

The weather has hardly favored social gaieties. this week, so that there is a dearth of news just

Mrs. Harry de Forrest gave a very pretty and dainty violet tea on Thursday, which despite the steady down pour all the afternoon, was well attended, as was also the Crokinole party which followed in the evening. For the tea, the table decorations consisted of violets and ferns, which were also scattered around everywhere with charming effect. Mrs. de Forest and Mrs. de Forest received in lovely violet muslin gowns, and the young ladies who assisted wore corsage bouquets of violets. Mrs. Rankine and Miss Miles who poured coffee and chocolate, wore black silk gowns The young ladies who assisted in dispensing sandwiches, creams and jellys to the guests were, Miss L. de Forrest, Miss Fannie de Forrest, Miss Marie Furlong, Miss Rebie McAvity, Miss Annie Smith, Miss Maud Skinner, Miss Scammell, Miss Annie Scammell, Miss Gregory and Miss Walker.

Among those present were Mrs. Coster, Mrs Carleton Clinch, Mrs. F. Fraser, Miss Thorne, Mrs. Harrison, Mrs. Charlie Harrison, Mrs. Peters, Mrs. George F. Smith, Miss Fennell, Misses Fur. long, Miss Murray, Miss Mills, Miss Reynolds, Mrs. Frink, Miss Seely, Rainnie, Miss Fisher, Miss Smith, Miss Vroom, Mrs. Tuck, Mrs. Simonds, Miss Seely, Miss Hall, Mrs. and Miss Estey, Mrs. J. Jack and many others.

In the evening a number of gentlemen came in for crokinole, and a spirited game was kept up until supper was served after which there was danc ing. Very pretty prizes were given. Those pres-

int included the following: Mrs. Miles, Mrs. C. DeForest, Miss Smith, Miss G. Scammell, Miss F. DeFerest, Miss Skinner, Mr. Miles, Mr. F. DeForest Mr. P. Clark,

Mr. Elis,

Mr. Moore,

Mr. W. Lockart,

Mrs. Rankine, Mrs. A. DeForest, Miss Scammell. Miss Walker Miss McAvity, Miss Thomson. Mr. Rankine, Mr. C. Patterson.

Mr. J. Rainnie. Mr. G. Bostwick, Mr. W. Purdy. Mr. W. Harrison

days this week. Miss Martha Forwell of Boston, is visiting friends in the city. Miss Mary Bailey has returned from Boston

where she has been pursuing her elocutionary

Last week PROGRESS mentioned the return of Miss Louise Travers from a sojourn in Lakewood, New Jersey, whither she had been taken for the benefit of her health, but even before the fact had been recorded the bright young life was ended, death having occurred on Friday morning. Miss Louise was the third daughter of Dr. Beyle Travers, andf though she was a home loving girl for whom society had little or no attraction, she was endeared to a very large circle of friends by her sunny disposition and winsome personality. The funeral which took place on Sunday afternoon was largely attended and the unusually numerous floral offerings betokened the esteem in which the deceased young lady was held.

Among those who came from other places to attend the funeral were Mrs. Warren Winslow of Chatham, Colonel McShane of Halifax, and Mr. Montague of Boston. The floral tributes included:

Pillow of yellow and white roses, carnations, lily of the valley, and ferns with the word "Lou" in purple letters across the centre, from Dr. and Mrs.

Crown of pink and white roses, carnations, valley swansonia and ferns from Dr. R. F. Quigley.

Cross of white roses, azılias, carnations, valley and ferns from Mr. W. H. Redmond.

Crescent of white roses lily of the valley and ferns from Hon. R. J. and Mrs. Ritchie.

Star of pink and white roses, carnations, valley and terns, from Dr. and Mrs. W. W. White. Star of white roses, gladiolus, valley and ferns,

from Mrs. T. W. Anglin, Toronto. Wreath of yellow and white roses, gladiolus,

swansonia, valley and ferns, from Dr. G. A. B.

Bouquet of roses and carnations and stocks, from

Bouquet of white roses, valley and ferns, from Mrs. W. H. Jones. Large box of loose flowers from Mrs. W. C.

