hornpipe. Miss Scribner; reading, Mr. Gibson; instrumental duet, Messrs. McDonald and Watson; sword dance, Major, Gordon; recitation, John Salmon; piano solo, M ss Manning; reading, J. B. M. Baxter.

Mr. E. C. Cole of Moncton was in the city for a short time this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Todd and Miss Todd of St Stephen were here for a short time this week. Miss Porter also accompanied the party.

Miss Sadie Knight of Carleton entertained a few friends very pleasantly one evening last week. Miss Edith Rainnie is a guest of Sackville rriends

Miss McClaskev who is visiting Miss Stella Rob. inson of St. Stephen was the guest of honor at a recent entertainment given by the latter.

Mr. C. M. Leonard of Red Rapids was here for a day or two this week.

Mr. E. B. Colwell went to New York the first of the week for a short stoy.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen De Wolff of Middleton, N. S. spent a short time in the city lately.

Mr. Alex. Stephen of Halifax spent Wednesday in

Mrs. P. J. Sullivan, Miss Sullivan and Mr. W. F. Sullivan of Cleaveland Ohio, have been paying

brief visit to the city. Mr. W. A. Cathers has sufficiently recovered

from his recent attack of grip to be out again . A large number of city people tendered their congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Robert McLeod of Black River, on Monday evening, the occasion being the 15th. anniversary of their marriage. The party drove out in sleighs, the hours were pleasantly spent in music, dancing and conversation, and it was late Tuesday morning when the guests came back to the city, having enjoyed themselves immensely, despite the storm which somewhat inter tered with the pleasure of the return drive. A handsome lamp and onyx table were left with Mr. and Mrs. McLeod as a memento of their crystal wedding. Among the city guests were Mr. Robert Foster, and Mrs. Foster, Mr. N. C. Scott and Mrs. Scott, Mr. A. Mac Aulay, and Mrs. MacAulay, Mr. C. Colwell, and Mrs. Colwell, Mr. Wm. Brittain and Mrs. Brittain, Mr. James Collins and Mrs. Collins, Mr. Wm. Vincent and Mrs. Vincent, Mr. James Brown and Mrs. Brown, Mr. D. Stevens and Mrs. Stevens, Mr. George Alward and Mrs. Alward, Mr. John Frodsham and Mrs. Frodsham, Dr. Draper and Mrs. Draper, Alderman J. E. Wilson and Mrs. Wilson, Mrs. W. J. Higgins, Mrs. Golding, Miss Alice Foster, Miss Letitia McMillan, Miss Annie Stevenson, Miss Georgia Colwell, Miss Lillie Colwell, Miss Elliott, Mr. J. Kyle, Mr. H. Kincaide, Mr. W. H. Under-

Clarke, Mr. Robert Foster. Mr. and Mrs. George Belyea are spending a few

bill, Mr. W. Coleman, Mr. T. Mallery, Mr. H.

days in Fredericton Mr. and Mrs. Albert Edgecombe spent Sunday

with St. John friends. The Ladies Auxiliary of the Exmouth street methodist church held an entertainment in the school room of the church on Wednesday evening that was well attended. The following programme was nicely rendered and much enjoyed : Hymn; prayer; piano selection, Miss Carpenter; motion song and object less 'n, twenty children ; vocal duett, Misses Magee and Hopkins ; reading, Miss Thompson ; dialogue, four young ladies; selection, mixed quartette; recitation, Miss Prince; solo, Miss Lake ; reading, Miss Thomas ; solo, Miss Miller ; dialogue, five young ladies ; solo, Miss Salmon. Dr. Comeau of Caraquet was in the city this week,

Mr. George B. McCabe of Halifax spent a day or two here lately. Miss Ada Watson of Woodstock is visiting

friends here.

. The rumor that Rev. Dr. Bennett intended re moving to P. E. Island has been contradicted. Mrs. Gibson came down from Marysville the first of the week on a little shopping expedition.

Chairs Re-seated, Cane, Splint, Perforated Durat, 17 Haterloo.

