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Society circles have been very quiet since lent came in the gaieties being confined to a few little teas and the quietest of card parties. Mrs. West gave a small euchre party on Monday of last week. There were a couple of teas and on Thursday a bachelor host gave a similar function that was exceedingly pleasant.

A large sleighing party was to have taken place last Saturday afternoon but owing to the disagreeable weather was of course postponed but in its place were two or three small teas.

A Lenten sewing club has been organized for the benefit of the poor. It will meet once a week until Easter, and industrious fingers till then will be busy. There is very much more poverty this year than last, and many people need help this year who never before required it. The chief object of these sewing parties is to fit poor children to attend school, each member supplying the needs of one child.

Miss Burns is at present the guest of Mrs. Fielding in Ottawa where she will remain for some weeks.

People are already beginning to think of after-Easter dissipations, and the greatest is to be a subscription ball to be given at the Halifax hotel in aid of charity, on Thursday in Easter week.

It is to be a fancy dress party, with the large margin allowed of uniform, or Windsor uniform which is simply evening dress with colored facings, for men, and poudre costumes for ladies, which lets in many people who do not wish to get up a regular fancy dress. The carnival, however, and the tableaux have provided nearly every one with pretty costumes which they are only too pleased to air, instead of keeping them for next year. The affair is to be under the patronage of the Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Daly, General and Mrs. Montgomery Moore and the Mayor and Mrs. Stephen. The tickets are to be sold at the very small price of one dollar each, so the success of the dance should be assured.

Mrs. McKean and Mrs. James Morrow left last week for Montreal and Ottawa for a brief visit.

Mr. Walker R. E. has gone to England on leave.

A new engagement not yet announced is being talked of in society. At present nothing definite is known as to the plans of the young couple.

Miss Marshall whose last book was most successful left for Boston last week to arrange for the publication of another novel.

The rink party which was to have been given by the civilian subscribers to the private afternoons two weeks ago, took place last Saturday night. A large number of invitations were issued and a most enjoyable evening was spent.

TRURO.

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

MARCH 9.—Miss Anna Sutherland has returned home from a very pleasant visit with Halifax friends.

Mr. Shirley Blackemore, Glace Bay, C. B. was in town for a day or two this week.

The Band's benefit carnival last Wednesday evening was a thoroughly enjoyable affair, largely attended and successful throughout. There were some very bright and pretty costumes on the ice; Mrs. Philips' charming "Dolly Varder," was deservedly awarded first prize. Miss Thompson made a lovely "Lady of the Snows." Mrs. A. McDonald and Miss Bligh, as "Queens of Diamonds and Hearts" admirably represented the characters, and looked exceedingly well. Among the gentleman there were many well gotten up characters both udicrous and otherwise, Mr. John Hay's, very etching 'Prince Charming" won first prize.

Miss Helen Bigelow left last Saturday for New York to pursue her musical studies there. Miss Bigelow was accompanied by her brother Mr. H. V. Bigelow who will make a short visit with friends and relatives in the great Gotham.

After a long and weary illness anticipating the end, L. J. Crowe Esq. high sheriff for the county of Colchester passed quietly to his rest during last week at his home the Rookery surrounded by most of the members of his family, who have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

Mrs. A. McDonald is visiting Moncton friends.

Mr. Chas. Putnam, Maitland, was in town yesterday seeing his son Mr. E. B. Putnam off for the Canadian north-west Mr. Putnam was accompanied by Mr. Geo. Smith.

Mr. E. R. Stuart is in Moncton for a few days this week.

Mr. J. Lithgow of H. M. customs Halifax is in town for a day or two. PEG.

PARRSBORO.

[PROGRESS is for sale at Parrsboro Book Store.]

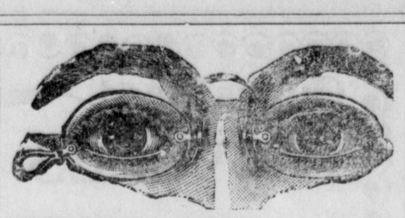
MARCH 9,—Mrs, J. Dickinson entertained the Literary club on Monday evening. [A week ago the members of this club took advantage of the fine sleighing and moonlight evenings for a drive to Five Islands and dinner at Parrsboro hotel.

Mr. J. White Fraser of Toronto and others who have been here in connection with the lighting of the town have taken their departure as the work is now completed.

