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Date. 3 — Khenkugiving Day passed very pleasantjy both in St. Stephen and Calais. Thankugiving
services were held in the various churches. In the
atternoon all-places of business were closed and
every one was free to enjoy the day as: their fancy
There were a number of disner parties, which were
as usual most happy affairs. In spite of the snowstorm which prevailed all day, there was a gathering of lovers of horses on Main street, Calais, which
was gay with elegant turnouts, and fast horses,
whose fortunate owners enjoyed themselves racing
up and down, the long street, in friendly trials of
speed. The theatre, was the attraction at the St.
Croix Hall in the evening, and \*Lost is New York'
was played by the John E. Brennan Company to
one of the largest audiences ever seen in the hall,
and I might add in Calais.
Mr. and Mrs. W. B. King, entertained a party of
friends at dimer on Thankugiving day.
On Friday evening Mrs. Fredric Walte entertained at tea at her home a party of friends. In the
evening whits twas the ammement provided, and
was greatly sujoyed.
A describtion of the wedding of Miss Ethel

healthily enjoys the fine hunting in the vicinity of Robbinston.

Ron John C. Grady of Philadelphia, ex president of the Pennsylvania State Senate, was in Calais on Friday, enroute from Eastport where he had been spending Thankagiving with relatives.

Mr. B. F. Milliken of Eastport, was in Calais on Staturday to attend the suneral services of his wife, who died very suddenly in Perry on Friday—Mr. Leavitt was summoned here by telegram.

Rev. M. V. Higgins who has been here lecturing on his missionary work in India, was the guest of Madame Chipman, at the "Cedars" during his stay.

Mrs. Charles W. King has been the guest of her friend Mrs. Joseph Rockwood.

Mrs. J. L. Hayden of St. John is spending a few days here with her husband, and is registered at the American house.

Mr. Frank B. Livingstone left on Monday for M. Boston, where he will reside, and open a law office to practice his profession.

Mrs. Fredre Stoddard has been spending a few days in St. John with her daughter Miss Elia Warren Harmon.

Mr. James L. Thompson jr. principal of the Control of

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Falls today, Miss Rainsford with I spend the winter in Soston. Mr. Kindail Hall, leaves on Dec

Sterling as hares and a fine run was given, over the hills and far away, but the swift footed hares avoided capture and arrived at the goal, the real dence of Mr. T. W. Whitehead, twenty minutes shead of the hounds and then a supper was served when both hares and hound found a reliebling heartifier.

appetite.
Chief Commissioner Emmerson and Surveyor General Dunn are in town.
Mr. J. E. Dickinson of Woodstock is in the cityMiss Lockart of Boston who has been spanding some weeks at her home here, returned to Boston on Monday.
A wedding which will be of great interest acciety cureles is announced to take place in the cathedral, on Dec. 8th, the groom and bride-elect being both very popular among their hosts of friends.
Mr. E. May of London, England, has been doing the town for the past few day.
The ministering of King's daughters held a very successful social in the church hall on Tuesday evening, Rev. Canon Roberts was master of coremonies for the evening. Those who took part in the musical programme water the ladies' orchestra, Miss Alma Gibson of Marys ville.
Mr. Geo. Cooper, Mr. A. E. Tibbits, and Miss Barier gave a recitation, all were loadly applianded and the Cot'age Glee club also favored the audience with some of their selections, cake and coftse were neared in abundance. The tables where home made candy was sold were very at

Everitt's father.

Mrs. McN. Shaw of Gibson is in St. John.

Mrs. Ketchum, accompanied by her sister Mrs.

Stopford and the Misses Stopford at "Elimeroft."

Mrs. Scoplord will remain about a month, but the young ladies will spend the winter with their annt, Mrs. Scotchum.

Miss Jeannette Beverly paid a short visit to rends in St. John this week.

Miss Myrs Randolph returned from St. John on Tuesday evening.

fonday.

The Rev. J. D. and Mrs. Freeman are revceived.

congratuations on the savent of another boy in their home.

The Rev. Dr. McLeod occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church on Sunday during the absence of the pastor Rev. J. D. Treman in New York.

Mrs. Hunter went to St. John on Thanksgiving

widow and ladies of the party who accompanied him on his journey.

It was with much sorrow that friends here heard of the death of Mrs. Thos Smith in California, Mrs. Smith was a Fredericton lady a sister of Mrs. Goo. Cliff and Dr. Atherton of this city.

Mr. E. Farrel St. John, spent Thanksgiving day at his home here.

Messrs. James McKay, Scribner, and Bhorten of Montreal are spending a few days in the city.

Mr. A. Bartlett of Charlottstown is in the city.

Mrs. Lee Babbit its visiting at her old home.

Mss Dorathes Hunton entertained a party of her young friends at the residence of her grandfather Dr. Inch, on her birthday.

Miss Marian Grey a former University s udent is a guest at Mr. Jennings.

Miss Guion has opened her Christmas bazaar in York street.

[PROGRESS is for sale in Woodstock by Mr. Leon & Co.]

in Woodstock.

Mr. Lewis Bliss, Fredericton, spent Sunday vicinity of Woodstock.

