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#### FREDERICTON.

Mrs. Harry G. Chestnut last evening at ter. Miss Millie Tibbits, was the most elaborate function we have had for some years, Mes. Chestnut proved herself a charming hostess and was most assiduous in her attentions to her guests. The large dining hall was converted into a ball room, while the parfors and rooms upstairs were used for cards. Ices were served during the evening and at midnight a delightful supper was enjoyed. The programme consisted of eighteen numbers, two of them leap year dances, which were fully enjoyed. Mrs. Chestnut was assisted in receiving her guests by Mr. Chestnut and Miss Tibbits.

Mrs. Chestnut wore her wedding gown,

Mrs. Chestnut wore her wedding gown a lovely creation of ivory satin with court train and pearl and applique trimming.

Miss Tibbits wore white silk with va-

Mrs. R. W. L. Tibbits was gowned in grey and white silk, passimentrie trim-Mrs. Aubrey Clark, cream voile and

Mrs. R. W. McLellan, one of our recent brides, wore her wedding gown of white Linerick lace over white chiffon. Mrs. F. S. Hilyard, pale biscuit colored

Mrs. W. C. Crocket, pale green satin. Mrs. F. B. Edegecombe, black lace an

Mrs. C. Fred Chestnut, white cashmere and black velvet trimmings.

Mrs. A. W. Edgecombe, black brocade with point lace and ermine.

Miss Hazel Edgecombe, blue veiling and

white trimmings.

Mrs. Archie Macdonald, white cashmere pearl and lace trimmings.

Miss Howard, white ailk and red roses.

Miss Brannan, debutante, white point d'esprit lace and carnations.

Mrs. Atherton, black silk and sequin

Mrs. Scott, white silk and applique.
Miss Hilyard, white crepe de chene with pearl and applique trimmings.

Miss May Hilyard, Dresden silk and vio-

lets.
Miss Wadman, white silk with chiffon Miss Carrie Winslow looked pretty in a gown of black lace and silver sequins.

Mrs. Manning, white.

Mrs. C. W. Hall, white voile and ap Miss Johnston, black lace. Miss Margaret Johnston, white cash-mere with black trimming. Mrs. Manning, pale blue silk. Miss Grace Winslow, white lace over

Miss Whitehead, green crepe de chene with chiffon trimmings.

Miss Florrie Whitehead, white silk with

Miss Wiley, black point d'esprit and pink flowers.

Miss Merritt, black dace over black silk.

Mrs. West, black lace, crimson trim-Miss Agnes Tabor, blue silk and white Miss Phair, black silk grenadine and

Miss Palmer, blue and white muslin. Mrs. T. L. Fowler, black lace and red

Miss Neil, blue figured organdie. Mrs. Dever, black lace. Miss Riley, black and white silk

Miss Wilson, white crepe de chene.
Miss Edith Gibson, white silk.
Miss McConnel, black net over blue silk.
Miss Jennie McConnel, pink veiling.
Miss Edith McConnel, white muslin.
Miss Dorothy Edgecombe, white silk
Miss Dorothy Edgecombe, white silk Miss. Constance Cooper, white silk and

Miss Partridge, blue cashmere and silk Miss Muriel Partridge, pale blue and

white lace trimmings.

Miss Edith Davis, cream albatros cloth, applique trimmings.

Miss VanWart, white organdie and lace.

Miss VanWart (St. John), cream voite.

Miss Sherman, cream cashmere and lace. Miss Rivet, striped muslin and chiffon Miss Kittie Edwards, pale blue with

Miss Hartt, white with pink trimmings

Mrs. Wasgatt Torrence, white with lace Miss Fannie Fowler, debutante, white

Miss Muriel Hatheway, white silk and

Miss Coburn, pale blue and white mus The gentlemen present were Dr. Ather ton, Postmaster Hilyard, Messrs, F. B. Edgecombe, A. W. Edgecombe, C. Fred Chestnut, Atherton, Coburn, Crookshank, R. B. Hanson, Kenneth Chestnut, Campbell Allen, T. L. Fowler, Wasgatt Tor rance, Governor Torrance, Gummer, Prof. Clawson, Prof. Riley, Dr. Scott, Mr. Armstrong, Dr. Bridges, Dr. McMurray, Messrs. R. W. L. Tibbits, L. A. W. Tibbits, Will Roberts, King Hazen, Bruce Miles, Edgar Miles, Don Winslow, Quirk, C. W. Hall, R. W. McLellan, Will McLellan, Jasper Winslow, Fraser Winslow, Charles Allen, Alex. Thompson, Geo. Allen, Hopgood, Minitt, C. F. Randolph, Guy Whitehead. Farris, S. Hatheway, Barry, Frank Sadd-ler, Henry Bailey, A. A. Shute, Du Du-maine, Burpee, Chas. Fowler, Pugsley, Jack maine, Burpee, Chas. Fowler, Pugsley, Jack Neill, John Christie. Laurie Sherman, Cooper, Geo. Ferguson, Geo. Howie, A. S. MacFarlaine, C. Manning, Spencer Ster-ling, Horetszki, Rowley, Wilbur, Allingham, F. Edwards, Golding, Love, Guy Mor

Miss Hazen Allen is this ev taining her friends at euchre. Mrs. John Campbell is here visiting her

friend, Mrs. L. O. MacNutt, and will leave

The Musical Club met on Tuesday even

Miss Laura Snowball is the guest of her

choir of St. Paul's church and a few other friends at Windsor Hall tomorrow even

The Misses Crocket are contemplating visit to Quebec city in a few days.

Mrs. King entertained the Lang Syne
Whist Club on Monday evening at the
home of her daughter, Mrs. Ritchie. Mrs.
Ritchie entertained the ladies' club on

Tuesday evening.

Miss Nellie Whitehead will leave abou the 19th for Boston, where she will take a course of study in nursing in a hospital.

Miss Edith Gibson, of Marysville, will leave in a few days to visit friends in Hallfax.

Mrs. A. W. Edgecombe has invitations out for an afternoon tea on Saturday. The snowshoe tramp given by Mrs. T. C. Allen on Saturday was much enjoyed by the large party present. After the return of the party, tea was served at "The Poplars."

zione to be held in the university on the

Mrs. Ketchum at "Elmeroft" on Friday evening. The subject for the evening was Louis Stevenson.

A. B. Reynolds, of Halifax, is having a

pleasant visit in the city.

The Misses Thompson entertained at afternoon tea on Monday.

W. I. Hogg, late of the Bank of Mont-Mrs. O. H. Sharpe was one of the en-

parts were Miss Johnston, Miss Kelley, Mrs. D. Colwell and Miss Reynolds. Miss Reynolds as a linhiax lady and is spending the winter here and is considered quite an acquisition to our musical circle. Miss Jessie McGibbon is home on a visit to her parents at Douglas. Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 7, +(Special)—

Friday night was the coldest experienced in this locality for many years, the mercury falling to forty-one degrees below zero. The weather has moderated considerable, since yesterday, and it is snow-ing quite heavily this evening. It is learned that M. Fickler & Co. have

completed satisfactory arrangements with Mr. Calder, the owner of the block in which Fickler's big stores are located, and the firm have taken a lease of the premises for a term of years.

A large number of leading Liberals of this section will go to St. John on Thursday to attend the provincial convention.

### MONCTON.

Moncton, Feb. 4 .- After the lull which seems to invariably set in after the hustle of the holiday season, society people are awaking to the fact that in a very few weeks the time of penitence will be here, when no man is supposed to dance and no voman to indulge in much outward adorning or inward frivolity—when the quietest of teas will have a delightful flavor of ickedness and even a curling or hockey match will seem wildest dissipation, when "plum duff will be heresy and mine e?-Oh, that will be rank idolatry! Most of the jestinties of the last ten

pular tea. On the 26th Mrs. A. C. A Wells gave a very charming tea to about thirty of her lady friends at her beautiful home, "Lindenhurst." The function was in honor of Mrs. Wells' guest and cousin, Mrs. Tibbits, of Riverside, Albert county and was, as Mrs. Wells' entertainments invariably are, a very great success. Mrs. T. W. Bell and Mrs. J. S. Dwyer poured

tea and coffee with Miss Bruce and Miss Winnie Williams as assistants. Mrs. I. W. Binney gave a very pleasant tea on the 27th at her home on Church street to about twenty of her lady friends. Mrs. E. B. Chandler gave a small but very enjoyable tea on the same afternoon

