r of the First Baptist church at Vernon B. C.)
Hon. A. D. Richard spent Tuesday in Moncton.
Mr. Herb Palmer spent last Sunday in Sackville.
Rev. Canon Robinson attended the deanery meeting which was held in Sackville Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.
The Women's Auxiliary of Trinity church met at the residence of Mrs. John Hickman. The girls' branch of W. A. met at the residence of Mrs. Oulton.
Miss Henry, of Petitcodiac, is in town, staying with Mrs. D. D. McDonald.
Mrs. Hazen Chapman and daughter, Miss Muriel, returned last week from Amherst, where they have been visiting Mrs. Chapman's sister, Mrs. Bent.
Mr. William Palmer visited Halifax last week.
Mrs. S. L. T. Harrison and little daughter, Elizabeth, of Moncton, are in town, the guest of friends.
Mrs. Papineau is in Amherst this week, the guest of relatives.
Mr. Kennedy, of the Bank of Nova Scotia; Mr. R. Harper, H. Henderson and Norman Fawcett, of Sackville, were in town on Sunday.
Mr. Philip Palmer has returned from St. John.

NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, Dec. 4—Mrs. Ernest Hutchison left last Tuesday on a visit to friends in Brookline (Mass.)
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCurdy spent several days of the past week in St. John and Moncton.
Mrs. F. J. Desmond entertained a number of her friends most pleasantly at a thimble party at her apartments at Hotel Miramichi last Thursday evening. Among those present were Mrs. D. S. Grimmer, Mrs. Robert Nicholson, