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Miss Jessie Davison is spending a week with friends at Point du Chene.

Mrs. A. Dunn has returned from Shediac, where she was the guest of Mrs. Cox. Miss Hattie Bartlett, of Sackville, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Dollie Stevens has gone to Repton to visit her sister, Mrs. J. Bishop.

Miss Berie Fraser has returned from Montserrat Falls (Quebec), where she was visiting friends for a couple of weeks.

Miss Ida M. Campbell, of Campbellton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Sincennes have gone to Montreal to spend a couple of weeks at their old home.

Mr. Stead Henderson has returned from an outing at Chatham.

Miss Annie Bovard has gone to Newcastle to visit her aunt, Mrs. J. McCallum.

Rev. Dr. Chapman, of Newark (N. J.), is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. J. White.

Mrs. A. H. Ross, of Montreal, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jones.

Mrs. D. McDerm and children have returned from Cape Breton, where they have been enjoying a few weeks with friends.

Miss Miller, of Campbellton, is the guest of Miss Greta Dickie.

Miss Joseph Joyce has returned from a trip to Montreal.

Miss M. Connors has returned to her home in Boston after a two weeks' visit with the Misses Henderson.

Mr. W. J. McKenzie and Mrs. McKenzie are spending the week in Halifax.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Beard and children have returned from Boston, where they were enjoying a holiday with relatives.

The Misses Katie McKinnon and Nancy Carlie, of Hillsboro, are the guests of Mrs. A. H. Fryers.

Miss Stavert, of Summerside, is spending a few days in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. N. Palmer.

Mrs. J. Craig and children have returned from Newcastle, where they had been spending the week with friends.

Dr. William Perry, who has been spending his vacation at his old home in the city, has gone back to Montreal, where he is on the staff of the Royal Victoria Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cowperthwaite have returned to town after spending the summer in Boston and Richibucto.

Mrs. George Taylor has gone to Halifax to visit friends.

Mrs. Fred Smith has returned to her home in Fredericton, where she is spending some weeks with relatives in town.

Mr. W. K. C. Parlee, of Fredericton, spent the early part of the week in town, the guest of Mrs. Parlee.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Evans are spending the week with friends in town.

Miss Minnie Seaman has returned from Buctouche, where she was spending part of the summer.

The Misses Esther and Marjorie Blair, of Cambridge (Mass.), are staying with friends in town.

Rev. F. S. E. Ford and Mrs. Bamford have gone to St. John to spend a few days with friends.

Miss Pearl Matthews has gone to Glenora, N. B., to spend some time with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Houghton, of Boston, are the guests of Mrs. Houghton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Baird. They are accompanied by Miss Houghton, also of Boston.

Mr. O. J. McCall and children, have returned from Cape Tormentine, where they were spending the summer.

Miss Jennie Drenier, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Josephine Floyd, of Westfield (Mass.), returned on Monday from a pleasant visit to her home in Buctouche, where she was spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Henderson.

Miss Eva Morrison has returned to St. John after a pleasant visit to the guest of her aunt, Mrs. J. McKenzie.

Miss Mabel McGowan has returned from a visit to her relatives, where she was spending the summer with relatives.

Mrs. Hayes and Miss Hayes, of Montreal, are the guests of the Misses McLane.

Miss Ella Harper has returned from Hopewell Cape, where she has been spending a few weeks.

The Misses Lila Lockhart and Ella Crue have gone to Quebec to stay for some time with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. J. Oulton and family have returned from Quebec, where they have been spending the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McFarlane have gone to Sydney to spend a short time with friends.

Miss Bertha Lewis has returned from Calgary, where she has been spending some months, the guest of relatives. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss May Bishop, who will spend the fall in the city.

Rev. Dr. Heine, of St. John, is the guest of his sister, Mrs. French.

Miss Edna Bell has gone to Campbellton to take a position in the Grammar school in that town.

Mr. A. B. Maggs has returned from Sussex, where he has been spending the summer at his old home.

Mrs. W. A. Trenholm has gone to Wakefield (Mass.), to spend some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Whitney.

Miss Hattie Gunn, of Chatham, is the guest of Miss Fayson.

Miss Edith R. Davis has returned from Fredericton, where she has been spending her vacation.