On Friday evening the curlers gave up the delights of "pushin the stanes" for one evening and threw open their handsome rink to their lady friends, giving a very delightful skating party. The Money ton band furnished music and from 8 un til 10 o'clock the ice was crowded with skaters. There must have been nearly 200 present, and for those who did not skate, whist tables were provided both in the ladies' waiting room and the banquet hall. At the conclusion of the skating the ladies served a dainty supper, after which the floors were cleared for dancing and a short programme of dances disposed of. The party dispersed shortly after midnight more than ever convinced that the Moneton curlers were jolly good fel-lows and no one could possibly deny it. Speaking of curling—the enthusiasm over that noisy and healthful game has reached such a pitch in Moncton that the ladies

ladies' waiting room of the curling rink, and in return for the courtesy of the curl-

ing with the Misses Johnston at "Red Top," where a very pleasant evening was formed club to use not only the rink but the men's curling stones for practice, the aunt, Mrs. F. P. Thompson. His Honor Government Bouer to arrive tomorrow, when Government House will be opened for the season. be opened for the season.

The Bachelor Maidens of Fredericton have issued invitations for a leap year foult to be held at Windsor Hall on Feb. 15.

Mrs. P. Macdonald will entertain the choir of St. Paul's church and a few of the cars during two afternoons of the many of the cars during two afternoons of the cars during two afternoons of the cars.

ears during two afternoons of the week when the ladies are allowed to practice. Mrs. J. W. Y. Smith gave a very delightful ladies whist party at her home, "Barberry Lodge," on Saturday evening. There were about twenty-four ladies present and the evening was thoroughly enjoyed. Mrs. A. J. Gorham, of Alma street, gave

large ladies' whist party last week. Mrs. Gorham is a very charming hostess and possesses the gift of making her guests horoughly enjoy themselves.

Mrs. Tibbits, of Riverside, who has been

spending a short time in town visiting her cousins, Mrs. A. C. A. Wells and Judge Wells, returned home on Monday. Mrs. Tibbits has made numerous friends during her stay and her departure was greatly

Mrs. R. W. Simpson left town this morning to spend a short time with friends A number of young people under the chaperonage of Mrs. J. W. Y. Smith and Mrs. J. E. W. Hewson, organized a skat-ing party last evening and went to Dor-

Misses Bessie and Carrie Babbitt left on Monday evening for Boston, Miss Bessie to return to her work in the hospital and Miss Carrie will remain the winter with her sister, Mrs. Lee Street.

Mrs. John Atherton and Miss Vera Brewer, of Woodstock, are visiting friends in the city.

The Read-A-Bit Club was entertained by Mrs. Ketchum at "Elmeroft" on Friday

who has been seriously ill for the past month, will be glad to hear that she is improving.

### ST. STEPHEN.

w. I. Hogg, late of the Bank of Montreal of this city, spent Sunday here, the guest of Charles H. Allen, and left on Wednesday for Newfoundland.

St. Stephen, N. B., Feb. 4.—The Windson was the scene of brilliant festivity on Friday evening last when Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd and Miss Frances Todd were frank Todd and Miss Frances Todd were Mrs. O. H. Sharpe was one of the entertainers of the week, giving a tea on Saturday afternoon. The tea room was presided over by Mrs. D. Lee Babbitt and Mrs. Nagle.

The first of the series of assembly dances to be given by the Tennis Club will be at Windsor Hall on the evening of Feb. 9. Invitations have been issued.

The music in St. Paul's church on Sunday evening last was of a high order and was much enjoyed by the large congregation present. The ladies who took solo parts were Miss Johnston, Miss Kelley, Supper was served at mid-night, after wards dancing was resumed and continued until 3 o'clock on Saturday morning. The toilettes of the ladies were extremely

handsome, a number of them never see here before. The hostess, Mrs. Frank Todd, wore peautiful dress of rich black lace and Miss Frances Todd, white silk with

Miss Frances food, white silk with overdress of white point d'esprit.

Miss Hazel Bridges, white organdie over white silk, with trimmings of black lace insertion and black velvet ribb n.

