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At the TOP of the TREE.

FREDERICTON.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Fredericton by Tenety and W. H. Hawthorne.)

One 26.—Pleasant rumors are afloat of several widdings for the new year, one to come off in the second week, when we will loose one of our most popular young ladies, a member of St. Paul's choir. Congratulations are waited, though ahead of

Tabor, of New York, is spending the season here with her sister, Mrs C H B

Mr. Jasper A Winslow, of the Bank of B. N. A. amilton, is spending the vacation with his parent here.

Mr J Fraser Gregory of St. John, and Ald. and
Mrs MacRae spent the Christmas here with Judge

and Mrs Gregory.

Mr and Mrs Geo Y Dibblee went to Woodstoo

Fred Robinson.

Mr and Mrs R B Stratton of Rumford Falls are berr, the guests of Mr Stratton's mother.

Miss Bessie McNally returned last week from a visit to her brother Rev Chs McNally of Lowell, Mr Bert Wiley is home from McGill University

for the Kmas holidays.

Miss Harvey is spending the Kmas Holidays
with her sister Mrs Wilton at Kingston, Ont.

Prof and Mrs Palmer of Sackville are spending
the holidays here with Mrs Palmer's mother, Mrs

Mrs W H Steeves and children are visiting Mrs

Steeves parents at St John.

Mrs Chisholm and children of New Glasgow, N.
S., are visiting her mother Mrs John T Gibson,

Mr and Mrs Frank Murray of Moncton are visitmr and mrs Frank murray of moneton are visit-ing Mrs Murray's Mother Mrs Cyrus Burtt. Mr and Mrs Thos Rutter are here from St John visiting Prof and Mrs Brittain. Mr Howard Woodbridge came home on Satur-day from Haivard College to spend the Xmas with

MONCTON.

Dec. 24.—Miss Maud Crisp is home from the Ladies' College, Fack ville, for the holidays.

Mrs. Lew Wright, of Salisbury, and family, are in the city to spend the Christmas holidays.

Mr Jos. A. Killam, who has been confined to his home for the past few weeks, is able to be out again.

Miss Benedict, who has been the guest of Mr and Mrs JJ Mackensie, returned to Meunt Allison, Sackville, vesterday afternoop.

Sackville, yesterday afternoon.

Miss Gertie Adams of Campbalton, is visiting in

Miss Gertie Adams of Campb llton, is visiting in Moncton and New Glasgow.

Dr. Murray Cowie: a former Moncton boy, new of the State of Michigan, is in the city on a visit.

Miss Hazel Taylor of Dorchester, and Miss Sadie Borden of Sackville, are spending the holidays in the city with their parents.

Mr. and Mrs Amos. S Govang lett on Saturday morning via CPR for Boston, to spend the Xmas holidays, where they will be absent about one

Father Michaud, of Buctouche, was in the city

this week.

Miss Lynds, of Hopewell Cape, is visiting friends

Mr and Mrs J C Stewart have gone to Montreal to spend the X mas holidays.

Mr and Mrs H A Price of Montreal are in the city.

Mr Mrs G N Palmer spent Christmas in Sus-

sex.

Mr and Mrs W F Hicks are spending a week a

'rederieton.
Ald. Gross and Mrs Gross

Miss Smith of Bezanson's lev

Miss Smith of Bezanson's jewellery store, spent Xrasa with friends in St. John. Mr C.A. Steeves and Miss Steeves went to St. John Juesday to spent Christmas.

Joe Bruce of the Bank of Nova Scotia staff, Toronto, is spending the Christmas holidays at his home here.

Mr and Mrs Seth Bulmer of Sackville, spent Xmas in the city, the guests of Mr and Mrs F G Hunter, Robinson street.

Mr and Mrs Johnston Thompson and children of Springhill, N. S., spent Christmas with her parents

as with her parent Mr and Mrs J Harvey Brown, Steadman street.
Lady Smith and Mrs Joshua Chandler of Dor TO CURB A COLD IN ONE DAY Take Larative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. Sic B. W. Greve's signature is on each hox. chester, spent Christmas in Moncton, the forme the guest of Mr and Mrs J W Y Smith, the latte

the guest of Mr and Mrs J W Y Smith, the latter the guest of Dr. Chandler.

Mr W C McAnn of Kalso, B C., paid a flying visit to his home in Petitcodiac last week and returned west on Monday. Mr McAnn was called home on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Among the Moncton boys who are spending the Christmas holi days at their homes are Fred Schwartz and E S Fleetwood, St. John; L C Harris, of McGill medical college; Reg Walker, of the Merchants' Bank, Halifar; August Moller and Chas. Burnyeat, of the I C B., Halifax, and Stewart Girvan, Sydney.

NEWOASILE.