Mr. John S. Potter of Montreal spent part of this

Miss Hudson of Richibucto is paying a visit to Mr. and Mrs. David Hudson of Germain street. Mr. L. M. Merritt of Fredericton was here this

Mr. C. E. McPherson was in the city this week

and was warmly greeted by his many friends. The second anniversary of Court Log Cabin No. 1761 I.O. F. was celebrated this year as last by a club at Loch Lomond ; after a few hours spent in ames and tripping the light fantastic the party returned to the city at 230. The following persons were present, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. James V. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Gurney, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Melvin, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. R. Baxter, Mr. and. A. M. Belding, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Dunlop, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Canningham, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kein, Messrs. Robert J. Armstrong. Alderman J. E. Wilson, John Ross, Thos F. Sutherland, M. Issacs, J. Arthur Dawson, L. A. Keith, F. Smiler, Jas. E. Earle, A. G. Hamm, F. Z. Fowler, W. Wilson, jr. Geo. L. Slipp, H. H. Bell, Jas. E. Fraser, Sam J. Richey, Mrs. H. W. Belding, Miss L. Marsh, Miss Alice Earle, Miss C. Wilson, Miss Jennie H. Harrison, Miss Ida M. Gray, Miss Maggie Kein, Miss Sadie Gray, Miss E. C. Forsyth, Miss Thomp son, Norton, Miss Sarah Hayward, Miss Annie Matheson, Miss Eliza Dowling, Miss Maggie Mc-Kinley, Miss Sadie Dunlop, Miss A. Dunlop, Miss Fairweather and Miss Wilson.

Mr. W. H. Price of Moncton spent Wednesday in the city.

Mr. J. H. Price of Chester, England and Mr. Frank A. Howard of Brantford, England are

among the city's latest foreign visitors. Mr. H. H. Schaefer and son of Moncton were here for a day the first of the week.

Mr. F. L. Elderly of New York paid a brief visit to the city this week.

Mr. C. E. Blackbourne of Manchester, N. H., is here for a short stay.

Mr. Donald Fraser came down from Fredericton for a day or two this week.

Mr. George F. Baird and Mr. James Manchester eft this week on a short trip to New York. Mr. R. W. W. Frink and Mr. F. J. G. Knowlton

returned Wednesday from a trip to Montreal. Mr. John McGoldrick spent a short time in Fredericton this week, in company with Mr. C. N. Skin-

ner and Mr. Milledge. Bishop Kingdon was in the city for a short time this week.

Mr. George Birchill of Miramichi spent Wednesday in the city. Mr. E. R. Atherton of Sandon, B. C. was here

for a few days lately. Mr. Atherton is visiting Fredericton, his former home for a short time. Mr. T. J. Ritchie of Halifax has been visiting St.

Messrs. Frank Stanley and Alex. McKenzie of Foronto spent several days here lately. Mr. H. M. Clarke of Fredericton was in the city

for a day or two this week. Mrs. F. B. Thomas is spending a few week with

Moncton and Dorchester relativ s. Miss Alice McLean is off for a brief holiday to Boston and vicinity.

Mr. Charlie Hutchison is a guest of his friend Mr. John Graham of the West side, this week.

Mr. J. H. V. Moore of Amherst spent part of this week in the city. A number of invitations were received in this city for the ball which took place in Amherst last

Friday evening and which was a very brilliant Mr. O. E. Page of Boston has been in the city for

the last few days. Rev. W. E. White of Toronto was in the city on

Wednesday of this week.

Hon. A. D. Richard of Dorchester was here for a few hours on Wednesday.

Mr. D. H. S. Borthwick of the Montreal Heal Line steamship company made a brief visit to the

Miss Nora Fraser and Miss Mattie Leonard of Annapolis Ct. are visiting North End relatives for

Mr. and Mrs. Jamieson of Waltham Mass., are

guests of Mrs. M. T. Smith, Garden street The following from the Boston Budget of a late date will be interesting to the friends of the parties mentioned: "A very pretty home wedding occurred at Page avenue, Dorchester, Thursday afternoon, Feb. 18, the bride being Miss Leila Botsford, daughter of Mrs. George Botsford, and the groom Mr. Charles Skinner, a graduate of the Harvard Law School. The bride looked very sweet and girlish in a simple gown of white organdy over a white silk slip. She was given away by her brother Mr. Harry Botsford, Miss Grace Skinner, sister of the groom, being the maid of honor. Rev. Mr. Bolster of the Harvard church performed the ceremony, in the presence of a small company of relatives, after which the young couple left for a short honeymoon trip to New York. After their return Mr. and Mrs. Skinner will reside at Page avenue, Dorchester." Mr. Skinner's friends in this city will extend to him and his bride every good wish for future happiness.