The whist clubs have been discontinued during the Lenten season. The last meeting of the married people was at Mrs. J. S. Henderson's where a particularly pleassnt evening was spent. The young people were entertained at the home of Miss Ella Corbett one of the members.

Mrs. C. R. Smith of Amherst is spending a week with friends. Mr. Smith was also here for a day.

Mrs. McKenna has recently given parties One of these evenings was for the friends of Master Grandson Yates.



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Mr. and Mrs. C E. Day have returned from St. John.

Dr. McDougall is back from New York.

Mr. E. Gillespie and Miss Maggie Gillespie have also returned from New York.

Mr. Andrew Allen of the Halifax Banking Co. is in town.

Mrs. F. Beverly who has been with her daughter Mrs. Reid for some time, last week went home to St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Spencer have been to Truro to attend the funeral of Mrs. Spencer's brother.

Capt. and Mrs. Nordby have lately returned from a visit to Mr. and Mrs. Young at St. Margarets Bay.

The funeral service of the late Mr. Robert Kerr was conducted by Revs J. Reid of Port Greville. Robert Johnson of Parrsboro and F. Harris of Amherst. Deepest sympathy is felt for Mrs. Kerr and her family in their affliction.

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.

[PROGRESS is for sale in St. Stephen at the book stores of G. S. Wall & E. Atcheson and J. Vroom & Co. In Calais at O. P. Treat's.]

March 9.—There has been very little going on in social circles since my last letter, a few quiet tea parties and the meeting of the different clubs seem to be about all in the way of amusement.

On Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Fredric L. Hann gave a very pleasant tea party at their residence on Elm street, the guests being all friends from Calais.

The Travellers Club met with Mrs. A. E. Neill on Monday afternoon, and enjoyed an unusually good time.

The Current News club were entertained last evening by Mr. and Mrs Frank T. Ross.

Misses Georgia and Sadie McAllister gave a delightful reception at their home last Thursday, for the pleasure of their young friend Miss Mattie Nichols, to announce to her friends her engagement to Mr. Robert Renne.

The No Name club met with Mrs. Howard Q. Boardman on Monday.

Mr. C. H. Clerke, Mr. F. G. Vroom and Dr. Frank I Blair went to Fredericton on a business matter on Monday evening.

Through the invitation of Mrs. C. H. Clerke a party of lady friends enjoyed a delightful sleigh ride about town on Friday afternoon.

Miss Flora Cooke invited a party of young friends to enjoy five o'clock tea with her on Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. James Andrews of St. Andrews was the guest of Mrs. David Main on Friday and Saturday.

The Park Society were entertained last Saturday afternoon with a "Horror Party," by Mrs. George A. Curran, each lady was invited to bring the thing of which she had a special horror. When all arrived the collection of horribles was a wonderful one, and conspicuous among them was that dread of all women a mouse, also a spider, one lady appeared with the fatal number 13 hung on a chain around her neck. It was a most merry meeting of the club, games were played and fun reigned supreme. At six o'clock supper was served.

The infant class of the baptist Sunday school enjoyed a pleasant outing at Cepton Lodge last Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. C. W Young's children and young friends will spend Friday afternoon at Cepton Lodge.

Miss Daisy Hanson gave a Preference party to several of her intimate lady friends on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Andrew Mungall left this week for New Hampshire.

It will be heard with pleasure by her numerous friends in town that Mrs. Arthur S. Burdette of the City of Mexico, Mexico, will arrive here early in May and will remain during the summer months Mrs. Burdette comes north to bring her little daughter Edith, for the benefit of her health.

An art exhibition given at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sutherland, Milltown, last Friday evening, was a very pleasant affair, and resulted in a goodly sum of money for the benefit of the presbyterian church.

Mr. John D. Chipman M. P. P. arrived from Fredericton on Saturday, but returned to the capital on Monday afternoon.

Mrs. George Murchie and Mrs. Willard Pike have given invitations to a whist party at the residence of Mrs. Murchie tomorrow afternoon.

The engagement of Mrs. Ella A. Tice, to Mr. Stephen Williams of Brooklyn, New York was announced in Calais, recently, and has been most pleasantly discussed by their friends. Mrs. Tice spent part of last summer here the guest of Mrs. John Clarke Taylor, and her pleasant lively manners won for her numerous friends, who are very glad to hear of her new happiness.

