A pretty and enjoyable tea was the one given by Miss Thorne and Mrs. Harrison on Thursday afternoon, in honor of Mrs. George West Jones. The rooms were very prettily decorated with pots of tulips and spring flowers, while the table with its artistic and striking arrangement of potted tulips and puffed centre peice of gilt chiffon was the admiration of the ladies present. Mrs. Keator and Mrs. Holden poured tea and coffee, and were assisted by Miss Katie Bayard, Miss Holden, Miss Lollie Harrison, Miss Keator, Miss Nellie Jarvis and Miss Ada Bayard; and among the guests were Mrs. White, Mrs. Geo. Jones, Mrs. J. M. Robinson, Mrs. McMillan, Mrs. deSoyres, Mrs. Dever, Mrs. Gardner Taylor, Mrs. Timmerman, Mrs. W. Harrison, Mrs. Chas. Harrison Mrs. Douglas Hazen, Mrs. Stanley Ritchie, Mrs. M. Robinson, Mrs. T. T. King, Mrs. Grant Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Woodford Smith, Mrs. D. P. Chisholm, Mrs. E. T. Sturdee, Mrs. Tuck, Mrs. John Burpee, Mrs. Herbert Ruel, Miss Fanny Domville, Miss McLaren, Miss Dever Miss Grace MacMillan, Miss Florrie McMihan, Miss Tuck Miss Adams, Miss Symonds, Miss Dibblee, Miss Wylie, Miss Burnside, Miss Agnes Warner and many and others.

The many friends of Mrs. (General) Domville will be sorry to hear that she very seriously ill.

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Miss Maud McKeown has returned from a visit to her sister Mrs. George Clarke, St Stephen.

Miss Mabel Tapley is here from Woodstock visiting her uncle Hon James Holly.

Rev. Thomas Marshall returned from Woodstock on Tuesday afternoon.

Dr. Chapman of Woodstock spent last Sunday with city friends.

Miss Alice Rippey has returned to Moncton from a pleasant stay with friends here.

Miss Stark is in Moncton a guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Huston.

Mrs. Harrison Kinnear returned last week from Moncton where she was a guest of Mrs. F. P. Reid.

Bishop Kingdon was here this week on his way home from Kings Co.

Mr. L. G. Crosby of Yarmouth N. S. was here for a day or two this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Hopper have taken rooms at the New Victoria.

Mr. Amos Ogden of Sackville spent a few days here lately.

Mr. Georgs Goodwin and family are visiting St John.

Dr. J. F. Pineo of Chester N. S., has been spending a few days in the city.

Mr. H. W. Woods of Welsford is paying a brief visit to the city.

Mr. R. P. Dickson of Moncton is in St. John.

Hon. A. D. Richard of Dorchester spent a few days here this week.

Mr. W. A. Mott, M. P. P. of Campbellton spent Wednesday in the city.

Mr. M. N. Cockburn of St. Andrews was here on a brief visit this week.

Mr. F. B. Wormoll of Detroit spent a short time in the city this week.

Miss Alice Rising has returned from Boston where she has been taking a special course in vocal music.

Mr. Morton Harrison went to Sackville the first of the week.

Mr. F. H. Risteen of Fredericton was here for a day or two this week.

Miss Una Legge of the School for the Blind at Halifax is spending a few days in the city.

P. O. Inspector King has been confined to his residence thio week with a severe attack of rheumatism.

Mr. N. A. Landry M. P. P. of Bathurst has been in the city for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holden of Boston are paying a brief visit to St. John.

Mr. James Hunter returned last Saturday from a visit to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Webster of Kentville N. S. are here for a short visit.

Mr. Donald Fraser of Fredericton was here on Wednesday afternoon,

Mr. R. E. Brayley of Montreal was here for a few days recently.

Mrs. Payson Davidson of St. Paul was among Wednesday's arrivals in the city.

Mr. H. W. Fox of Montreal spent Sunday in the city

Mr, J. A. Richards of Calais was here for a day or two this week.

Mrs. M. B. Dixon has returned from a visit in Fredericton.

Mr. G. E. Burrows of Yarmouth is in the city.

Mrs. Goodwin of Germain street is so seriously ill that but faint hopes of her recovery are entertained.

Mr. F. O. Creed of London Ont., is here for a short stay.