Mr. H. Hec:or Clemens of Toronto was here for a few days recently.

Mr. Phill Rive of Caraquet was among the city's visitors this week.

Mr. S A. Skinner returned from Boston on Monday afternoon.

A cable message on Monday brought news of the death of Mr. Francis William Black-Barnes. late of the Royal Navy, who married Miss Belle Nicholson, of St. John, a few years ago. Mr. Black-Barnes was stationed in the West Indles when his health gave way, and he was transferred to Soutusea, England. He did not improve, and he found it necessary to retire from his profession. He then went to London, where his death took place. The news will be heard with very much regret, for Mr. Black-Barnes had made many fr ends during his visits to St. John. He was an active athlete and very prominent in tenn's and cricket circles. His wife and one child-a son-survive

Mr. George W. Plowman of New York has been paying a short visit to the city. Mr. Robert Walker and Mrs. Walker of Moncton

spent a day or two here this week Mr. E. E. Baker of Boston was here on Thursday

Mr. R. G. Leckie of Torbrook N. S. was in the

city for a short time this week. Mr. H. P. Timmerman has been visiting Maine during the week.

Mr. Thomas Flett of Miramichi was in the city for a short time the first of the week. Mr. H. A. Whitney came down from Moncton for few hours this week.

Mr. P G. Mahoney was in the city Thursday on his way home to Melrose, Westmoreland Co., from an extended visit to Europe.

Mrs. C. W. Young, Miss Young and Mrs. (Dr.) Whitney of St. Stephen were in the city part of

Judge Wedderburn and Mrs. Wedderburn ar-

rived in the city on Thursday afternoon. An excellent entertainment was given in the

school room of the Good Shepherd at Fairville on Thursday evening, when the following programme was rendered before a large and well pleased audience : Chorus, Tramp, Tramp ; dialogue, The Irishman's Monster ; solo, Rev. Mr. McKiel, Far Away ; solo, The Admiral's Broom, Mr. Hanbury a dialogue, The Mistake ; solo, Put Your Shoulder to the Wheel, Mr. Willis; reading, J. B. M. Baxter; duet, Beautiful Star, Messrs. Bosance and Bustin; dialogue, Doctor by Proxy; song, Father O'Flynn, sleigh drive to the camp of the Log Cabin fishing Mr. Hanbury; sword dance, Major Gordon; recitation, Mr. Hanbury; Old Black Joe, Mr. Hall ; reading, Mr. Fair; dialogue, Cinderella. Mrs. W. S. Carter has returned from a visit to

#### FREDERICTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Fredericton by W. T.

H. Fenety and J. H. Hawthorne. FEB. 25,- The ball given by Hon. H. R. and Mrs. Emmerson, last evening at the "Queen" was a most brilliant affair. The whole house being given up for the entertainment and made it an ideal place for such a large reception. Mr. and Mrs. Emmerson were assisted in receiving their guests by Mrs. L. P. Ferris ; after the guests had made their salutations they passed through the reception rooms out into the corriders and parlors. The large dining hall was util zed as a ball room, the band of the R. R. C. I. being stationed in the hall way. The parlors and corridors were [beautifully

decorated with cut flowers and potted plants. The supper room was very artistic in its de corations of pink and white flowers, pink satin ribbons from the four corners of the tables met at the gasolier and at all corners large dishes of pink and white flowers, the epergne in the centre stood on a centre mirror and was surmounted with carnations a delicate vine of asparagus twined in and out between the various colored jellies and creams, while wax tapers in low candle sticks and with pink ahades were scattered all over the table, ices were served all evening and at eleven o'clock a very substantial supper, Mrs. Emmerson was escorted to supper by Governor McClelan, Mrs. Gordon by Dr. Inch, Mr. Emmerson took in Mrs. McClelan. and Col. Gordon Mrs. Inch.

