BALIFAX NOTES.

J. W. ALLER - - - Darkmouth N. B. 1896 was ushered in with the most cellightful September like weather and despite all rumors to the contrary the good old custom of New years visiting was still in force. Several ladies did not remain at home but the great proportion of them received their friends on that afternoon. Among the ladies receiving was Mrs. Da'y who was at home at government house from three o'clock. A very large number of callers were out.

dly for three hours at any entertainm

massomething to suit almost every tasce in the long programme.

Mr. Sahlstrom's clever conjuring tricks were much appreciated, though there was disappoint ment as regards the spirit rapping, which obstinately refused to come off. The Chinese ring work was very pretty and beautifully done, and various other tricks took tremendously with the andience the high cage trick being one, while the talking head wis most successful. The Harmonic quartette sang as sweet y and tunefully as they always do and were, of course, encored, responding with the usual good nature. Miss Homes was in excellent voice and sang beautifully; her little French song was charming, and, indeed, people would only have been too glad to have had any of her numbers over again.

The band of the Berkshire regiment practically The band of the Berkshire regiment by benearly made their first appearance before a Halifax andience of any size. They played very well, sweetly and in tune, and with precision and quickness; the two first numbers being perhaps the best. People will be glad to hear them again, for a Halifax andience as befüs dwellers in a garrison town, dearly

The concert committee were indeed most fortunate in being given the services of the various performers of the evening for nothing. Miss Homer
was most generous in this respect and deserves the
thanks of every one interested. As she had no
small share in the success of the evening.

The band was very kindly given gratis by Colone
Coilings and the efficers of the Berkshire regiment
which made a very great difference in the sum that
was finally banded in. Mr. Boak's toreador song
from Carmen was a perfect gem and greatly appreciated by the audience.

weather, though outly though a state of the weather that has and ponds. Last week there were skating parties nearly every day. On Thorsday many people went out and had lancheon in the open air in order to get the fall benefit of the early attention. es of the Berkshire regiment are ind

The officers of the Berkshir regiment are indefatigable in is-rning to skate, so that by the time the rink opens they will probably be quite expert.

There have been three small dances given this week, Mrs. Corey was among the hostesses giving a delightful small dance, and tuere were two others on the two following evenings. All these were strictly young people's dances, for this is the time of year when the younger branches have it all their own way in the mat er of festivities.

There are two more engagements recently announced of well known Halifax people, one being that of a young lady who was a great favorite in Halifax, and much missed when she left to reside with relatives in Chicago. It is probable that she will remain there now, as her fiance is a Chicago man.

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lay in Grand Pre.

On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Geo. Geldert entercained a number of her young friends at five o'clock
ea among those invited were: Mrs. Withycombe,
Miss Kate Geldert, Miss Krilton, Stewacko, Miss
Madeline Black, Miss Georgie Morris, Miss Mazie
Curry, Miss Lizzie Smith, Miss Louise Blanchaud,
Miss Janie Curry, Miss Nora Black, Miss Nora
Blanchard, Miss Alice Lawson, Miss Lillie Allison
und Miss teorgie Wilson.

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Mrs. Bath and her neice little Miss Beckwith
have returned to Bridgewater.
Mr. C. H. Morris returns to McGul college,
Montreal this week.
Mrs. Aubrey Blanchard spent a day or two with
friends in Kentville last week.
Miss E. Nicholo Derwace is visiting her friend
Miss Georgie Keith, Park street.

Progress is for sale in New Glasgow by A. O. Prichard and H. H. Henderson.

Mr. John McGillivray arrived home from New York last week.

Mr and Mrs. Conrod gave a large dancing party to a number of friends, New Year's eve. The night was charming and every one erjoyed themselves immensely; the dance was given in honor of Miss McKenzle of C. B., who is the guest of Mrs. Conrod Dr. H. H. McKay has returned from a visit to Montreal.

Jan. 2,—Rev. D. McD. Clark and family went to N. 8. this week to spend a few weeks helidays. The Mission band of Chipman gave a missionary concert recently, the collection which amounted to \$12 will go to the Tellion unission.

The people of Red Bank, gave a nice concert on Christmas eve, the sum of \$35 was realized which will go towards the new hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Boys returned post of the panted by Miss Lizzle Hutchin.

Mr. Frank Baird as spending a few days in Fred eriction. Dr. H. H. McKay has returned from a visit to Montreal.