Miss Ida Hudson who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. David Hudson for several weeks, returnedto Richibucto yesterday.

Mr. George Stirling, for sometime the representative of the D. A. Ry. in this city, but now of Kentville is here to relieve Mr. Hewett, who is off on a brief vacation.

Mr. A. F. Weeks of Boston is here for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Jordan of Fredericton have decided to remove to this city and will take up their residence here about the first of May.

The entertainment in St. Peter's hall Wednesday afternoon and last night, under the auspices of the Young Men's Amateur Dramatic Union, was very largely attended and proved a success from all standpoints. The drama presentod was the well known Irish play, The Pride of Killarney, a beautiful piece in four acts. Following is the cast of characters:

Maurice O'Donnell, The Pride of Killarney ..... Wm. Murphy
Mr. O'Donnell, Maurice's father ..... Daniel Downey
Myles O'Shaughnessy, a warm-hearted Irishman ..... Wm. Kelly
Mr. O'Driscoll, Mr. O'Donnell's friend ..... Alfred Dever
Barney Rafferty, a Killarney boy ..... Patrick Quinn
Darby Grady, Another—A pair ..... John McCormick
Adolphus Pennyworth, An "Exquisite" ..... James H. McHugh
Felix Harding, Maurice O'Donnell's enemy ..... James McCarthy
Raymond Vibert, Gipsy Captain ..... Samuel McCormick
Gypsies—Carlo, Donti, Jocko, Wm. J. McMahon, Wm. Kervin, Neil Driscoll.
Mr. Preston, a Magistrate ..... Martin Jeffreys
M. Delaney, a farmer ..... John Murphy
Gypsies, Peasants, etc., etc.

Hon. L. J. Tweedie of Chatham was in the city for a day recently.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lomax of Pittsburg, Pa., have been in the city for a few days.

Mr. G. K. King of Calais is spending a day in the city.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson of Dorchester spent Wednesday in the city.

The entertainment in the Opera house on Thursday evening under the auspices of the dramatic club of the Young Men's Society of St. Joseph, in aid of the Roman Catholic orphans, was very largely attended. From a dramatic standpoint, the performance was a very creditable one, and reflects greatly upon those instrumental in getting it up Following is a copy of the cast:

Maurice O'Donnell, the Pride of Killarney ..... J. J. Biddington.
Mr. O'Donnell, Maurice's father ..... F. Trainor.
Myles O'shaughnessy, a warm hearted Irishman ..... J. J. McGrath.
Felix Harding, Maurice O'Donnell's enemy ..... C. A. Conlon.
Barney Rafferty, a Kilarney boy ..... M. Kelley.
Darby Grady, an eccentric Irishman ..... R. Kelley.
Adolphus Pennyworth, an exquisite ..... H. Doody.
Mr. O. Driscoll, O'Donnell's friend ..... J. Horton.
Raymond Vibert, Captain of the Gypsies ..... J. E. McCaffrey.
Gypsies—Carlo, Jocko, Donti, F. Dearin, W. Pyne, J. Murphy.
Mr. Preston, a Magistrate, Mickey Delaney, a Farmer ..... W. Magee.
Constable ..... J. J. Wall.
Officers, Peasants, etc.

Mr. A. Dick of Springhill was in the city Thursday.

Mr. J. G. of Galt, Ont., was here on Wednesday

Hon. L. P. Farris of Grand Lake spent a day in he city this week.

The Vancouver World of March 9th says: Mr. Simeon Jones and Mr. S. A. Jones of St. John, N. B., have returned from Victoria and are again guests at the hotel Vancouver. They will remain in the city several days.

Rev. Mr. Hays of the Mission church will be a passenger from New York to Liverpool in a few weeks.

Mr. Wm. White of Hamilton, Ontario, is in the city.

Miss Burns and Miss Helen Burns arrived last week from Bathurst the latter being on her way to New York to spend some months with her uncle Hon. Samuel Adams.

Mr. W. Connel spent a day or two in Bathurst recently.

