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Friday evening a brilliant and fashionable audience assembled at the Church of England institute to listen to the song recital given by the pupils of Miss Madeleine Homer. The hall and reception rcom formed one apartment, but even the additional space was taxed to its utmost in order that comfort might be afforded to those in attendance. The platform was t stefully decorated with palms and other floral ornamentations, and presented a pretty appearance.

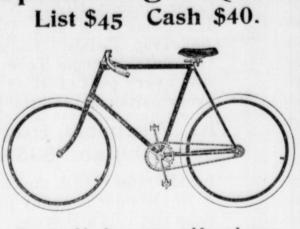
The recital placed another feather in Miss Homer's cap. Miss Mary Murphy opened the program with "As the Down," by Canton. She then followed in "September," by Charlton; "The Heart's Springtime," Wickede; "Plaisir D' Amour," Martini, and "He Loves Me, Loves me not," Mascagni. The young lady showed herself to be one of the most finished vocal sts in the city. Her work, covering, as it did, a wide range, and entirely different compositions, gave her audience a good idea of what she could do.

Miss Ada F. Ryan had perhaps the most difficult number on the programme. She has studied for some time with Miss Homer, and is instructor in voice culture at the convent of the Sacret Heart, where she has given every satisfaction. The aria, "Ah Rendimi," from "Metrone," received excellent interpretation at her hands. It was a trying composition but was easily within the grasp of the singer. A hearty encore was accorded Miss Byan,

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ciety people, and make an ideal host and hostess, a most delightful time was passed by all present.

It is with deep regret that the friends of Mrs. Robert Eakins learn of the recent death of her brother. Much sympathy has been expressed on all sides, and all will sadly mis this charming lady from the gay circles for a while.

The "Peek Sisters" entertainment which will take place in a few evenings at the Presbyterian vestry promises to be brimfull of fun. Music and readings will comprise the balance of the program, but I hear that the "sisters" are determined that their part which consists of comb solos, duetts. choruses, and acting, will prove the hit of the evening, and quite captivate the au lience all of which I suspect will prove true to their convictions, for I have had the honor conferred on me of a peep be hind the scenes, and their doings and sayings will undoubtedly prove a trying test to either our grav ity or giggling proclivities. As Miss Eva Pelton has charge of the affair, it will of necessity be a brilliant success. All are on the tiptoe of expectation as to the com_ ing opera, "Rip Van Winkle' by home talent. At first the undertaking seemed rather hazardous, and certainly ultra am itious, but under the clever management of Prof. Medcalte the results have been surprising' and something good is promised. Inimitable, disreputable, good o d "Rip" of whom we never tire, will be personated by a Halifax gantleman, while the wife Gretchen will be assumed by our favorite, Mrs. P. H. C. Hamilton, who has been heard to so great advantage here in opera I hear of some box parties being arranged for that evening, and I hope soon to give a full account of the affair.

for life. I hear of one especially beautiful and extensive trouseau beirg prepared for a petite Forest street bride elect, and judging from the miles and miles o billowy lace and "airy nothings" sent to the modiste I suspect the tales afloat have not been one whit ex. aggerated.

Rumor has it that we are to lose one of our Yarmouth young men soon, in Mr. Frank Hibbert. He leaves in May to accept a lucrative position as travelling agent for a Montreal firm. Society will miss Mr. Hibbert from its ranks, as he was always a pleasant acquisition to the different circles. Mrs. J. L. R. Webster is making & brief visit to

Ottawa this week; also Senator and Mrs. Lovitt are sojouring there during the House session.

The recent entertainment given by the Christian Endeavor society of Providence church has been most pleasantly discussed by those in attendance as being most enjoyable and unique. The different young people had been r quested to earn accertain sum of money by their individual efforts, and then on this public occasion to entertain the audience with an account of how they went about the pleasant task. Miss Nellie Rogers especially delighted all with a unique and witty rhyme which showed marked cleverness on her part, she received a beautiful gift for her pains.