Mrs. Henry S. Murchie has returned from a pleasant visit in Princeton with Mrs. Charles F. Eaton.

Mrs C. H. Newton has been the guest of Mrs. Willard B. King for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Upham left today for St. John where they will reside for some time. Mr. Upham will spend the next two months travelling through the province in the interest of the St. Croix soap company.

Miss Mabel Clerke has returned from a delightful visit in Ellsworth Maine, with her friend Miss Susie Mason.

Mr. John Stewart of Woodstock made a brief visit in town on Monday.

Miss Maude McCluskey of St. John is visiting her friend Miss Stella Robinson.

Mr. Malcolm King of Chipman, Kings Co., has been spending a few days in town.

Mr R. D. Ross has been visiting New York city on a business trip.

Mrs. George J Clarke's friends will be pleased to hear she is recovering from her illness.

Mr. W. H. Collard has returned from a visit of a few days in Boston and vicinity.

Miss Alice Boardman left last week for Boston where she will for several weeks devote herself to the study of painting and art.

Messrs. J. T. Whitlock, H. T. Todd and George Downes have returned from a business trip to Portland, Maine.

Miss Annie Gregory who has been spending a fortnight in St. John has returned home.

Mr. Wadsworth Harris the popular young actor so well known in society here, is now in Boston with the Modjeska company.

Mr. Stuart McGibbon who has been teller at the bank of Nova Scotia for several months, left on Monday afternoon for Montreal where he will take a position with promotion in the bank of Nova Scotia Mr. McGibbon leaves St. Stephen much to the regret of his friends of whom he has made a number since his residence in town.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Curran have returned from New York city.

Mr. James L. Thompson of Danforth Maine is spending a few weeks holidays in Calais.

Miss Susie Prescott of Pennfield is in Calais the guest of her sister Mrs. Wilfred Eaton.

The members of the St. Croix club who did so much last year to make the fourth of July celebration a success, have already been energetic to hold a meeting to decide upon a programme for this year. Mr. H. H. Gillis was chosen chairman, and Dr. Moore Secretary, Mr. H. G. Trimble, treasurer. The committee hope to make the day a memorable one and the pleasantest ever known on the St. Croix.

Mr. G. Durell Grimmer of St. Andrews was the guest of Mr. F. A. Grimmer for a day on Friday last.

Mr. Irving Todd, has returned from Florida.

Mr. Moses McGowan's friends are glad to see him out again, and recovered from his accident, so he can attend to his duties in the custom house.

Mr. Lee B. Greene, late cashier of the Armor Company, who resigned his position last week, left this week for his home in Cambridge, Mass., where he has accepted a most lucrative position.

Dr. and Mrs. J. Melville Deacon, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born on Friday, which is a most welcome addition to their family as their other children are boys.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mowatt, of Oxford, Nova Scotia, are guests of Mrs. Robert Clark.

Mr. A. W. Robb, of St. John, has been visiting he St. Croix, and was a guest of Mr. Edgar M. Robinson.

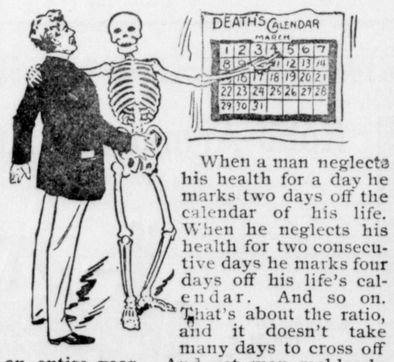
Mrs. Hugh Cullinen, is in Moncton, spending a few days with her son Mr. Alexander Cullinen.

Mr. and Mrs. Scott Bradish, have been spending a few days with Hon. C. A. and Mrs. McCullough.

A very jolly moonlight drive, and oyster supper was enjoyed last evening at "Upton Lodge." It was given by Mr. and Mrs. B. Shorten, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Sederquest, and Mr. Henry E. Hill. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Robinson. Mr. and Mrs. Melbourne McMonagle, Miss Maria Todd, Miss Annie Bixby, Miss Gertie Malone, Miss Kate McMullen, Miss Bessie Bixby, Mrs. Samuel Hyslop, Miss Ethel Johnson, Messrs. John T. Grant and George Hill.