The masons gave an "At Home" last Friday night, which was the event of the season, as the lodge is the largest in Nova Scotia; a goodly number were present and cards and dancing were indulged in till everyone had a full share and undoubtedly erjoyed themselves, for it seemed quite impossible to do otherwise. The rooms were very tastefully decorated with flowers and soft lights and the reception room especially, presented quite an structive sight. The chaperones were Mrs. C. J. McKinnos, Mrs. F. N. Harley, Mrs. Keith, Mrs. George Douglas. Mrs. Harley was thable to be there through filmes, but the other lacties received each guest very cordially. Each chaperone were



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Some of the costumes worn were very striking and pretty, pale pink and blue being the predominating color, and all the ladies looked daisty and stylish, perhaps it may not be wise to say, but I do think Miss Thompson of C. B. carried off the palm in a gown of pink silk and pink chiffon. Miss Ella Gray wore a very becoming dress of pale blue and white lace; Miss Gertie Douglas in pale blue looked very dainty; Miss Emma Green was looking her best in cream cashmere and ribbons; Miss Grant, who was

SALMON CREEK.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Springhill by Daniel

Jan. 7.—Quite the prettiest wedding we have had for soms time, was that of Miss Mattie Davidson of this town and Mr. James Bacon of Wentworth, which took place on New Years eve. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. W. Charles Wilson in the beautiful English church whose proportions are so well adapted to functions of this nature. The brilliantly lighted chancel with its feeral adorning of Christmas green formed a fitting back. ground for the charming picture presented by the bridal party grouped about its entrance. First came the little maid of honor Miss Maud Boss niece of the bride, all in white from the tips of her tiny shoes, to the pretty yet simple hat, which rested on her fair, flowing hair; then the bride who looked very sweet and graceful in a well fitting gown of white cashmere with lace and ribbon trimmin. Stulle vell and orange blossoms, her fair beauty contrasting well with the manly figure of her dark and handsome husband. The brides maids Miss Thomson and Miss Jewkes, both pretty girls, looked well in hellotrope cashmere trimmed with a darker shade of velvet with silver passament rie, and very becoming hats of cream satin and ostrich feathers; all carried elegant bouquets of hothouse flowers; the groom was attended by Mr. W. Murray, the own Res and Mr. Chifford Black. The bride was given away by her ushers being Mr. John Hargreaves and Mr. Clif ford Black. The bride was given away by he brother-in-law Mr. Henry Boss, at whose hospitable brother-in-law Mr. Henry Boss, at whose hospitable house a reception was held, and an elegant collation served to a large number of guests. The bride was the recipient of many beauting presents, and here removal from Springhill is much regretted by a large circle of friends. Mr. and Mrs. Bacon lett on the evening train for Annapolis where their hey moon will be spent. The best wishes of a host of friends attend hem.

Mr. Hugh Murray and Mr. Calkin have erjoyed a pleasant trip to Kentville recently.

Miss Carrol has returned from a pleasant holiday visit to her home.

Jan 2-On Monday evening last, Mrs. W. A. D. Stevens gave a very enjoyable progressive whist party to a large number of friends in honor of her guests, Mrs. Wm. Stevens and Miss Allie Stevens of St. John. Among those present were:— Mrs. Hanington. Mrs. Landry, Mrs. J. B. Forster, Mrs. J. H. Hickman, Mrs. H. W. Palmer, Mrs. A. W. Chapman, Mrs. J. F. Teed, Mrs. McGrath, Mrs. G. M. Fairweather, Miss Sadie Forster, Miss Nelle Palmer, Miss McCarthy, Miss Lulu Robb, Judge Hanington, Judge Landry, Warden Forster, Dr. J. F. Teed, Mersrs Chapman, Wilson, Pipes, A. B. Talt, Fairweather, Payzant, Palmer, Teed, Talt. Play was kept up until 12 o'clock at which time supper was served. After supper Miss Lulu Robb rendered several sections on the violin, which were highly appreciated, dancing was then engaged in until 2 Colon.

Carried of the ladies pries, while Mr. A. W. Chapman was the lucky gentle man, Mrs. Hanington won the ladies leaser pries, the gentleman's lesser falling to Warden Forster. The payty was a very enjoyable one indeed.

MILLERTON.

JAN 7 .- Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Miller left for Bos

On Friday evening quite a number of young people were entertained by Mrs. James Robinson. Mrs. John Betts is visiting her sister, Mrs. Boyce, at Blackville.

Miss Mayne Weeks left today to visit her aunt, in Bathurst.

Miss Notice Leighton, school teacher is visiting her brother Mr. Harry Leighton in Boston. Dr. Scammell of St. John spent Christmas week with triends at Woodleigh. Miss Wetwore of Blackville is visiting at the Rectory.

Mr. Campbell has returned to his home in Har.

canny, Mass Johns Green was tooking are beet in cream cashmere and ribbons; Miss Grant, who was one of the most graceful dancers of the evening, wore blue with ribbon trimmings; Miss Besis Graham of Pictou was gowned in pink silk, and looked very preity; Miss. A. P. Douglas wore a creen silk, and Mrs. Albert Dennis wore a preity dress of rose pink silk and we'ver. A de-lictous lunch was served about twelve.

There was a very large party given at the home of Mr. Andrew Walker last week at which the engagement was announced between Miss Jean Mitobell and Mr. B. Howe of the Union Bank of this town. The Kerz ice who has been teaching in Guyaborough is home for her vacation.

Miss Glecross of N. B. Is visiting her siter, Mrs. Dennis. Mr. and Mrs. Dennis have recently moved into their new house which seems to be one of the coalest in New Glasgow.

Miss Florence Balin of our town is laid up with typhold lever in Foil River, Mass.