Mrs. Fred P. MacNohol, pale blue silk made with ruffles and trimmed with lace, Mis. Frank Woods, white silk trim

med with pale blue silk; diamonds.

M. s. Franklin Etton, costume of rich ream colored lace over yellow satin; dia Mrs. George Downes, white sam with

overdress of jeweled crepe de chene rich ly trimmed with lace; diamond ornamen Mrs. Walter Stevens, cream silk and

Miss Wimfred Todd, dainty gown or pink silk with overdress of white point d'esprit, corsage bouquet of pink roses. Miss Belle Woodcock, white organdie trimmed with black lace.

Miss Edith Deinstadt, fawn colored voil

over pale blue si.k.

Miss Helen Hubbard (Washington, D. C.), white crepe de chene over white silk Miss Mabel Algar, white organdie over pale pink sik with girdle and tranming Miss Boardman Todd, pale pink silk,

Miss Boardman Todd, pade pink sink, with bouquet of pink roses.

Miss Grace Deinstadt, white silk and white crepe de chene costume.

Miss Margaret Duren, white organdy with pearl and lace trimmings.

Miss Margaret Black, pretty gown of pale blue silk trimmed with white lace.

Miss Louise Murchie, pale green silk with trimmings of whi e chiffon and lace. Miss Roberta Murchie, white crepe de hene trimmed with silver passementaries

diamond ornaments.

Miss Edith Newnham, white crepe de-Miss Gretchen Vroom, fawn colored oile over pink silk. Miss Vera Young, pale blue silk trim med with lace.

Miss Sadie McVey, black silk grenadine

over black silk.

Mrs. Thebaud (St. Andrews), black ace dress trimmed with garlands of carlet poppies.
Miss Morris (St. Andrews), white or gandie trimmed with white lace.

There were many more lovely gowns bu space forbids any description.

Mrs. John E. Algar entertained a party

Mrs. John Black, the president of the Women's Auxiliary connected with Christ church, entertained the W. A. at her residence on Tuesday evening. After the nusiness meeting there was a musical programme and circshments were served. b. of which she is a membe ok at her home, Christ church rec-This week they met with Miss chen Vroom at her pretty home in

concert in the St. Croix Opera House,

There are to be 100 voices in the chorus.

The Hayden quartette and other celebrated singers are to take part, and the conentration of the boys.

Mr. W. F. Todd, who has been quite

ecovering. Mr. and Mrs. J. Royden Thomson, St. John, were in town for a few days, visiting Mrs. Thomson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Chipman.

Mrs. Wilfred L. Eaton has issued in vitations to a reception at her residence on Tuesday afternoon from 3 until o'clock. Pullen's cr. hes ra will be in attendance and the reception will probably be a most brilliant affair.

A very sad event of the week was th A very sad event of the week was the death of Dr. Caarles Shaughnessy, of consumption, which occurred at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mis. John Shaughnessy, at an early hour on Tuesday morning. He was a young man of education and of great promise and his early death brings to his family and friends the keenest sorrow. The funeral services took when the Church of the cally Reserve est sorrow. The funeral services took place from the Church of the Loly Rosary this morning and were largely attended.

The pleasant news of the engagement of Mr. Guy C. Murchie, barrister in Boston, and eldest son of Mr. W. A. Murchie, of Calais, to Miss Agnes McDonald, daughter of Rev. E. W. McDonald, rector of Trinity church Boston, was announced this week. Mr. Mürchie is a graduate of Ha vard '95. At the time of the Spanish-American war he was one of the first to American war he was one of the first t join the Rough Riders and is a person friend of President Roosevelt. He has a

friend of President Roosevelt. He has always been most popular among his friends here, who wish him every happiness.

Mrs. E. T. Lee entertained the ardge Club last Monday evening.

Mrs. George J. Clarke gave a very charming little reception last Thursday attennoon in honor of Miss Hazel Bruges.

The reception given by Mayor and Mrs. J. M. Johnson last Tuesday evening at their beautiful home in Calais, was attended by more than 200 guests and is pronounced to be the most notable society event of the season. The hours of the reception were 8 until 10 o'clock, and

the reception were 8 until 10 o'clock, an afterwards dancing was enjoyed until orated with pink and white carnations ferns and palus.

Mrs. Johnson was attired in a rich gown of black applique lace over pale blue silk. with diamond ornaments.