Mr. Geo. Parker' our progressive artist has just completed some very fine groupings of the different participants in the bear tiful 'Olla Padrida' which took place here in January, and is now but "fragment of a dream"; one especially "The Death of Virginia", in which Mrs. W. G. T., Farish, Misses Bown, Lovitt, and Bingay pose is much admired. Mr. Seymour Baker, son of Hon. L E. Baker, is in town for the Easter holidays, Mr. Baker is at present a pupil at a very fine school for boys in DIXIE. New Hampshire

PICTOU.

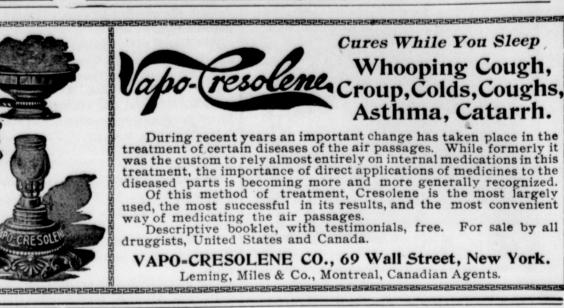
[PROGRESS is for sale at James McLean's.] April 26 .- Mr. J. D. McGregor of New Glasgow was in town Saturday.

Rev. Mr. Moss spent Sunday in Wolfville. Mr. J. W. McKay spent last week in New Glasgow

Rev. J. J. Chisolm who has been spending the winter in an Eastern trip is on his way home. Mrs. Chas. Fergie of Westvile was in town

Moncay. Mr. Harry Crerer who has spent the last seven months with his uncle the late William Crerar, has returned to his home in Antigonisn.

A delightful dance and card party was given by Mrs. G. R. Chisholm in honor of her guest Miss Logan of Charlottetown, last Friday evening. Duplicate whist was indulged in until ten o'clock, when dancing was substituted and kept up until quite a late hour. Mr. and Mrs Chisolm as host and hostess could not be excelled, and the merry party was very loth to separate. Among those present were, Mr. and Mrs. Tanner, Mrs. 6lennie, Miss M. Logan, Miss M. McKenzie, Miss E. Farbuharson, Miss Logan, Miss L. Bailie, Miss S. Bailie, Miss M. McDonald, Miss J. McDonald, Messrs Steeves, McKenz'e, Fraser, Sutherland, Dr. Anderson, Mac Millan, Glennie, and Elliott. Mr. R. Flaser of New Glasgow was in town Saturday the guest of his brother Mr. F. Fraser. Dr. Arbuckles of New York who was taken ill in



Miss Bessie Logan arrived home this morning from "Dalhousie,' where she has concluded a most successful year's study receiving her B. A., degree yasterday.

Rev. Mr. Underwood of st. Johns leaves shortly to visit home friends in the "old country".

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Tayl r and family have removed from King street and are pleasantly domiciled in Mrs. Rich's house on Park street.

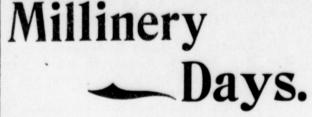
Mrs. McMillan and Miss McMillan, Pictou, were guests of Mrs. J. P. McDonald last week previous to joining the 'Elunda at Halifax for the old PEG. country.

DORCHESTER.

|PROGRESS is for sale in Dorchester by G. M. Fairweather.

APRIL 27-Mr. H. R. Emmerson Premier of New Brunswick was presented on Monday evening with a handsome silver tea service and an oak cabinet containing silver knives and forks-and all varieties ns - that aprove coming ssibly need-from his friends ,n the Province as a recognition of his services. On Monday evening a meeting of his friends and the presentation commit ee was convened at the Hotel Windsor and Sheriff McQueen was chosen as chairman for the evening, while Mr. C. C. Hamilton of Shediac was appointed to read the address which was signed by all those who had contributed towards the gifts. The assembled party then turned their steps to Premier Emm rson's residence where they were most cordially received by the Premier and Mrs. Emmerson. An address was then read to Mr. and Mrs. Emme son by Mc. C. C. Hamil on and the presentation took place. Premier and Mrs. Emmerson were deeply gratified by the gifts and the Premier made an able speech in which he expressed the deep appreciation of the kindness shown by his frients to Mrs. Emmerson and himself. As Mrs. Emmerson was not who ly unaware beforehand of the evening's coings, the guests then partook of a delicious supper which

had been prepared for their benefi . Among those



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who, however, did not respond, much to the regret of her listeners,

Mrs. Lovett H. Crowell sa g in good taste, showing great improvement since her last appearance. She was somewhat nervous, which perhaps prevented her from from doing full justice to herself, but nevertheiess she sang in good taste.