Frank. Jan. 6,—Mr. and Mrs. Harvey True arrived home from their bridal tour on New Year's eve. Miss Kate Sewell is going to remain home this

winter.
Miss Parks of Newcastle, is visiting at Mrs. John

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to say there were no wall flowers and the duties of the chaperones ast lightly on them. Amongst those present were Mr. and Mrs. R. Phinney, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. O'Leary, Mr. and Mrs. D. Cochrane, the Misses Hudson, Miss Vantour, Miss A. Phinney, the Misses Ferguson, Miss Vantour, Miss A. Phinney, the Misses Ferguson, Miss Ms. Logdis (Chatham), Miss Stayre, Miss Jardine, Miss McCharlane, Miss Stevenson, Mcssra, W. Brown, W. D. Carter, G. I. Ivring, J. Bell, F. Phinney, B. Brown, W. Hudson, R. B II, R. McKinnon, D. Gierson and A. Ferguson, (Newcastie). Those present from Kingston were, Mr. and Mrs. J. Trainor, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jardine, Mrs. McClonald, Miss Lanizan, Miss Mitchell, Messrs. J. M. Johnson, J. Palmer, G. Dobson, A. Bowser, R. Girvan, H. Woods, G. Hutchluson, and E. Girvan.

Mr. E. Fitzpatrick, of Caraquet spent Sunday a

their home last week.

Miss 'Maggie Irving returned from a pleasant
visit to Woodstock on Tuesday.

Master Allan Ferguson returned to his home in
Newcastle on Saturday.

Miss L'zzie Jardine of Portland. Me., arrived in
town on Saturday and is visiting her relatives at the

Mr. Alexander Patterson of Moncton arrived in Mr. Ale xander Patterson of Moneton arrived in town on Sunday morning bringing with him the sad intelligence of the death of Miss Emma Mudge, a former resident of this town, whose death occurred in Moneton on Sturday. Mr. Patterson made preparations for the interment and the body came by train on Monday, the funeral being from the station when a large crowd followed the remains to the burial ground, Rev. J. S. Allen conducting the service. The deceased young lady was the eldest daughter of the late Thomas Mudge, was well known having lived here until a few years past. One brother who is in the west survives her the other members of the hardly laving elde are the other members of the hardly laving elde are the other members of the hardly laving elde and this town. AURORA.

[Progress is for sale in Wookstock by Mrs Loane & Co.

Jan. 8,—Several tea parties and family parties have been given since the new year began; Mrs. Duncan entertained a number of young people on Thursday evening in lonor of her guests Miss Mc-Kowm of St. John, and Miss Gibson of Freder.cton. Mrs. L. P. Fisher entertained friends at a tea-

Fredericton.

Miss Beardsley entertained a number of friends one evening last week.

The Women's Aid of St. Luke's gave a social in the parish ball on Monday evening, to which the members of the church of Eugland were invited. Owing to the severe cold and rough roads, the at tendance was small. A pleasant evening was spent. Messrs. Wright, Anderson, Taylor, and Burnham sang several selections, Miss Hudson gaves reading in her charming manner. The entertainment was finished by the dispensing of coffee, cake and refreshments.

Duncan.
Mrs. Feagles and Miss Feagles of Boston, who
have been the guests of Mrs. B. B. Manzer for some
seeks, returned to Boston, Tuesday.
Mr. Charles J. Rogers and Mr. Norman Loane
left on Monday for Fredericton to attend business leit on Monday for Francisco Medical Education of State o

SHEDIAO.

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Jan. 8,—Mr A. J. Webster spent New Year's in
St. John, as did also Mr. Jas. E. White.
Miss Fergurson who has been visiting the Misses
Evans, returned to her home in Richibucto, last
Saturday.
Mrs. Bourgeois has returned after visiting for a
short time, friends in St. John.
Mr. Frank Allen, principal of the Grammer
school here, is in town again, after having spent his
reaction at his home in Richibucto.

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Dr. E. A. Smith has returned from Ottawa.

Miss Laurie Deacon is visiting friends in Moncton
Mr. and Mrs. 6.0. Kinnear have returned to
Sackville, where they intend to remain for the rest
of the winter.

Miss Faivis Dickie returned to Mount Ailison
college today to resume her studies.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wilbur have returned home
after having spent the holiday season with friends
in Lubec, Mc.
Mrs. D. B. White is validing friends in St. John.
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Mrs. W. B. Deacon at "Sprace Villa."

Miss Jeniel Webster spent part of last week in
Moncton, having been called there by the illness of
her sister Mrs. (Dr.) White.
Mrs. Barnes and Sadle Avard are visiting friends
in Bristol.

Miss Lulu Weldon and Miss Minrie Lawton at
Moncton last week.

CHARANCE.

ANAGANOE.

their friend Miss Bertie Davisson on Apple Hill Farm.
Mrs. Alfred Dunfield entertained some twenty or thirty quest to a dance at her frome in Portage last Friday evening.
Mr. Roy E. Fmith, student of Mount Allison Academy, Sackville, who has been visiting his parents here during Christmas vacation returned to Sackville today to resume his studies.

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