Mr and Mrs F P Yorston leave for Montreal o

Wednesday of this week.

Mr Donald McLean left for Campbellton on Saturday. He will spend the Christmas holiday

be bleased to learn that she is gradually regaining ber health.

Mr Charles Elliott is spending Christmas at his home in Newcastle.

Miss Penelope Robertson is spending her Christ-

mass vacation in town.

Mr Gilbert Stothart is home from Sackville for the holidays.

Miss Maud Lounsbury arrived home from Wolf-

Miss Mand Lounsbury arrived home from Wolville on Saturday to spend the holiday season.

Master Alian Ritchie and brothers are home
from Rothessy college for the Christmas season.

Miss Alice Burchill arrived on Saturday from
Halifax to spend the festive season at her home.

Prof La yton is spending the holiday season at his
home in St John. Miss Bessie Crocker is presiding at the overa during his sheare.

ing at the organ during his absence.

Mrs John Simpson of South Esk, is quite ill.

She is being attended by Dr Pedolin.

Mr and Mrs Chiford Burns are receiving con-

gratulations on the birth of a son.

Mr Philip Robin scn the popular manager of the
Newcastle bra cch of the Bank of Nova Scotia went
to St John last week on a very pleasant mission.
He is to be married, there, to Miss Holden, daughter of Dr Charles Holden of that city.

Mr Walden Poblicace was in St John lett make

Mr Weldon Robinson was in St John last week.

Mr W A Whitney, wife and son of West Superior
Wis. are visiting friends in Newcastle.
The engagement of Miss Bertha Mac Loud to
Earl Melvina Randolf is publically announced,
Miss Loud is a native of Newcastle and has many friends here. Mr Randolph is a prominent wester

Hondon Costigan, M.P., was in Chatham last Hon John Costigan, M.P., was in Chatham last week and old friends gave him a bearty welcome. Rev George Harrison has returned from Tabusin-

Mr Howard Crocker, principal of the Petit high school is spending the Xmas vacation in New

Mrs Connacher of Campbellton, is the guest of Mrs Falconer.

Mias K atle Fleming who is attending the Provincial Normal School is home for Christmas. Mr Earl Crooker, Bathurst, is spending Christ-

Miss Annie Bell, the popular teacher at Indiantown, is spending her vacation at her hone here.

Miss Kate Troy, Harcourt, another popular teacher is spending the holiday season at her home here.

Miss Helen Sinclair, who is pursuing her musical studies in Boston, is spending the holiday season at her home here.

Sergt Major Cox, a hero of the South African war, Mathew Cox and Miss Cox, were in town lss week renewing old acquaintances.

CAMPBELLTON.

DEC. 26.—Miss Smith of Truro, N S is visiting Mrs John White. Miss Smith is being quite extensively entertained and was the guest of honor at

Mrs Flett has returned from a pleasant visit

Miss Mabel Jardine is home for her vacation.

Miss Benedict of Mt Allison Ladies' College is home during Xmas holidays.

Miss Lucy Alexander, Eva Spencer and Mable Jardine who have been attending Halitax Ladies, College are spending their vacation at home.

THINGS OF VALUE.

'Maude Flutterby told me she was coming to our vaccination party.'
'Yes. She's getting the 'lovellest decollete vac-ination dress made that you ever saw !'

sanacea, in one remedy for all lils to which flesh is eix—the vory nature of many curatives being such ant were the germs of other and differently seated is eases nooted in the system of the patient—what oould relieve one ill, in turn would aggrayate the ther. We have, however, in Quinine when a constraint of the patient—what oould relieve the sound and undulerated state, a remedy remany and grievous ills. By its gradual and discoust use, the trailest systems influence when the constraint of the system in fine discovers and the system in fine discovers and the system in the system is the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system in the system is system in the system in the system is nulated, courses throughout the veins sing the healthy animal functions of the ereby making activity a necessary result, sing the frame, and giving life to the organs, which naturally demand increased

'Did that wealthy bridal couple have man FOR INFLAMMATION OF THE EYE". - Among the

'So Tom Bashford finally ead the courage to pro-ose. Where did he get it?'
'Don't know where he got it, but he had it on his

Successful Farmer (whose son has been college)-'What was all that howlin'

you was doin' out in th' grove?' Cultured Son-I was merely showing Miss Brighteyes what a college yell is

Farmer-'Wall, I swan! Colleges some good after all. I'm goin' i to town to sell some truck tomorrow. You kin go along an' do th' callin'.'

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well known remedy, and it is the surest and quickwell mown remay, and its he stress and ducta-est cough oure known to-day. It does not deceive by drugging the throat. It southes the irritated parts and heals them, then the cough stops of its own accord. The action of this medicine is so simple that it seems like nature's own provision for curing a cough. Every duggist has it. 25 cents:
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