Winslow, Chatham. Bouquet of yellow and white roses, carnations

and asparagus, from Miss Mary Robinson. Bouquet of pink roses and stocks from Miss

Crescent of pink and white roses, gladiolus

swansonia and ferns, from Mrs. T. A. Rankine. Large box of mixed flowers, from Miss Fennell. Bouquet of lily of the valley and mignonette from

Large bouquet of white roses, from Mrs. I. J. D. Landry.

Crescent of cream and white roses. azalias, smilax, etc., from Count de Bury,

Basket of pink and white roses, asparaguns, with white satin ribbon from Miss Louise McKay, Basket of violets from Mrs. E. A. Smith. Large banch of roses from Mr. D. R. Jack.

Cross from Mrs. Charles Weldon. A large bouquet of Calla lillies, roses and ferns

Mrs. John R. Smith.

On Wednesday the residence of Mr. Robert Staples of Milledgeville was the scene of a pretty wedding when his daughter Lena Eveline was united in matrimony with Mr. William Codner, Rev. Dr. Wilson performing the nuptial ceremony. The bride who was daintily attired in a heliotrope gown trimmed with lace with roses in her bodice and nair, was attended by Miss Florence E. Staples while Mr. Harry Codner supported the groom. The young couple were the recipients of me handsome presents from their numerous friends.

Mrs. A. L. Goodwin was in Sackville this week attending the closing of Mt. Allison university, and at one of the functions given in connection with the exercises wore a handsome yellow brocade sating trimmed with black lace and ostrich tips.

Mrs. Joseph Allison of Princess street has recently been entertaining Mrs. Walter Scammell and the Misses Scammell of New York.

Mr. A. W. Lovitt returned from New York last

Mr. Robert Thomdson is home again from a brief visit to Montreal.

Mr. A. George Blair jr., left the first of the week or Edmonton N. W. T. Miss S. C. Mullin of Main street N. E. who has

been quite ill is recovering and her friends hope

shortly to see her able to resume her place among Mrs. John H. Bond and two children left Monday

for Hudson, Mass., on a visit to members of Mr. Bond's family.

Lady Tilley returned Tuesday afternoon from visit to Ottawa.

R. C. J. Dunn's friends will be pleased to know that he has almost entirely recovered from his recent attack of pleurisy. Mr. P. Gleeson left on Tuesday morning boat on

hort visit to Boston. Mr. D. Allen of Boston was seen in the city dur-

ing the past week. Miss Jessie Charlton left last week for Pittsfield, Mass., where she will enter a training school for

Mrs. D. Allen of Boston, and Mrs. G. S. Moore of Sussex N. B, were in town last week attending the funeral of their mother Mrs. J. Mitchell of Rockland Road. The funeral took place from the deceased lady's late residence on Thursday the 19th Rev. R. W, Weddell assisted by Revd's J. B. Shenton and

Dr. Wilson conducting the services. The hymns had been selected some time ago by the deceased. She leaves one son and three daughters Mrs. D. Allen of Boston, Mass., Mrs. G. S. Moore of Sussex N. B., and Miss Annie Mitchell of Brooklyn, N. Y. Mr. John McLaren left this week on a trip to P.

Mrs. E. W. Elliott left on Friday of last week for a visit of several weeks to friends in Machias

and other parts of Maine. Rev. M. F. Richard of Rogersville was in the city for a little while this week.

Among the St. John people who attended the closing exercises at Wolfville seminiary were Rev. J. A. Gordon and Mrs. Gordon, Rev. Mr. Maning and Mrs. Manning, Mr. R. G. Haley, Mr. W. G. MacFarlane, Rev. S. McCally Black, Mr. G. U. Hay and others. A large number also attended the closing exercises at Mt. Allison and St. Joseph's universities.

Mr. J. H. Whittaker of Boston spent a few days in the city this week.

Messrs. Reginald Fairweather. Harry Hall and Ralph Markham went to Charlotte county the first of the week on a little fishing expedition. Mr. F. L. Jones of Ottawa was here for a day of

two the first of the week. Mr. R. L. Johnston went to Sackville for a short

stay this week. Among the Canadians registered at the High Commissioners office, London, last week were Rev. J. deSoyres, Mr. Percy Tomson and Mr. W. K. Dunlop.