A trio, "Summer Night," Hofman, by Miss Mary Murphy, Mis. Crowell and Miss Belle Walker, gave great pleasure. The voices blended well together, and the shading was excellent. Herr Bruno Siebelts, who assisted, rendered two violin numbers "Ziguere Eremeisen," Sarasate, and "Berceuse," (Jocelya], Gadard. Both were executed with that soft entrancing touch for which it is noted. Hearty encores followed each rendition. There were two debutantes on the programme, Miss Bell Walker and Miss Etta Cornelius. Miss Walker showed herself to be a contralto of excellent compass, her handling of 'H : Was a Prince," by Lynes, simply carried her audience by storm. In the aria, "O Rest in the Lord," from Mendelssohn's Elijah, her singing was not so good. The first number, however, showed the wonderful progress made by the young lady, who has with only one year's study developed . rich, heavy contralto which stamps her as one of the rising singers of the eity.

Miss · ornelius also did well but showed extreme nervousness. She sang "When the Veil of Night," by Alary.

Miss Phy lis Banfield gave two numbers, "Serenace," by Neidlinger, and a waitz song "Gaily I Wander," Champion. Both numbers were handled in masterly style and the work showed much improvement over that done by the young lady in "Rip Van Winkle." She is making great strides in advance, and is one of our best and most promising young singers.

Mrs. W. S. Fielding has returned from a visit to St. John and is spending several days with Mrs. W. B. Wallace.

The Vancouver Worll says: Dr. Farish, of Halifax, is at present in the c.ty on a combined business and pleasure trip. He is much impressed with Vancouver and its beautiful climate, and has every conflience in believing that the terminal city will in the near future be one of the largest in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennedy of Dartmouth have gone to Vancouver where they will stay for some time. The Hispania club give a performance in Truro

during the week. Mr. Gentzel leit for Chicago last Saturday called

there by the death of an uacle who was accidentally killed.

YARMOUTH.

APRIL 27 .- The frequent April shower, amount ing to actual numerature deluges seem to almost banish every idea of the "talked over parties" I mentioned in my last keeping everybody within doors; however a few gatherings among the amusement loving set have "stolen a march" on the weather and been successes, despite the inc emency thereof.

A cosy little tea gathering consisting of eight young ladies, besides the house party was ventured upon last week by Mrs E. K. Spianey, one of our popular hostesses and proved quite a success. Everybody was cheerie, and it was voted by the fair guests as being "altogether lovely." Miss Ross of St. Stephen, N. B., was the guest of honor I believe.

Then again on Saturday evaning, although stormy and forboding, a most delightful little "shirt waist dance" was tendered by Miss Susie Brown to a few of her girl friends, and as such impromptu affairs are always more or less jolly, this one was

Mrs. J. D. Medcalf and her sister Miss Curry gave a small but pleasan' opera party at the Royal a few evenings ago. The play was "Kathleen Mayourneen" by the Frost Dramatic Co. perform ing here.

Miss Emily Lovitt one of society's favorites, has had the misfortune of being confined to her room for some time with plearisy, however, at this date she is much improved and is now able to see her friends again.

Many of our girls and ladies have been highly interested this winter in the physical culture classes held here so successfully, and Miss Bown so I hear. has achieved special distinction in the Emerson system. Much to the regret of the ladies this work loses earlier than expected on account of Miss Hudson's contemplated trip to France and Engand

Madame Grundy has already set afloat whispers of June weddings, and I fear we are to lose many from "the rosebud garden of girls," leaving still fewer in the ranks of "the bachelor maids" from



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that city arrived home last week. Mr. F ed Yorston spint Thursday in New Glas-

gow.

The st home given by the Oddfellows on Tuesday evening fully came up to the standard of its predecessors and was greatly erjoyed by those present. Mr. Fr Bk McNeil of New Glasgow was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. MacMillan and Miss MacMilan of this town were passengers for Liverpool on the steamer Ulunda which ran aground going out of Halifax harbor and was compelled to return to port.

A very pretty wedding took place at Stella Maris church at six o'clock on Wednesday morning, when Mr. J. R. Flynn of Halifax and Miss A A Babin of this town were united in marriage. Miss Reid acted as bridesm sid and Mr. Meagher son of Judge Meagher of Halifsx supported the groom The large church was filled to witness the ceremony. The choir of which the bride was a prominent member, ably assisted by the orchestra rendered some fine music. After partaking of a wedding breakfist at the residence of the bride's mother, the happy couple left by the eight o'clock train for St John, Montreal and other Canadian cities. SNAP,

WINDSOR.

April, 26 .- The engagement is announced, of Mr. Donald Kenway. assistant accountant and telier of the Commercial Bank of Windsor and Miss Bessie Fortan youngest daughter of Thomas Fortan Esq. Ravenswood, Northwest Arm Halifax. Mr. Kenway has been a resident of Windsor for more than two years; he was formerly on the staff of the Merchants Bank of Canada, and is an Englishman by birth. Miss Fortan is a native of Halifax and her father is the head of the firm of Thos. Fortan & Co. sailmakers and shipowners of that city, and is considered one of the belles of the

Arm. Also the engagement has just been announced, and has come upon Windsorians suddenly of Prof. Karl Weatherbee of Kings College and Miss Nellie Paulin, only daughter of Robert Paulin Esq. sonin-law of the late E. V. Payzant, Windsor's wealthiest citizen-the wedding which will doubt less be a very fashionable one it is reported will take place in June-Prof. Weatherbee is a son of Judge Weatherbee of Haltfax. Miss Paulin who is one of Windsor's most fashionable young ladies is receiving congratulations on all sides.

The Kennedy-Campbell concert on Thursday last in the Presbyterian Hall was the musical event of thk season and the talented singers were greeted with a full house-every number on the programme was well rendered.

Windsor is fast rising from its rains. Hammer and trowel are to be heard in every quarter and at the present rate of recuperation five years hence will see a modern town buil: up, free we hope from the eyesores rookeries and characteristic of the OBSERVER. old town.

TRURO.

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ton, Messrs. D. H. Emith & Co., and at Crowe

present were Sher ff McQueen, Hon. A. D. Richard W. W. Wells M. P. P., C. W. Robinson M. P. P. Messrs. C. C. Hamilton, A. J. Chapman, Edward Cole, Robert Buck, James McQueen, Ambrose Melanson, Dominique Belliveau, Captain A. Bishop, M. B. Palmer Altred Haines, A. A. Copp, A. B. Copp, James Moonan, J. B. Mc-Manus, George C. Copp, W. F. George. F, W. Emmerson, W. W. Copp, N. W. Brown, L. E. Wilson, F. J. King, James Friel, James Tower, J. D. Brown, A. C. Farcett Harvey Copp, Rev. C. C. Burgess, P. Gallagher, John W. Patterson, Charles Card. W. F. Tait, L. W Tingley, H J. McGrab, W. Hazen Chapman and others. The death of Mrs. Joseph Hickman occurred last Ssturday morning. Mrs. Bickm n was ill about a week with grippe, and as she was quite an old lady it proved fatal. She leaves two children to mourn her loss, Mr John H. Hickman of J. H. H. ckman & Co., and Mrs. W. D. Douglas of Amherst. The funeral took place on Monday afternoon at three o'clock from her late residence on Sackville street, to Trinity church. Among the relatives from other places who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Douglas, Mr. J. H. Douglas, and Master Albert Beckwith of Amherst, Judge Wells of Monc'on, Mr James Hickman of Amherst, Mrs William Weld n of Moncton, and Mr. James Weldon of Shediac, Mr. and Mrs. George Ryan of St. John, and Mrs. Ferguson of Richibacto. The sympathy of their Dorchester friends is extended to the bereaved family.