Miss Edith Johnson, a dainty frock o white point d'esprit.

Mrs. George T. Murchie, Mrs. Helen
Harmon, Mrs. Frederick Pote, Mass Louise
Murchie, Miss Alberta Teed,, Miss Vera
Young and Miss Roberta Murchie all assisted Mrs. Johnson in entertaining her
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GREER.

Greer, St. John Co., Feb. 4—The stormy
Sundays since the new year have inter-

guests. During the hours of the reception an orchestra played soft music continually. The toilettes of the ladies were unusually handsome and varied.

Mrs. D. A. Melvin is visiting Boston with her nince, Miss. May Cerke.

Mrs. Warren Hatheway is visiting friends in Eastport and vicinity.

Miss. May Morris, of St. Andrews, is visiting Mrs. Frederick P. MacNichol this weet. sts. During the hours of the reception

St. Stephen, Eco. 5—(Special)—Dr. Young, of Augusta, head of the state of Maine health department, visited Calais today and inspected a house on Depot street where some cases of sickness

Dr. Young found five cases of smallp in the house, though of a mild form. The house has been quarantined sin Tuesday.

The board of health for St. Stephen preparing precautionary measures.

#### UHATHAM.

Chatham, Feb. 3.—Mrs. Wan. Johnston and Mrs. Robert Murray have returned tome from a visit in Moncton.

Miss Ida Patterson, of Campbellton, is The W. F. M. S. of St. Andrew's churc were enertrained at a very enjoyable "al home" last Thursday afternoon by Mrs. George B. Fraser, president of the society,

Misses Marion and Helen Fraser, Carrie Safter, Annie Loggie, Ethel and Jessie Strothart assisted the hostess in the tea the guest of her parents, Premier and Mrs. Tweedle, has returned to her home in

Bridgewater (N. S.)

Miss Helen MacKenzi: has returned to Atalifax to resume her studies at the Ladies' College.

Miss Maynie Cameron, of Rexton, is isiting relatives in town. The members of the executive committee of the Christian Endeavor Society

of St. John's church, were pleasantly intertained on Monday evening by Monday nd Mrs. A. F. Bentley at their home Miss Lou Mersereau returned last night

rom a pleasant visit in Doaktown.

Miss Josie Noonan spent part of the reek in St. John. week in St. John.

The members of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the A. O. H. held a very enjoyable social in their rooms Thursday evening. A musical and literary programme was exceed-

Skating seems to be the most popula form of amusement here this winter, is several years since Chatham has had skating rink, so needless to say it is being well patronized. The all absorbing con ersation is the carmival tomorrow night or which, it is said, many startling co tumes are being prepared.

Miss Jean Purves, of Campbellton, visiting Miss Louise Stewart.

#### SACKVILLE.

Sackville, Feb. 5 .- The Rev. A. C. Crews of Toronto, general secretary of the Sun-day schools and Epworth Leagues of the Methodist church, is here giving a course of lectures on Christian Didactics. His lectures are being largely attended.

The Rev. Oscar Gronlund, B. A., Moun Allison '91, was in town this week.

Miss Viola Mader and Miss Margar Johnson, of Sydney (N. S.), spent Su day at the Ladies' College. Amasa Dixon is seriously

The "Helping Band," of Upper Sackville, has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: B. M. Fawcett, presiden Baxter B. Barnes, 1st vice-president; Mis-Bessie Wheaton, 2nd vice-president; Chester George, secretary; Chalmers Hicks treasurer; B. B. Barnes, auditor; Alber Fawcett, assistant anditor; Bertie Hicks, rganist; Fred Fawcett, assistant organist

Joseph Thompson, sentinel; Lena Fawcett, assistant sentinel.
The Rev. W. Kirky, of Fairville (N. B.), was here Monday visiting his son at the minorally necessary and the minorally necessary and the held tonight in Ford's hall under the auspices of the W. C. T U. of Sackville for the purpose of consideration ering the formation of a "boys' union" to

on Thursday evening, February 11. include all the young males in the town

The Rev. A. T. Robinson, of Upper Tuesday evening to the whist club of which he tendered his church with some which she is a member. time ago, and it is now thought that his