Miss Gertrude Walker left on Thursday for Orange (N. B.), to spend some time with her aunt, Mrs. Edgar Newhouse. Mrs. Walker accompanied her daughter to Montreal.

Mr. George Foster, of the Bank of Montreal staff, has gone to Boston on a holiday trip.

Mrs. J. Edward and family have returned from Upper Canada, where they were spending the summer with relatives.

Mrs. A. A. Rideout, of Fredericton, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Rideout.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Seelye have returned from an extended trip to Argle (N. S.).

Hon. C. W. Robinson, Mrs. Robinson, Miss Marjorie Robinson and the Misses Hinson, of California, left on Wednesday in an automobile trip to Riverside (Albert county), where they will be the guests for a few days of ex-Governor and Mrs. McLellan.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Irons have returned from Grand Manan, where they spent the summer with relatives.

Miss Springton, of Sarnia (Ont.), is the guest of the Misses Mollie and Helen Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Perry, of Summerside (B. C.), are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rand Perry.

Miss Lillie Fairclough, of Charlottetown, is staying with friends in town.

The Misses Hunter are spending a few weeks in Buctouche.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Warman have gone to Toronto to spend a couple of weeks at the Exhibition.

Mr. and Mrs. George Henderson are spending a week in Richibucto, the guests of Mrs. Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Patterson.

Miss Edith Yarnall has returned from an outing at Buctouche.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Torrie have returned from a fishing trip to Grand Falls (N. B.).

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Bell are enjoying a holiday trip to P. E. Island.

Miss Edith Thompson has returned from Montreal, where she has been a student at St. Marie Convent for some months.

Mrs. Irvine Malcolm spent part of the week in Repton, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lennox.

Miss Grace Harris is spending a few days in Fredericton, the guest of Miss Hazel Palmer.

Mrs. B. W. Hewson spent part of the week in Dorchester.

Miss Edith Yarnall is spending a week with friends in Shediac.

Mrs. J. E. Rogers, of Hopewell Hill, is in town for a few days.

Miss Tiffin is spending the week in St. John visiting friends.

On Monday afternoon Mrs. W. F. Humphrey entertained a large number of young people at a picnic, followed in the evening by a most enjoyable dance. Cassin's orchestra furnished the music, which was of a high order.

Mrs. A. E. Williams also gave a picnic and dance on Thursday, at which a number of young folks were present. Mrs. A. D. Thompson and daughter, Mrs. Al. McLellan, were at home to a large number of friends on Friday afternoon. Mrs. Clara Peters of New York poured tea and was assisted by The Misses Mollie Harris, Emma Price and Grace Williams.

On Tuesday evening Mrs. C. P. Harris gave a large dance in honor of Miss Springton, of Sarnia (Ont.), who has been her guest for several weeks. Among those present were Mrs. Al. McLellan, Miss Carrie Thompson, Mrs. L. C. Harris, Miss Jennie Drenier, Miss Josephine Floyd (Westfield), Miss Marks, Miss Corbett, the Misses Hazel and Fannie Taylor, Mrs. J. M. Cooke, the Misses Morris and Agnes Peters and Mr. W. McKee, Mr. Montgomery, Mr. Boggs, Mr. Ted Chapman, Mr. Derbie, Mr. William Perry, Mr. Roy Sumner, Mr. Dwyer (Boston), Mr. Myers, Mr. J. L. McSwaney and Mr. S. B. Anderson.

Miss Kate Corbett has returned from a pleasant trip to Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert McConnell and daughter, Miss Lillian, of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. McConnell's sister, Mrs. W. F. Rogers.

Mrs. J. G. Thompson has gone to Sackville to visit friends.

Mr. and Mrs. George McWilliam, of Newcastle, are the guests of friends in the city.

Miss Nellie Henderson has gone to Springfield (N. B.), to spend a week or two with friends.

Mrs. S. Gordon and daughter have returned from St. John, where they were staying with relatives.

Hon. H. R. Emmerson, of Ottawa, spent Tuesday in the city.

Mrs. John O'Rourke has gone to Halifax, where she intends to make her future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Atkinson have returned to their home in Ottawa after an extended visit with relatives in the city and Dorchester.

Mrs. George O. Spencer and children have returned from Dartmouth, where they were the guests of Mrs. Spencer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Spencehouse.

Sheriff McQueen, of Dorchester, spent Tuesday in town.