The many triends of the Rev. J. R. Campbell were glad to welcome hin back to his parish on Saturday last. Mr. Campbell's eyes have not recovered entirely from the severe operations which they have undergone, at least not sufficiently for him to attend to his duties without the help of an assistant but it is hoped that in ancther month he will be able to use them.

The Rev. Mr. Pickett of Oak Point, Kings County left for home on Tuesday-he will be greatly missed as he has made many friends during his two months sojourn with us. The Rev. Mr. Hanfora is expected to-morrow to take Mr. Pickett's place as an assisant clergyman for Mr. Campbell. Mrs. Keil or is to give a large whist party to. morrow night of which we will hear more anon.

Mr. Justice Hanington returned from Fredericton on Monday evening.

Mr M G. Teed returned from Fredericton on Saturday.

Mr. William Howard of St. John spent Sund y in town the guest of his friend Mr. C. L. Haning-

Messrs. John and William Forster, s ent Sunday at their home. Mr. Webb and Mr. Brooks two of their fellow students at Mt. Allison College were also in town for Sunday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Forster at Willowside. Mrs. Morris Robinson and Master Lance Robin-

son left town last Thursday en-rou e for -t. John. PERSONNE.



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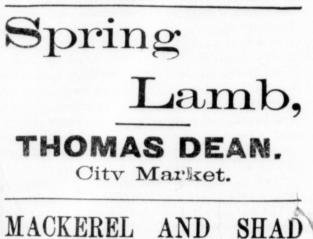
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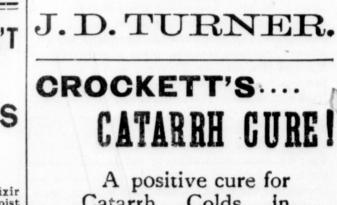
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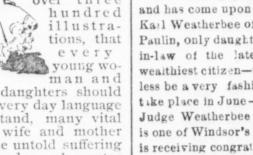
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nd others.	"During the fall and winter of 1894 I was en-	relatives at the "Stanley" for a lew days tast week.	Dr. S. A. Iutile. St. touch pleasure in recommend- Dear Sir: - I have much pleasure in recommend-	- Building and a state of the s
Chursday evening to quite a large number of the	Smith Co., near ryich, reads, writes Mit. J. F.	few days this week. Miss Nellie Marsters, Kentville, is visiting friends	have used it for several years and have found it to be all it is represented. I have used it on my run-	MISS JESSIE CAMPUEII WMILIUCA.
avored with invitations were strictly the married at, so the young bachelors and demu 'e 'buds' and blossoms stood back and looked yearningly on, for	county without benefit to my wife's health, but	in town. Mrs. H. L. Cole, Halifax, was a guest of Mrs.	Blend," with the desired effect. It is undoubtedly a	TEACHER OF PIANOFORTE.
nce doubtless wishing they were fords and	stand on her feet long at a time, and complained of dragging down pains in the abdomen. Noth-	Learment for a few days this week. Mrs. Jas. M. Page has returned home from St. John where she was visiting her daughter, Mrs. C		ST. STEPHEN, N. B.
avorite pastime, and a most spirited contest was avorite pastime, and a most spirited contest was rept up until a late hour, when a toothsome colla- ion was served for the "inner man's' regalement.	ing but an untimely death seemed awaiting her. I wrote to Dr. Pierce for his advice. My wife took Dr Pierce's Favorite Prescription and in	Mr. H. V. Bigelow was in Halifax yesterday at-	55 Charlotte St eet	The" Leschetizky" Method"; also "Synthes System," for beginners. Apply at the residence of
drs. Edward Parker won the first prize. As Dr.	six months was completly cured, at a cost of less than one month's treatment by the last physician we employed before consulting Dr. Pierce."	tending "Dalhousie" convocation and receiving his degree of "master of arts".	Agents For Canada.	Mr. J. T. WHITLOCK