Mr. Fred Jones has returned from a lengthy and very pleasant trip to Europe and the United States. Mr. Sandy Murray spent a day or two in St. Stephen this week.

Mrs. W. B. Ganong and Miss Marguerite Ganong, have returned to St. Stephen after a three Mrs. George Hegan is in St. Stephen the guest of Mrs. C. H. Clerke. Mrs. W. A. McLaughlin has been visiting her

mother Mrs. Newcomb of Andover, N. B. Mr. Mont McDonald and family have gone to

their pretty summer home at Woodman's Point for

A very pretty wedding took place Wednesday evening, at the residence of the bride's parents, Hazen street, when the Rev. J. W. Clarke, pastor of the Free baptist church, Waterlooo street, solemnized the marriage of Miss Sadie A Patterson to Mr. John H. Hamilton, in the presence of about thirty of the immediate friends of the contracting parties. The happy couple have many friends who took occasion to testify to their best wishes in the form of some handsome presents. The groom's gift to the bride was an elegant piano. Mrs. Hamilton is a very esteemed member of the Waterloo street baptist church and an organist of the Sabbath school and in other capacities did very much to endear her to the pupils and teachers of the school and to the church members, and these all extend best wishes, Her Sabbath school class presented her with a joint token-a pretty berry set. The groom is a young man who has many friends in this city and is embarking on the matrimonial sea with excellent prospects.

MDr. Wm. Christie who was seriously ill for a few days is much improved.

Mrs. George McLeod and son are visiting Mrs.

Isaac Burpee. Mr. G. F. Clark left Tuesday afternoon for St. Paul, Minnesot, to visit his father Mr. R. W. Clark who resides in that part of the west.

Mrs. C. DeW. Smith and Miss Smith of Windsor N. S. are visiting city friends. Mr. George King has returned from the South

much improved in health, for the benefit of which the trip was taken. Rev. Mr. Barton and Mrs. Barton of Canterbury

made a short stay with city friends this week. Mrs. J. D. Hazen is in Fredericton with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Tibbits.

Messrs. Ralph March of Hampton and Thorne Phair of this city spent Sunday at the capital. Mrs. George F. Gregory of the celestial is spend-

ng the week with friends in the city. Dr. and Mrs. Scammell are entertaining Mrs. Risk of Fredericton for a short time week.

Among the St. John people who went to attend the closing exercises at the Provincial university were, Dr. and Mrs. Walker, Dr. Bridges, Dr. Murray McLaren, Sheriff Sturdee, Mr. Douglas Hazen and many others.

Mrs. C. B. Foster and baby daughter are in Truro visiting Mrs. Foster's parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Page.

Mr. D. A. Hearn of Sydney, C. B. made a brief

A very enjoyable entertainment was given in the old building of the Main street baptist church on

Thursday evening. Miss Adelaide B. Jump of Emmerson College of Oratory, Boston, was present and rendered a number of selections. The following excellent programme was rendered during the evening. Piano duet, Polka Brillanti (Ruselle), Misses Vincent; mixed quartette, Come Where the Lillies Bloom (Thompson); reading, Bobby Shaftoe (Green), Miss Adelaide Barrett Jump; solo, Zephyrs (Torry), Miss Jennie Trueman; cornet solo, selected, Prof. Williams; reading, A Sisterly Scheme (Bunner), Miss Adelaide Barrett Jump; vocal solo, True Till Death (Allen), Herbert Mayes; gramaphone selections; banjo selection, Miserere Ill Travatore (Verdi), Frank Whetsel; reading, Trying the Rose Act (Josiah Allen's Wife), Miss Adelaide Barrett Jump; mixed quartette, Away to the Mountains (Christie);

God Save the Queen. Miss Ada Munro of Yarmouth made a few hours stay with city friends this week en route to Traill B. C. where she goes to take part in an interesting ceremony at an early date. She received many berutiful and valuable presents from | her friends. She will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robertson of

Traill for a few days after reaching the west. Mr. and Mrs. Ned Harmon Murchie of Carleton have been spending a few days in Calais.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred DeVeber arrived this week from St. Stephen and will make their future home in this city.