Miss Maggie Roy, of Newcastle, is visiting friends in the city.

Miss Bosie Cook has returned from Newcastle, where she was the guest of Mrs. C. Jones and son, Master Stewart, who have been spending the week with her in Charlottetown, where they were visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McFarlane have gone to Sydney to spend a few days with friends.

On Tuesday evening at eight o'clock a pretty home wedding took place at the residence of Mr. A. E. Killam when his step-daughter, Miss Ella Manson Ballett was united in marriage to Mr. James Walter McFarlane, of Fredericton, in the presence of about seventy-five guests.

Rev. D. MacDerm, pastor of St. John's Presbyterian church, was the officiating clergyman. The house was prettily decorated with potted plants and cut flowers.

The bride wore a white tulle gown, was crowned in an elegant robe of white lace over white duchesse satin and presented a charming appearance. After the ceremony a delicious luncheon was served and Mr. and Mrs. McFarlane left on the Maritime express on a trip to Upper Canada. The bride travelled in a tailor made gown of green silk with green and champagne coat of pongee silk. The presents were mostly of silver and cut glass, the groom's present to the bride being a handsome sunburst of pearls and diamonds. Among the out of town guests were Mrs. James Killam and Mrs. George Davidson, of Pettonville; Mrs. H. B. Emerson, Jr., of Ottawa; Mr. and Mrs. William McFarlane, Mrs. James McKay and Mrs. Tyler, of Fredericton; Miss Anne McKay, of Wollastou (Florida), and Miss Boyce, of St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Chamberlain, of Natick (Ont.), are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Heston.

Mrs. Jarvis, of Chatham, is spending a few days with friends in town.

Miss Lavina Lewis, of Hillsboro, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Marr.

Mrs. Robert M. Stevens and Miss Ella Stevens have returned from Winnipeg, where they spent the summer with Mrs. Stevens's son.

Mr. Clyde Sands is home from Boston to spend a few weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Sands.

Miss George Barnhill, of Two Rivers (N. S.), is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. D. Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harris and Mrs. William Cowling are away on a holiday trip to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Lockhart, of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. Lockhart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cole.

Rev. Dr. G. M. Campbell and Mrs. Campbell, of St. John, were in city on Saturday en route to Quebec, from which place they sailed for an extended trip on the continent. Miss Joan Campbell accompanied her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Williams have returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Halifax.

The Misses Margaret and Bell Tait have returned to their home in Providence after an enjoyable stay with friends in town.

Mr. George Rogers, of Boston, is spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Rogers.

Mr. H. G. Marr has returned from Hillsboro, where she has been spending the summer with relatives. Miss Helen Marr and Master Jack Marr have also returned from an extended stay in Boston.

Moncton, N. B., Aug. 28. (Special).—The Strathcona Coal Company's shed situated on the wharf on the foot of Pleasant Street was completely destroyed by fire which broke out about half past three o'clock this morning. The building was in flames when the fire was discovered, but fortunately there was little or no

wind, and what there was carried sparks and cinders in the direction of the river.

The discovery of the fire was made by Mrs. Stuart Campbell who at first thought the blaze came from the residence of Mr. J. H. Rogers, just north of the coal shed. Although the firemen responded promptly to the alarm, the building was doomed before they could reach the spot. The efforts of the department were directed towards preventing the fire from spreading to Mr. Rogers' house on the opposite side of the street. What the extent of the damage was, however, it is not known as the firemen had not been for the cars standing on the siding at the time the fire broke out. The cars were practically in ashes, and the coal stored within was on fire.

A box and coal car, loaded with coal, stood on the siding at the time the fire broke out and escaped destruction.

The shed was quite a large building, but being a mere shell, would probably not cost more than seven or eight hundred dollars. The top of the wharf also escaped destruction.

Byron Mende, of Moncton, brakeman on Ferguson's special, had his foot badly jammed while attending to some shunting work on the Newcasle yard last night. The injured man was taken to Campbellton and placed in the hospital for treatment.

A meeting of the Board of Health, held last night, it was definitely decided to hold a ten mile road race on Labor Day. The course will be down the A. O. H. convention in St. John this week.

Mr. Dugal, lately returned from South Africa, has been spending a week at the home of Mrs. J. Covert, of New York, who has been spending some weeks at Shediac.

Little Miss Jean Webster has been spending some weeks in Sackville.