> meeting with great popularity among the students and as a result Prof. Sweetzer is finding his classes enlarging daily. Two flats are now ready for occupancy and the other flats in the building will be ready use, it is hoped, before the close of term. The large well lighted base this termi ment is taken up by the heating apparatus and Lloyd room. Next above this are several commodious and well equipped rooms which will be devoted to science lectures, manual drawing, etc. Dr. Andrews will have his office on this flat also. The renovation of the upper departments will make this building by far the most spacious and

on Saturday night the following will be the debaters in the Eurhetorian Society on the intercollegiate subject: Arthur Hockin and C. A. Whitemarsh affirmative, and W. P. Bell and V. Fullerton; negative.

A large number of invitations have returned after spending a few have returned after spending and the few have returned after spending and t time provinces.
On Saturday night the following will be A large number of invitations have been issued for the academy skating party to be

The Rev. A. C. Crews will occupy the Riverview during last week oulpit of the Methodist church in the norning and the pastor, Rev. G. Steele, will preach in the evening.

A. Templeman, of Bona Vista, Newfoundland, was at the college a few days ago visiting his son, who is a student here. Senator and Mrs. Thompson, of Fredericton, were in Upper Sackville last Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. WHITE'S COVE

#### CUMBERLAND POINT.

Cumberland Point, Queens Co., N. B., Feb., 4 Captain W. D. Wasson, of this place, who has been seriously ill with pneumonia, is recovering under the treatment of Dr. T. J. O. Earl.

Bartlett McLean left last Monday with his term for the woods to have lumber his team for the woods to haul lumber for Alford West, of Coles Island Me bourne Reese is busy cutting logs for Hector McLean, Jr.

Capt. E. S. Wilson, who has been coasiing during the summer, has returned home and with L. L. Colwell, of Boston, is eagaged getting cordwood for the Rockland

#### NEWTOWN.

Newtown, Kings county, Feb. 5 .- Ernest Oldfield has returned to Boston, where he is a anomber of the firm of Baxter & Oldfield. His mother and father are rapidly The funeral took place on Friday at

The funeral took place on friday at Smith's Creek of the late Mrs. Susan Countes. The service was conducted by the Rev. B. N. Nobles, assisted by Rev. J. B. Gough, of Sussex. Deceased leaves two daughters, Mrs. Davis, of Smith's Creek, and Miss Alvin, who resides at

Richard W. Stockton is ill of La Grippe but expects to be out again in a few days.
Rev. Mr. Gough held services here on
Thursday and Friday evenings of this
week, and expects to hold them Thursday
and Friday of next week. The snow storm of the first of the week drifted our road more than any storm of this winter. They were soon broken out but they continue very heavy.

Mies Lena Tamlyn, who has been teaching school at Ward's Creek, is ill at her

#### ome here. Dr. Murray has been called.

SUSSEX. Sussex, Feb. 4.-Mrs. W. B. MacKay, who has been visiting friends in Boston and vicinity, returned home on Weanes-(Me.), are visiting Mrs. Leonard's o.d home in Church avenue.

The many friends of Mrs. Etta Brown are glad to know that she is recovering

A musicale, given by Miss Alice Want on Wednesday evening was a very enjoy able affair. Mr. and Mrs. Leonard were the guests of honor, and during the even ing favored the assembly with solos and duets. Miss Ida Gough, of Summerside, also sang in a pleasing manner.

The opera, "H. M. S. Pinafore," is again to be presented to the people of

ussex, this time under the auspices the Episcopal church. The proceeds wil o towards the organ fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, of Colorado are visiting at the home of John M. Kin-near. Mrs. Brown was formerly Miss

Violet Kinnear. Miss Alice Hartt, of Halifax, has open a studio for voice culture in the Mercan tile Block. Miss Hartt is a pupil of Madame Etta Edwards of Boston.
Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Nobles gave a very mjoyable at home to the young people of heir church and congregation this week.

The Ladies' Whist Club has been reor ganized. The first meeting was held at Mrs. Geogre Hallett's, Maple avenue. Miss Mragaret Arno'd is visiting Miss

Ross, New York.

Miss Gertrude Sherwood is the guest o Mrs. Marvin Walker, Kentville (N. S.)