Miss May James of Washington is spending son weeks in Woodstock, the guest of her broth Grenville James, U. S. Consul.

Miss Leighton spent part of last week in Amber N. S., returning Friday.

HAMPION.

Dr. and Mrs. Warnford and Mrs. E. W. Warn ford, Dr. and Mrs. Taylor, and Miss Otty and Mr and Mrs. T A Peters went to the city Friday to at tend the Albani concert. Mr. B A Carter spent Sunday the guest of Capi

Mrs. Dr. Warnford, Mrs. Capt. Earle and Mrs B H Flawelling went to St John on Monday. Miss Lew Flewwelling has returned home from risiting her sister Mrs. James Whiteside of Wood

ST. GEORGE.

Duc. 1.—Miss Elia Dick left on Thu John to spend the winter with her Richard Knoz. Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Holt are re

PROCEDE.

Processes is for sale in Moncton at the Moncton Bookstore, by W. G. Stanfield and at M. B. Jones Bookstore).

DBC. 2—O/I course the great event of last week was Madame Albani's concert, and to attempt to give any adequate description of such a grand feast of song would be quite beyond my powers. It is sufficient to say that Madame Albani's singing was a revelation to many who foundly imagined that they had beard some fairly good voices before, and though a few of the more ignorant amongst the and ience endeavored to impress those in their immediate vicinity, with their superior judgment, by and, inly expressed crit cisms of a singer whose fame is world wide, the audience as a whole listened in a silence so deep as to be siment painful, to each note that fell from the singer's lups, only interrupting her by bursts of applicates when their enthusiasm could no longer be restrained.

Each member of the company was an artist, and rendered fitting support to the star.

The opera house presented an unusually brilliant appearance as nearly all the audience honored the great cantatice by appearing in evening dress, and some very beautiful costumes were worn. Madame Albani's visit will long be remembered by all music lovers in our city, and will remain a bright spot in the memories of all who heard her sing.

A number of strangers were in the city last week attending the Albani concert and amongst them were many familiar faces.

Mrs. W. E. Sharret formerly of this city but now

friend and fellow student mass Inompson of Fredcricton.

Mrs. J. B. Forster of Dorchester spent Wednesday and Thursday in town, the guest of Mr. and
Mrs. T. V. Cooke of Steadman street.

Mr. C. E. Cumming of Windor, Nova Scotia.,
spent Thanksgiving day with Mr. and Mrs. EBertram Hooper, at St. George's Rectory.

Mr. Magne Artchibald who is attending Pictou
academy spent Thursday at his home in Moncton.
Senator and Mrs. Wood of Sackville, the Misses
Fatrall of the same place, and Miss Murchie of St,
John were in town last week attending Madame
Albani's concert. The party were the guests of Rev.
John and Mrs. Prince of Church street during their
stay.

Bome of the Watertown and Ogdensburg rails spent vesterday in town. Mr. Russell was acc panied by Mrs. Russell and the party were guests of Mr. Pottinger during their stay in

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Man of figures Makes Some Calcul-on the Subject. We live in an age of ou tons. The people of the British Isles unbutton 40,000,000 buttons every night, when they prepare for bed, and next morning rebutton the same number unless a few millions have been lost in the struggle, says an English

buttons that it has forgotten that there was ever a time when buttons were unknown. It is safe to so that 99 out of 100, if asked to name the date of the first button, would anticipate the actual date by several centuries. In the contract the century there were buttons—but no button holes. It was purely ornamental, lacking a button hole, and the question voluntarily arises how our ancestors managed to keep

arises how our ancestors managed to keep respectively covered.

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tion of paper buttons Dear me! said Willie Giggs, I hope that chrysanthemums won't go out of fashion all of a sudden as they threathen to do.'

"What difference does that make?"

"II I take mine off now I know I shall take cold!"—Washington Star.

THINGS OF VALUE.

Mr. Magne Archibald who is attending Picton academy spent Thursday at his home in Moncton. Senator and Mrs. Wood of Sackville, the Misses Fairall of the same place, and Miss Murchie of St. John were in town last week attending Madame Albani's concert. The party were the genests of Rev. John and Mrs. Prince of Church street during their stay.

H. A. Powell, M. P. and Mrs. Powell of Sackville were also amongst the audience.

Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum spent a few 'ays in town last week the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. W. Binney of Church street.

Miss Fannang, vocal instructress at Mount Allison Ladies' college, spent a few days in town last week the guest of her sister, Mrs. I. W. Binney of Church street.

Mrs. A. F. Burtt, wife of the rector of Shedisc and Miss Johnson also of Shedisc, are visiting Dr and Mrs. C. A. Murrsy of Alma street.

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Mr, and Mrs. J. B. Bruce of Bonnacord street entertained a large number of firedes at a theatre party after the Albani concert. The guests numbered between forty and flay and as Mr. and Mrs. Bruce are well known as charming hosts, it is scarcely necessary to say that the evening so delightfully begun had an equally pleasant ending.

Mrs. R. Tweedie is spending a few days with relatives in Hampton

Mrs. Thomas Evans returned last week from a little for the proper street of the still get has the skelded on the skell of the still get and the still get and

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