Newcastle, Aug. 27.—C. J. Morrissey, Miss Mollie Morrison, T. Herbert Whalen and John W. Munro, of Campbellton, stopped off here this week on their way from Campbellton to Yarmouth.

Miss Schofield, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. Nelson.

Miss Bertha McGrath is visiting Chatham friends.

Mr. Major returned on Friday from her trip to Bellisde.

Miss Bernice Donett, of Bellisde, visited her brother, Thos. Donett, a few days in town, the guest of Mrs. A. O. H. convention in St. John this week.

Mr. and Mrs. David K. Cool spent the last few days in Restigouche county.

Capt. Lawrie and his sister, Miss Helen Lawrie, Redbank, visited Chatham last week.

Miss Mary Doyle visited Chatham last week.

Miss Mahoney, of the Miramichi Hotel, has gone to Moncton for a short vacation.

James O. Fish sustained a heavy fall on Monday which will lay him up several days.

Rev. Harry Royle, of Bolton, England, will preach in the Methodist church here on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton, of Moncton, spent Sunday with Mrs. Milton's sister, Mrs. W. B. Bessie and Lester Jeffrey returned on Saturday from Tabatabaia.

Miss Eulah Margaret Stuart returned on Saturday from a visit to her grandmother, Mrs. T. W. Alexander, and aunt, Mrs. F. W. Price, at Fredericton Junction.

Miss Anna MacPherson has returned to her home in Bisset.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Brooks have a baby daughter.

Allan Menzies, of Strathadam has gone to Manitoba.

Mr. Tomlin visited friends in Redbank a few days ago.

Miss Bessie Snell, of St. John, is spending her vacation at her home in Upper Canada.

Mrs. Eliezer Merrithen and her daughter, Mrs. J. B. Daggett, of Hartland, are visiting the former's daughter, Mrs. James Snell, in this city.

Charles Crammond, jr., spent Wednesday in Fredericton, and Henry Wyse in Upper Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott spent Sunday in Bathurst.

Mrs. Mackay, of Whiteville, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Enoch Bamford, of Bisset.

Miss Susie Robinson has returned from St. John to her home in Bisset.

Mrs. James Copp has returned from Methuen, Mass., where she spent the last few months with her daughter, Mrs. W. B. Bayley.

Miss Bessie Wyseman has returned to New Bedford after a short visit to her home in Bisset.

Miss Frances Fleiger has returned from her vacation at her home in Upper Canada.

Mrs. Thomson in Halifax.

Miss Agnes Goto, of Moncton, is spending her vacation here.

James Wright returned on Wednesday from a visit to Chatham.

Mrs. John W. Ross has returned to Alnwick after a visit to her sister, Mrs. F. W. Fleiger.

Mrs. F. M. Gaynor, of Chatham, visited Mrs. F. W. Fleiger this week.

Miss Daisy Crocker, of Millerton, went to the west on Monday.

John Troy, drug clerk with A. E. Shaw, left yesterday to take a course in the Ontario College of Pharmacy at Toronto.

On the 28th Miss Sadie Cassidy invited about twenty of her girl friends on the occasion of her sixth birthday.

Miss Olive Williamson returned to Moncton on Saturday.

Newcastle, August 28.—The Northumberland County S. S. Association will meet in the Presbyterian church, Burnt Church (N. B.), on Thursday and Friday, Sept. 10 and 11. All delegates will please send in their names as soon as possible to the secretary, Mr. J. H. Harter, to remain either in Chatham or Newcastle over night, will be entertained if their names are sent to Rev. G. P. Dawson, Chatham, or T. A. Clarke, Newcastle. A Sunday School rally will be held in Chatham on Friday evening the 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Murray returned on Wednesday to her home in Moncton from spending some days with Mrs. H. W. Murray, Main street east.

Miss M. Cooke, who has been enjoying a few weeks at Idleyville left town for her Moncton home this week.

Mrs. Chas. Hickman, of Dorchester, was here last week, the guest of Mrs. Brule.

Misses Graham, of Ottawa, are spending some weeks in town.

Mrs. Mackay, of Sussex, and Mrs. Spooner, of Hampton, are among the "Idleyville" guests at present.

Mr. Leon Melanson has returned home from his vacation at Idleyville in driving in P. E. Island.