Sussex, N. B. Feb. 6.—O. P. King, M.
P. P., who has been ill with pneumonia,
is recovering and expects to be able to be F. G. Lansdown is seriously, but no

### dangerously, ill. Dr. G. N. Pearson is out and able t STANLEY.

Stanley, N. B., Feb. 3-Mr. McDonald f Blackvi'le, has opened a tailoring estabthe business is in charge of Fred Glover Mrs. Uz King has returned to her hom

tion he recently underwent for appendicitis. The sudden and serious illness of so daughters at "Redschill" Church School gloom over our village. Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Munro, of Chatham, are visiting Mrs. Munro's parents at

turned after spending a few days with friends in Fredericton.

Mr. McDonald. of Blackville, Messrs.
McLeod, Henry, Ross and Masters, of St. Owing to the recent heavy falls of snow, several snow-shoeing parties are being planned for the near future. the primary department took a number

be expected, since the very critical opera-tion he recently underwent for append

1-The horse races advertised for Saturday, January 30, did not come off as one of the principal horses did not show up. E. J. Wright, who has been visiting friends at McDonald's Point, returned home yesterday.

Rev. Mr. Gillies, Episcopal rector of Cambridge, has gone to Boston and New

York on a visit.

Rev. H. H. Hayward, general missionary for this province, preached at Upper Jemseg yesterday, and he and Rev. Mr. Atkinson intend holding special meetings at McDonald's Corner, Narrows, and Mill

Sundays since the new year have inter-rupted Sunday school and church service, but we are looking ferward to better days. Weldon Gillerist and Henry Edgett, who have been in the employ of F. Fulmer &

Harmon Gamble had his leg jammed by a rolling log. He will not be able to resume work for some time.

Miss Amelia Brown, who was home for a few weeks, has returned to Shanklin, where she intends to spend the winter-Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Black are receiving congratulations on the arrival of

#### young daughter. BEDFORD.

Bedford Kings Co. N. B., Feb. 2-The cople of this place were quite curprised see a black fox making its way acros been ill, is improving.
Roy Kirk, Misses Pearl Myrtle and
Wessella Lasquie spent Sunday in St.
John, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred
S. Belbin Rev. H. Peirce held service in the F.

### B. meeting house on Sunday afternoon.

BRISTOL. Bristol, Carleton Co., Feb. 4-On Tue lay evening the young people of Florence ville, gave a cantata entitled "David, Kin Lirael," in the Baptist church her which was much appreciated by a good sudience. The parts were all rendered n excellent style and the music was of

Frank Kenney son of Roland Kenney of Knowlesville, while going home from et the fractured bonse. R. station here now.

#### Florenceville station, has gone to the Woodstock hospital for medical treatment. LITTLE BEACH.

Little Beach, St. John Co., Feb. 5-The many friends of John Dunlap are glad to know that his health is somewhat im-Frederick Patterson, of Washademoak who has been ill during the past week at the home of William Ellis, is now able to resume his work.

oking forward to better days. It is rumored that some of our young Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Black are receiving congratulations on the arrival of attle daughter.

The stormy Sundays since the new year ave interrupted the services, but we are

#### WINDSOR.

Windsor, N. S., Feb. 4-Rev. S. Wes on and Mrs. Jones returned home on Sat arday evening from St. John.
Miss Annie Wilson, who has been visiting at the home of her uncle, Mr. George Wilson, has returned to Halifax. Misson, has returned to Halifax.

Miss My Doran has, since August, been enjoying a vi-it with relatives in Toronto and will probably return home this month.

Mrs. Robie Melatchey, who has been with her sister, Mrs. A. Allison, Halifax, for more than three weeks, arrived home

1. Considerable interest is being taken in the coming horse race on Daley's Lake, which will take place next Thursday. H. B. Churchill, secretary of the Gentlemen's Driving Club has received the following entries: Milnocket Maid, Capt. L. D.

EADY FOR USE

well as might week attending the banged of the Martime Industrial League.

Mr. McGowan who was transferred carly last winter from the Canadian Bank of Commerce branch here to the branch in Truro has sent in his resignation, which went into effect on Saturday last. He is at present visiting his old home in Shel-

week from Halifax, where she had been the guest of her sister. Mrs. Netting. She was accompanied to the city by her two-little daughters, one of whom has been seriously ill since returning to Windsor.

ittle daughters, one of whom has begasseriously ill since returning to Windsor.