Mrs. Emmerson wore a handsome gown of black velvet with sleeves of pink silk under gauza and pink trimmings, diamond ornaments.

Mrs. L. P. Ferris, black silk with corsage of pink silk, with pearl trimmings with chiffon and diamond ornaments.

Mrs. McClelan s'ripped heliotrope and black velvet with black lace embroidered in white. Mrs. J. R. Inch, wine colored silk with black lace arnations and garnets.

Mrs. Gordon, yellow silk and yellow roses, diamond ornaments. Mrs. E. Winslow Miller, black silk lace and yel-

Mrs. A. G. Blair, black velvet and honiton lace. Mrs. James Tibbits, black satin and chiffon, white lace and white carnations and pearls.

Mrs. Harrison, pink silk, with trimmings of wine

velvet and honiton lace, hand bouquet of pink car-Mrs. J. A. Vanwart, green silk entraine with

Mrs. King Hazen, black satin and honiton lace and garnet ornaments. Mrs. Geo. Y. Dibblee, black silk and crimson carnations.

white lace and natural flowers.

Mrs. Wm. Long, black silk with white lace and white carnations. Mrs. Wesley Vanwart, pink silk with chiffon and

pearl trimming. Mrs. Geo. Belyea, black silk with corsage of mauve brocade and chiffon and violets.

Mrs. McLearn, cream bengaline. Mrs. Jeremy Taylor black silk and yellow roses. Mrs. P. Phelan cream bengaline, with corsage of pink chiffon and pearl trimming.

Mrs. J. Barry, pink silk and jewel trimming Miss Byrne, nile green cashmere, white lace and

Mrs. Geo. N. Babbitt, black satin, cut square and white chrysanthemums. Miss Maggie Babbitt, cream cashmere and white

Miss Carrie Babbitt, pink silk. Mrs. J. A. Edwards, black silk with heliotrope and jet trimmings. Mrs. Torrens, black silk and gold spang'ed

Mrs. Geo. Allen, black velvet, decollette with jet pearl ornaments. Mrs. Clifton Labor, black crepon and jet.

The Misses Agnes and Leila Tabor, white muslin Mrs. A. J. Gregory, black silk with corsage of violet chiffon and violets. Mrs. John O'Brien, pink silk and pearls.

Miss McPeak, black silk, decollette and chiffon. Mrs. Killam, black satin and cream chiffon. Mrs. J. D. McKay, black silk and white lace. Miss McKay, nile green silk and pink roses. Mrs. M. S. Hall black and heliotrope silk and

Miss Katie Hall, white muslin and crimson roses. Miss Johnston, white silk and lace. Miss Barton, cream brocade satin and pearl trim-

Miss George, cream satin with yellow trimmings and gauze overdress. Miss Frankie Tibbits, cream silk with mink and

rimson trimming. Mrs. James Mitchell, black silk, Honiton lace

Miss Noe Clerke, black silk and corsage of pale blue crepe. Miss Jeannette Beverly, cream satin, with duchess lace and pink carnations.

Miss Pnair, white china silk, with pink lace and Miss Cecil Phair, white ilk with blue trimmings. Mrs. Andrew Phair, black silk white lace and white roses.

Mrs. R. T. Tibbits, black lace, decollette and white flowers. Miss Annie Tibbits, blue silk and pearl trimming. Mrs. Dever, black velvet, jet and flowers.

Mrs. Steeves, ye low silk and yellow roses. Mrs. McN. Shaw, black sink decollette and white Mrs. Whitehead, black silk and pink trimming.

Miss Whelphley, pink cashmere. Mrs. J. M. Wiley, black siik lace and flowers. Mrs. McCready, black silk with corsage of blue

silk and white lace. Mrs. James McNally, black silk, white chiffon and diamond ornaments. Miss Perley, black silk with corsage of mauve

silk and honiton lace. Mrs. Chas. O'Dell, black silk and lace. Miss O'Dell, pink silk and pink chiffon embroid-

ered with violet. Miss Cutler, cream silk and chiffon. Miss Crookshank, pink silk, with french lace and Miss Thompson, black silk and white lace, hand

bouquet of flowers. (CONTINUED ON EIGHTH PAGE.)

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