Miss Frances Harris, of Sackville, was the guest for the week end of Mrs. Chas. Hickman, of Dorchester.

Mr. Paul Robidoux is able to be out driving after being confined to his home for some time owing to fever.

Miss Ruthford, of New York, left for St. John on Friday of last week from visiting Mrs. W. B. Deacon, Main street.

Rev. H. H. Martin, of St. Martins, visited his mother, Mrs. H. Peirce during the week.

Mrs. Code, of Montreal, is visiting Mrs. M. Bourque, Main street east.

Mrs. Moore, who has been spending the last two months with relatives in town, left this week for her home in Vancouver.

The Marchioness of Donegal, who has been spending some weeks in Moncton, and Mrs. D. Domine, left last evening for Montreal, en route to her home in England.

On Monday, Mrs. D. Domine was hostess at an enjoyable picnic, held at Nashwaak in honor of the Marchioness of Donegal.

Mrs. T. Carleton Allen gave a luncheon on Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Rawlings of New York. Covers were laid for eight. The luncheon was very successful, and proved very successful, was a bridge given by Mrs. Frank L. Cooper on Thursday evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. Gilley of Oklahoma city.

Mrs. Gilley, who was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. Gilley, wore a strikingly pretty gown of white silk with black figures and black trimmings and Valenciennes lace, pearl and old gold ornaments.

Mrs. Gilley—light Roman striped silk, with pearls.

Mrs. Sherman—pale grey voile.

Mrs. Sherman—green silk, white lace.

Mrs. J. M. Wiley—black silk and chiffon.

Mrs. McCready—cream lace.

Mrs. Shaw—blue voile and white lace.

Mrs. Calder—pale blue silk and val.

Miss Hulme (Baltimore)—Old rose blue muslin and white lace.

Mrs. Seelye (St. John)—Blue flowered muslin and white lace.

Mrs. Harry Chesnut—White Brussels lace over tulle.

Mrs. Aubrey Clarke—Alice blue silk, cream lace.

Mrs. W. C. Crockett—Grey voile and white Cluny lace.

Mrs. Robt. Campbell—flowered organza with mauve silk trimmings.

Mrs. A. G. Thompson—white silk and white lace.

Mrs. Beverly—eau de nil silk and white lace.

Mrs. Cunningham—white silk.

Mrs. Jeanette Beverly—pink silk.

Mrs. Fred C. Chesnut—cream cologne and lace.

Mrs. Torrence—blue silk and lace.

Mrs. Fowler—white lawn.

Mrs. Hoyt (Boston)—lavender silk.

Mrs. A. I. McMurray—brown silk.

Mrs. Everett—grey edging and lace.

Miss Winifred Everett—cream cologne.

Mrs. Cooper—pink silk muslin and panne velvet.

At midnight a dainty supper was served and the prizes presented. Miss Jeannette Beverly was the winner of the first prize. Mrs. H. H. Martin won the second prize. Then all the party cut for consolation prizes which was won by Mrs. Gilley, of Oklahoma.

Mrs. W. A. G. Gibson have returned after a delightful driving trip to the upper waters of the St. John.

Mrs. Helen Everett will leave on Monday for Toronto, where she will visit Mrs. Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Pickett, of Kingston, are the guests of Mrs. Wm. Cooper.

Mrs. Harry Chesnut (N. Y.), is visiting on Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Sterling, of Monasia.

Dr. E. G. & Mrs. Woodruff, Mrs. O. B. Ross and Mrs. Fitzgerald are here on a composed a party of tourists who arrived here in the doctor's automobile and spent the week in the city.

Miss Florence Hawthorn arrived home yesterday after a visit of five weeks in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sayre, Mr. St. John, Sayre and Miss Vasie, of St. John, were visitors in the city this week, having come in Mr. Sayre's automobile.

Mrs. H. H. Martin, a very interesting champion of New Brunswick, was met at the station on her arrival home from Rostessy by members of the tennis club and heartily cheered. After a short stay she escorted to her home on a buckboard and many cheers.

At the tennis tea on Saturday afternoon Mrs. Lillian, Mrs. Fitzgerald and Miss Mary Harrison, were the hostesses for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene P. Currier and Miss Lois Currier, of Boston, will spend the week at Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe's summer camp "Cherry Bank," having come by automobile from Boston.

Mrs. J. G. Gold, of Boston, is entertaining in honor of Mrs. Loggie, of Chatham.