As it is always pleasant to hear good news from St. John citizens who have travelled afar, the following from the Vancouver World of a late date will be interesting: "Isaac Burpee returned from St. John yesterday and is a guest at Hotel Vancou-

ver. He now becomes a permanent resident, and is a gentleman who is destined to carve out a name for himself in the west. A militant young liberal, he yet is broadminded enough to appreciate the sentiments and instincts of those who disagree with his party views. It is probable that early next month he and Col. Domville, M. P., will go north and penetrate into the vast interior."

Mr. J. L. McAvity also of this city arrived in Vancouver last week and will go north with the Domville expedition.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hall of Montreal spent a day or two in the city this week. Miss Jean Seeley and Mr. Robert Seeley spent

a day or two in St. George last week.

Mrs. B. Laurence is in St. George with her mother Mrs. Hugh McCallum. Mrs. A. S. Baldwin and Mrs. Wallace who spent a little while with St. John friends lately have re-

turned to St. George. The Misses Rourke of St. Martins were in the

city for a short time fately. Mr. L. D. Fritz of St. Louis was in town for a

little while during the week. Mr. Montague who came to St. John to attend the funeral of Miss Louise Travers returned to Boston on Thursday. Col. McShane who came on the same mission is a guest of the Count and Coun-

Miss Wade who has been visiting friends here for several weeks returned to St. Andrews this week accompanied by Mrs. Joha Wade.

Mr. and Mrs Edward Smith paid a visit to Mrs Adam Smith of St. Andrews this week. Mr. Scott Morrill left Thursday for a trip to

Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Cockburn arrived here Tuesday and they together with Mrs. Evans will make a tripthrough the Annapolis Valley. Mr. and Mrs. G. Parker Harding of Minneapolis, are guests of Mrs. George Harding.

FREDERICTON.

(PROGRESS is for sale in Fredericton by Messrs W. T. H. Fenety and J. H. Hawthorne.)

June 1 .- Some of the musical friends of Mrs. Wm Jeffrey held an impromptu musical evening at Glenola last night, when a most charming evening was spent. Mrs. Jeffrey in her solos surpassed all her former efforts. Mr. Bristowe was in excellent voice, and delighted those present with his solo singing. Mrs. W. T. H. Fenety sang a charming little song. The most enjoyable feature of the evening was the singing of the new baritone, in the person of Mr. Lemuel Tibbits, who gave with admirable taste, "The Lover and Bird." by Guglieme. Miss Carman and Prof. Bristowe gave an instrumental duett. Mr. Martin Lemont sang in his customary happy manner.

Mrs. J. Douglas Hazen of St. John is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. James Tibbits, York street. Miss Nan Thompson, daughter of Hon. F. P. Thompson, is visiting friends in Sackville where she has gone to be present at the graduating exer cises at the college; her sister Miss Sadie Thompson, besides graduating with the degree of M. L. A., captured a \$10 prize for proficiency in natural science, and at the graduating exercises read an excellent essay on Tennyson's women.

Mr. Jones of Woodstock is visiting his daughter Mrs. Walter Fisher.

Mr. Thorne Phair of St. John, spent Sunday here Miss Cumming returns to her home in Sackville on Friday after spending four weeks with relatives

Mr. Ralph March of Hampton spent Sunday in Mrs. Geo. F. Gregory is spending this week in

Et. John. Mr. Allison Bartlett of Charlottetown, was in the city ever Sunday.

The Misses Winslow of Chatham are here the guests of their aunt Mrs. E. Byron Winslow at

Mr. James McKay of Montreal is spending a few days in town. A number of the college boys are enjoying a picnic up the Nashwaaksis today.

Miss Winnifred Johnston has returned home from Sackville and expects in company with her father Mrs. Leonard W. Johnston to leave for

Montreal next week. Mr. Geo. Trites of Halifax is in town for a few Mrs. J. A. Vanwart has her neice Miss Reed

here visiting her. Miss Bessie Clowes has returned from her visit CONTINUED ON EIGHTH PAGE.

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