A very enjoyable party was given last week by Miss Edna Breen, St. James street, to a number of her friends; the amusements of the evening were dancing and games; refreshments were served at twelve o'clock and the happy gathering dispersed at half past two. Among those invited were Miss Bessie Waring, Mrs. (Capt.) Gerrard, Miss Sadie Dibblee, Miss Addie Waring, Miss Lucy Dibblee, Miss Kitty Munro, Miss Ivy Barnsch, Miss Annie Stewart, Miss Daisy McQuarrie, Miss Bell Ross, Miss Roderick, Miss Northrup Miss J. Belyea, Misses M. Patchell, Edith Breen, Laura Lane, Miss J. McQuarrie, Mr. Hal Crawford, Mr. James Munro, Mr. K. Cunard, Mr. Fred Barton, Mr. Herbert Barton Mr. Daniel, Mr. McKinney, Mr. William Nagle, Mr. Frank Ross; Captain Gerrard, Mr. Frank Wetmore, Mr. D. McQuarrie, Mr. George Waring, Mr. William Waring, Mr. Fred Case, Mr. Arthur Woodley, Mr. Hartly Case, Mr. Fred Breen, Mr. G. McDonald, Mr. Harry Woodley.

Mr. A. Milton Smith of Montreal has been spending a short time in the city.

Mr. A. F. Street of Fredericton is in the city for a few days.

Mr. H. Winchester of Montreal and Mr. Chas. W. Lodge of Toronto are visiting St. John.

Lt. Col. R. Z Rogers of Grafton, Ontario was in the city this week.

Mr. J. W. Richards of Bideford, P. E. I. spent a day or two in the city lately.

The last recital given at the St. John Conservatory of Music was very successful, although the absence of several pupils through illness interferred some what with the arrangements. Miss Alice Rising gave two very enjoyable selections. The following programme was rendered:

Piano solo ..... Fairy polka
Katie McPherson.
Reading ..... True Love Sacrificed
Mary Baillie.
Vocal solo—(a) Butterflies ..... Corbett
(b) Lullaby ..... Dense
Piano solo—Waltz ..... Durand
Maude Cumming.
Reading ..... Selected
Miss Harding.
Violin selection ..... Mr. Manning

Alexandra I. of H. and T. held its twenty seventh anniversary on Thursday evening and spent a very enjoyable evening, at the close of which refreshments were servdd. The programme provided was as follows:

Recitations, A. W. Baird; violin trio, Messrs. Duplissie, Fanjoy and Allen; speech, G. W. T, Lewis, song, Mr. Connor; song, Mr. Jordon; speech J. V. Ellis, M. P; recitation, Miss White; song Mr. McDonald, otto harp solo, Mr. Price; speech. J. Pidgeon; song, Mr. Macaulay; speech, C. A. Everett.

Mr. J. R. Inch of Fredericton was in the city this week.

Miss Jennie Trueman whose singing has of late attracted so much favorable comment in St. John has gone to New York to remain some time. Miss Trueman has been for the past two years a pupil of Mrs. Carter and her conscientious work and progress reflect credit alike upon herself and teacher. While in New York she will further pursue her musical studies.

FREDERICTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Fredericton by W. T. H. Fenety and J. H. Hawthorne.]

MAR. 17.—Society has been behaving herself remarkably well since lent is come in and we have had nothing in the way of gaities but some very quiet teas and luncheons with an occasional rubber at whist.

The Misses Perley are giving a series of five o'clock teas which have been pronouneed exceedingly pleasant functions and last week they gave a ladies' luncheon which was much enjoyed.

Lady Tilly who has been the guest of Hon. A. F. and Mrs. Randolph at Frogmore is now visiting Mrs. Stephen Dixon.

Mrs. Charles Gregory of Antigonish, Nova Scotia, is visiting the city and is a guest at the Barker House.

Solicitor General and Mrs. White have returned to their home at Sussex.

After a plessant visit with friends here Mrs. M. B. Dixon returned to her home in St. John today.

The "Lang Syne whist club" met with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. George last evening, when Mrs. Lee Babbitt was the fortunate winner of the first prize.

It is rumored that the regiment of regulars expecting to be stationed here from Halifax, will arrive early in May. Capt. and Mrs. Taylor of Halifax will accompany the regiment here. It is said the company to come here is noted as being a particularly musical one and I believe it is called a singing regiment. So in the music loving Celestial they will receive a hearty welcome.