Mrs. Remington Ward and daughter, Elizabeth, of Newport (R.I.), are visiting Mrs. Sterling's sister, Mrs. H. W. Shaw.

Mrs. Ward's sister, Mrs. Augusta (Me.), who has been the guest of Mrs. Loggie, will leave on Saturday for Augusta.

Mr. Guy Whitehead, of Grand Falls, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitehead.

Mrs. W. H. Shaw and her daughter, Irena, have returned after a visit to Mrs. Shaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Bull, of Woodstock.

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Miss Beek has returned after visiting Mrs. Palmer in St. John.

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Miss May Hilyard, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Campbell Allen, will leave for her home in New York on Saturday.

Mrs. Hoyt and son, Mr. Clarence Hoyt, who have been visiting Mrs. Hoyt's parents, will leave for their home in Boston on Saturday.

Mrs. Camé, of Montreal, is here visiting her sister, Mrs. Schofield.

Mrs. G. DeVeber, Miss G. Gilbert and Miss M. Cawson are here on a yachting trip, having come up from St. John on the yacht "Thistle."

Mrs. and Mrs. Hugh Galder have moved into their new home, "The Willows," in Waterloo road, and are now entertaining a water party, among whom are Miss Hathaway, of St. John, Miss Zaidie Hulme, of Baltimore and Miss Seelye, of St. John.

Mrs. Clements, who was Miss Violet Marsh in her New York, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kingston.

Mrs. VanBuskirk and daughter, Miss Jean VanBuskirk, are here on a visit from St. John.

Mr. W. G. Osborne, principal of the Business College, returned home today after a trip to the Pacific coast. Mrs. Osborne and children, who have been spending the summer at St. Osborn's former home in Ontario, came home with him.

Mrs. Tapley and Miss Florence Bird returned on Tuesday after a pleasant vacation spent with Mrs. B. J. Dowling, Douglas avenue, St. John.

Mrs. J. Woodford Smith, Mrs. L. R. Harrison, Miss May Harrison and Miss Thorne, were in the party arriving here on the yacht "Dream." They spent the week end here.

Mrs. A. S. Murray and children returned home on Tuesday after their summer outing in the Annapolis valley.

Many friends here will sympathize with Mr. and Mrs. George Turton in the loss of their bright, beautiful three-year-old son, who died of diphtheria, and who died on Tuesday morning after a few days' illness. Mr. and Mrs. Turton, who are prostrated with grief, left on the evening train for Montreal, with the body. Interment will take place there.

The floral offerings were very beautiful and covered the little white casket, which was placed in the train for Montreal.

The executive of the York Agricultural Society met this afternoon with President Campbell in the chair and unanimously decided to hold a ten days' exhibition next year. The show will open on September 14 and close on September 23. The meeting was most enthusiastic, and Ald. Farrell, who was sent to Ottawa several months ago to urge the claims of Fredericton for the Dominion grant next year, submitted the most encouraging report. It is proposed to appoint committees in the near future and start right in with the work of the exhibition.

Colonel Barry, a former officer in Bombay Lancers, who has hunted big game in nearly every part of the world, arrived here today to spend a month on the Miramichi. The colonel came out on the steamer Empress of Britain and was six days in Chatham during exhibition week and also to send a delegation to the tournament at St. Stephen during the carnival. It is likely that the delegation to St. Stephen will consist of ten men, while the Chatham delegation will be larger. The Fredericton department will also send a delegation to Chatham for the 220 and 440 yard dashes, ladder race, hose coupling contest and relay races.

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The Marchioness of Donegal, who has been spending some weeks in Moncton, and Mrs. D. Domine, left last evening for Montreal, en route to her home in England.

On Monday, Mrs. D. Domine was hostess at an enjoyable picnic, held at Nashwaak in honor of the Marchioness of Donegal.

Mrs. T. Carleton Allen gave a luncheon on Wednesday in honor of Mrs. Rawlings of New York. Covers were laid for eight. The luncheon was very successful, and proved very successful, was a bridge given by Mrs. Frank L. Cooper on Thursday evening in honor of her guest, Mrs. Gilley of Oklahoma city.

Mrs. Gilley, who was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. Gilley, wore a strikingly pretty gown of white silk with black figures and black trimmings and Valenciennes lace, pearl and old gold ornaments.