Miss Ethel Waterbury is expected to return from Fredericton on Saturday.

Judge Stevens, has gone to Carleton County. where court convenes this week.



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WOODSTOCK.

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

MARCH 9,—Mrs. Poole entertained a number of lady friends most pleasantly at a tea party on Tuesday last, those present were Mrs. B. Harry Smith, Miss Eva Clark. Miss May Clark, Miss Peabody, Miss L. Smith, Miss C. Smith, Miss N. Bull and Miss L. Bull,

Mr. and Mrs. B. Harry Smith, gave a very pleasant Drive Whist party on Wednesday last at their residence Connell Street. Six tables were placed and a very enjoyable evening spent, Miss Cora Smith, and Mr. J. Dibblee were the fortunate winners of the first prizes, the consolation prizes fell to Miss Louise Perley of Andover, and Mr. S. Wetmore—Those presect were Miss Eva Clark, Miss May Clark, Miss Blanche Dibblee, Misses L. and C. Smith, Miss Peabody, Miss A. Brown, Miss J. Brown, Miss Louise Perlee, Andover, Miss L. Bull, Miss N. Bull, Messrs. B. F. McKay F. Hay, C. A. Peabody, D. Peabody, S. Wetmore, J. Dibblee, J. E. Flewelling, A Garden, A. Connel LeB. Dibblee, H. Dibblee.

Mrs. Sanderson entertained a few friends very pleasantly at a whist party on Thursday evening last.

Archdeacon Neales and Miss Bessie Neales are spending a few days in St. John.

Mrs Julius T. Garden left Wednesday for St. John for a brief visit.

Mrs. J. T. Allen Dibblee returned Saturday from St. John and Fredericton.

Mrs. W. S. Fisher, Fredericton, and children are the guests of Mrs. R. K. Jones.

F. H. Hale, M. P, returned to Ottawa on Monday, being somewhat recovered from his recent illness.

J. T. A. Dibblee, M. P. P., spent Sunday at home.

Mrs Newcomb and Miss Eva Newcomb returned last week from a short visit in St. John.

Bruce Dibblee left on Monday for Vancouver, B. C. LeB. Dibblee left on Monday for Boston.

Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Kirkpatrick are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

Dr. R. E. Guy Smith and Mrs. Steven Smith are spending a few weeks in Boston and New York

Rev. Fr. Chapman spent last week in New York.

Mrs. George Weber and Miss Gertrude Weber arrived in Woodstock on Tuesday, from Germany, to join Prof. Weber who has been in Woodstock some weeks.

The methodist church was the scene of a quiet wedding on Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock when Rev. Dr. Chipman united in the bonds of matrimony Mr Charles Victor Wetmore of St. John and Miss Josephine Watts. The bride was unattended, and was charmingly attired in a very stylish and most becoming travelling costume of stone blue covert cloth, braided in blue, relieved with white satin about the bodice, a hat of blue to match. The ushers were J. Watts and J. S. Leighton, jr. The church was beautifully decorated with palms and smilax, blooming plants and a profusion of cut flowers, and roses. Mr. and Mrs. Wetmore left by C. P. express for St. Stephen followed by the best wishes of hosts of friends. Mrs. Wetmore was the recipient of many lovely presents from her numerous friends, who while wishing her every happiness in her new home, regret her departure from Woodstock social circles. ELAINE.

RICHIBUCTO.

MAR. 10.—The concert last Wednesday evening, under the auspices of the Sons of Temperance was a decided success financially and the committee who had the management of the entertainment are to be congratulated in providing such a musical treat. Professor B. E. Johnson with his brass band were in attendance and played several selections, adding much to the enjoyment of the affair.

Miss Currie who for the past three weeks was in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phinney, returned to her home in Chatham on Thursday last.

Judge Tuck of St John is in town this week.

Mr. A. C. Stover left on Friday morning to visit his father in New York.

Judge James of Buctouche and Mr. James Phinney of Fredericton are spending a few days in town this week.

Mr. Robert Phinney accompanied by Mr. S. C. Weeks drove to Sackville last Thursday where they will remain for about ten days

Miss Agnes White arrived home from Boston on Tuesday.

Mrs. Robert Loggie of Chatham is spending this week with her daughter Mrs. Robert Phinney.

Mrs. James McDermott of Harcourt is in town this week. AURORA.

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