Mrs. Torrens gave a pleasant carpet dance at her home on Thursday evening for Miss Tweedie, daughter of Hon. L. W. Tweedie of Chatham, who is the guest of Mrs. T. W. Whitehead.

Mr. Wayland Porter will leave in a few days for pleasure bent

A mink fur left at the residence of Mrs. James Tibbitt on the evening of her five o'clock tea, is still awaiting its owner.

Miss Kate Beek has returned from her trip to Bangor.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Robinson entertained a pleasant party of snow shoers at their residence on the Nashwaaksis on Saturday evening. After the tramp the party returned to the house for supper and a pleasant evening passed, all too soon, for midnight saw them all safely on their journey home.

Mrs. L. W. Johnston gave a delightful little tea-party on Saturday evening to a few lady friends.

A good deal of pleasure is anticipated in the entertaiment to be given by the University Glee club at Easter.

The whist club meets tomorrow, Thursday evening with Miss Ida Philips.

Friends here very much regret that Mr. and Mrs Daniel Jordan have decided to move to St. John to make their permanent residence there, Mr. Jordan will go about May 1st, and Mrs. Jordan after visiting friends for a few weeks will follow.

Mrs and Miss Merritt are visiting friends in Boston.

Mrs. E. Moore of Sackville, who has been several weeks visiting relatives here has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Massie are home from their wedding journey and have taken apartments at Mrs. Joseph Phillip's.

Miss Lilian Beckwith gave a very enjoyable snow shoe party, last evening, to her young friends

The spelling bee under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. to take place tomorrow evening is exciting a great deal of interest. The captains being Dr. Coulthard and Hon. A. F. Randolph; referee, Mr. H. C. Creed, Dr. Bailey, Mr. Payson, Mr. W. Porter, Mr. Brittain, Mr. Peters, Mr. Harrison, Mr J Robinson, Mr. A. H. F. Randolph, Rev. Mr Freeman, Prof. Davidson, Master F. Porter, Master Chester Vanwart, Mr. Wm. Allen, vs. Mrs. Davidson, Miss Thomas, Miss B. Sherman, Miss Babbitt, Miss Jack, Miss G. Coulthard, Miss A. Purdie, Lottie Golding, Pearl Babbitt, Edith Davis, Mabel Burchell, Miss Barker, Miss Ida McLeod. Prizes are to be given 1st and 2nd. CRICKET.

ST. GEORGE.

MAR. 17.—A pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Angus McVicar L'Etete on Wednesday at high noon when their daughter Lelia was united in marriage to Mr. Alex McVicar of Manitoba, the ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Lavers in the presence of immediate relatives. The bride looked charming in a gown of cream surge handsomely trimmed with lace and ribbon and carried a bouquet of white roses. Mr. and Mrs. McVicar left for their home in Manitoba on Monday afternoon followed by the good wishes of hosts of friends.

After two weeks visit with relatives Miss Minnie Parks left on Friday for her home in Boston.

Mrs. Frederic Bogue left on Saturday to spend a short time with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Philip Breen. St. Stephen.

Mrs J Sutton Clark returned the first of this week from a pleasant visit with Mrs. Jackson Le'Tang.

Mr James O'Brien, M. P. P., arrived home from Fredericton on Monday.

The children of the public school have raised nearly twenty-two dollars for the India famine fund.

Mr. Morton Baldwin is spending a short time in St. Stephen. MAX.

HAVELOCK.

MARCH, 16.—Last Wednesday evening Mr. Tilly McMackin and Miss Mary Thorne, daughter of Mrs. Effie Thorne were married by the Rev. Mr. Estabrook of Petitcodiac. The bride was dressed in white silk; little Gertie Thorne who attended the bride wore white. The groom was supported by his brother Mr. Joseph McMackin; about sixty guests were present.

Mrs. John R. Price is in Salisbury visiting her brother, Mr. Fred Keith.

Mr. and Mrs. Robinson of Elgin spent Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Robinson.

La grippe has made its appearance in man houses.

Mr. Jacob Corey father of Rev. I. W. Corey, who was for some time. pastor of the Fairville baptist church, died at his residence in New Canaan, last Sunday after a long illness. Rev. Mr. McNeill of Hampton is here to conduct the funeral service. Havelock baptist church is still without a pastor.

Mr. Elias Robinson has returned from Sussex. CARL.

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