Mrs. Gilley—light Roman striped silk, with pearls.

Mrs. Sherman—pale grey voile.

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Mrs. J. M. Wiley—black silk and chiffon.

Mrs. McCready—cream lace.

Mrs. Shaw—blue voile and white lace.

Mrs. Calder—pale blue silk and val.

Miss Hulme (Baltimore)—Old rose blue muslin and white lace.

Mrs. Seelye (St. John)—Blue flowered muslin and white lace.

Mrs. Harry Chesnut—White Brussels lace over tulle.

Mrs. Aubrey Clarke—Alice blue silk, cream lace.

Mrs. W. C. Crockett—Grey voile and white Cluny lace.

Mrs. Robt. Campbell—flowered organza with mauve silk trimmings.

Mrs. A. G. Thompson—white silk and white lace.

Mrs. Beverly—eau de nil silk and white lace.

Mrs. Cunningham—white silk.

Mrs. Jeanette Beverly—pink silk.

Mrs. Fred C. Chesnut—cream cologne and lace.

Mrs. Torrence—blue silk and lace.

Mrs. Fowler—white lawn.

Mrs. Hoyt (Boston)—lavender silk.

Mrs. A. I. McMurray—brown silk.

Mrs. Everett—grey edging and lace.

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Mrs. Cooper—pink silk muslin and panne velvet.

At midnight a dainty supper was served and the prizes presented. Miss Jeannette Beverly was the winner of the first prize. Mrs. H. H. Martin won the second prize. Then all the party cut for consolation prizes which was won by Mrs. Gilley, of Oklahoma.

Mrs. W. A. G. Gibson have returned after a delightful driving trip to the upper waters of the St. John.

Mrs. Helen Everett will leave on Monday for Toronto, where she will visit Mrs. Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Pickett, of Kingston, are the guests of Mrs. Wm. Cooper.

Mrs. Harry Chesnut (N. Y.), is visiting on Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Sterling, of Monasia.

Dr. E. G. & Mrs. Woodruff, Mrs. O. B. Ross and Mrs. Fitzgerald are here on a composed a party of tourists who arrived here in the doctor's automobile and spent the week in the city.

Miss Florence Hawthorn arrived home yesterday after a visit of five weeks in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Sayre, Mr. St. John, Sayre and Miss Vasie, of St. John, were visitors in the city this week, having come in Mr. Sayre's automobile.

Mrs. H. H. Martin, a very interesting champion of New Brunswick, was met at the station on her arrival home from Rostessy by members of the tennis club and heartily cheered. After a short stay she escorted to her home on a buckboard and many cheers.

At the tennis tea on Saturday afternoon Mrs. Lillian, Mrs. Fitzgerald and Miss Mary Harrison, were the hostesses for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene P. Currier and Miss Lois Currier, of Boston, will spend the week at Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe's summer camp "Cherry Bank," having come by automobile from Boston.

Mrs. J. G. Gold, of Boston, is entertaining in honor of Mrs. Loggie, of Chatham.

Mrs. Remington Ward and daughter, Elizabeth, of Newport (R.I.), are visiting Mrs. Sterling's sister, Mrs. H. W. Shaw.

Mrs. Ward's sister, Mrs. Augusta (Me.), who has been the guest of Mrs. Loggie, will leave on Saturday for Augusta.

Mr. Guy Whitehead, of Grand Falls, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitehead.

Mrs. W. H. Shaw and her daughter, Irena, have returned after a visit to Mrs. Shaw's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert A. Bull, of Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitehead have returned after a trip to Grand Falls.

Miss Beek has returned after visiting Mrs. Palmer in St. John.

The Misses Sterling are this evening entertaining at bridge in honor of their cousin, Mrs. Rev. of Augusta.

Miss May Hilyard, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. John Campbell Allen, will leave for her home in New York on Saturday.

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Andover, N. B., Aug. 27.—Miss Gable, of Woodstock, is the guest of Miss Pearl Watters, of Andover.

Miss Iva Baxter left on Friday for a few weeks' visit to Boston and Haverhill, Mass.

Rev. Mr. Wentworth and Mrs. Wentworth left last week for St. John to attend the convention of the United Baptist church in that city.

Mrs. Hall, of the Barony, and daughter, Helen, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. H. Tibbitts.