Miss Maude Wintermute and Era Masse.

Donald, returned to Trury on Monday, having spent a very pleasant, two weeks with their friend, Mrs. Manda Smith, and Rev. Father Kennedy, of Haliat, for merly parish priest, of St. John's R. L. Church, Windsor, was a visitor large of Saturday, and was given a hearty welcome, by his friends.

Mr. John B. Campbell returned from Portaupique Mountain on Thursday, large of having been summened thore by the sudden death of his sister, Mrs. Margaret Morrison. Mrs. Campbell did not return home till Saturday evening, having remained for a few days with her eldest con who has been serious yill with pneumonia. Windsor people are looking forward with eager expectency to the dance to be given next Tuesday evening in the Collegiate School gymnasium half. More than sixty invitations have been sent out. The dance will be a little out of the ordinary as it will be a genuine leap-year party.

Miss Partridge, Halifax, is a guest at the home of the Misses Frizzle and Sixtyinght at Map'cton. She will visit friends in Hantsport before returning home.

Mrs. C. P. Shaw has been in Haliax with relatives for the past month.

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Mr. Wingate Weeks; son of Dr. S. Mr.

the sub-assistant in the post office, have ing entered upon his new duties on Mon-day of this week. He is filling the posi-tion vacated by Mass Lillian Daking. Miss Maude Kennedy has invitations out for a cuchre party this evening to be given at the home of her parents Profund Mrs. Kennedy.

A large number of the members of St. John's Prechyterian church into ad driving to St. Croix this evening to attend the celebration of the fortieth analyces of the miss. Rev. Mr. Henry's ordination to the mint

istry. The evening promises to hive de-lightfully fine one and as the members of the Presbyterian church in St. Cress we the Presbyterian church in St. Creat are making grand preparation for the enter-tainment of the guest a good time will no doubt be enjoyed.

On Friday evening of last week about a dozen friends of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Christie were entertained at a plantate moon gight drive. After an onling of about two hours they returned to the home of the host and hostess, where they were regaled with delicious refrashments, most acceptable after the drive.

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Dr. F. N. Burgess, was in town last Saturday on his way from Cheverie to Halifax to attend the annual meeting of the Nova Scotia Oil & Gas Co., the doctor being a very much interested party. He has been in Cheverie for two weeks, but is now at Parrsboro, where he is re-

but is now at Parrsboro, where he is remaining for the winter.

The members of St. John's R. G. Chauch
have, during the winter, been entoring
progressive eachre parties every two weeks
to raise funds for the finishing of the interior of the chapel. The last one was
hed on January 2, at the home of Mrs.
Freeman Sweet. The admission charged
was twenty-five cents and refreshments
are always served. The prize winners
were Mr. Owen Doran and Miss McMonarle. agle.
Mrs. Alexander Forsythe was the host, Mrs. Alexander Forsythe was the liosty case at a very pleasant tea on Tuesday at termoon. There were more than forth my vited, but owing to the intense cold only about half the number were present, Among them were: Mrs. J. M. Smith, Mrs. C. H. Morris, Mrs. Christic, Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Byers, Mrs. C. DeW. Smith, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. H. W. Dimock, Mrs. Sargent, Mrs. Jamie Curry, Miss Kats O'Brien, Mrs. Handsomebody, Mrs. Tremain, Mrs. J. W. Curry, Mrs. G. D. Geldert. The tea table was presided over by Mrs. George D. Geldert and Mrs. H. W. Dimock and the young ladies who performed most gracefully their duties in serving the many good things were Miss Jenkins, mice of the hostess; Missel Jaine Curry, Ethel Christic and Gladys Dimock. In the evening Mrs. Forsythe entertained a number of friends at progressive euchre. Those present were Mrs.

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DIGBY. Digby, Feb. 5 Word has reached here of the death of Albert E. Newton, a veteran of the United States rebellion, who died at his home in Beverey (Mass.) l'ue day, aged 65 years. He was a memer of Post 31, G. A. R., and Fraternio Lodge, I. O. O. F. He is survived by a widow, who was formerly Miss Maria A Barr, sister of Jesse Barr, R. R., of Wer

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