Mrs. Charles Watson, of Salmon River, is the guest of his daughters, Mrs. William Curry and Mrs. H. H. Tibbitts.

Miss Pearl Watters gave a picnic at Indian Flat on Monday afternoon in honor of her guest, Miss Gable.

Mr. Daniel Wiley returned on Wednesday from a visit to Cary Camp, Littleton, Maine.

Captain Glass, of Summerside, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. Mary Macy for a few weeks.

Miss Helen Perry leaves on Thursday for Edinburgh, Penn., via the I. C. R., visiting friends at Moncton and Sordian and Montreal.

A very successful concert was given on Wednesday evening in Beveridge's hall by the Andover and Perth Band. Solos were given by Mrs. Mitchell, of Toronto; Miss Stewart and Miss Porter, of Andover, and readings by Miss Helena Peley and Miss Beatrice Welling and selections by the band; also a solo by Dr. Dickinson. Knowles' orchestra from Fairfield furnished music for the social dance after the programme and during the intermission. The proceeds go toward buying music and instruments. The sum of \$50 was realized.

Mrs. Herbert Manzer, of Aroostook Junction, has returned home after a lengthy visit with her sister, Mrs. Perry, of Presque Isle.

FLORENCEVILLE

Florenceville, Aug. 27.—Mrs. Wm. L. McCain, Mrs. Mabel Alford Estabrook attended the convention of the Baptist W. M. S. last week in Amherst.

Miss Adelaide Jewett is visiting friends in the village.

Dr. Inch and Inspector Meagher were in the village yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gordon have returned to their home in Montreal.

Miss Hazel McCain has gone to teach in Woodstock.

Florenceville Consolidated School reopened Wednesday morning with the following staff of teachers, viz: F. C. Squires, B.A., of Bath, principal; Robert Rush, St. Mary; and Mrs. 1st intermediate; Annie B. Wetmore, St. John, N.B., 2nd intermediate and manual training; Jean Patterson, Truro, N.S., primary and domestic science; and Miss M. M. M. up to the standard of last year while already several quarterly scholars have enrolled.

The contract for driving the Connell van has been awarded to Harland, by Taylor, while James Peters drives the van from East Florenceville.

HARTLAND

Hartland, N. B., Aug. 27.—The weather this week has been ideal for harvesting. The farmers are now getting well along, and the general outlook is making them anticipate. Potatoes are proving of better quality than has been the case for years, there being no injury by rust, rot or blight. The quality of the medium making them more salable. Saunders DeWitt, of DeWitt Brothers, says that the farmers report a very large number of bushels to the acre. That is considered an average crop.

The yield of oats is about 25 per cent. less than last year.

Recently the marriage of Jennie Myrtle Gray, of Forston and Hans Wilson Mackenzie, of Grafton, was solemnized at the Baptist church, Hartland, by the pastor, Rev. E. C. Jenkins.

Miss Laura Jones, trained nurse, of Presque Isle (Me.), is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Charles B. Caldwell.

H. M. Stevens and Judson Currie start tomorrow for a driving trip to Houlton (Me.).

Miss Charbel Haerman arrived today from a trip to Bangor.

The long game between the Hartland and the Hillsville team yesterday resulted in a victory for the latter by a score of 11 to 10. A return game is to be played soon.

Hewitt Smith, Mrs. Smith and two children, arrived at Bath today, having been among those who suffered by fire in the great conflagration at Ferns (B. C.). They lost their house but were able to save most of their clothing. Everything else went up in smoke.

John E. Sayre, of St. John, was at the Exchange today. He is here on business connected with the mill.

Harley Boyer who has been spending ten days' vacation with friends in this vicinity leaves today for Boston, where he is employed as a drug clerk.

Down Nicholson, Mrs. Nicholson, and child, of Jamaica Plain (Mass.), have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nixon, of St. John.

Miss Bertha Nicholson of the same place is still visiting here.

Mrs. D. E. Morgan and her grand-daughter, Miss Mabel Morgan, have returned from a pleasant visit with Mrs. Morgan's daughter, Mrs. J. Sterling King, of New Brunswick, Kings County. Mrs. Morgan also attended the women's convention at Amherst.

Rev. Abner M. MacNinch, of Grand Manan, is the guest of his aged parents at Victoria Corner.

Miss Sallie Tomler, a trained nurse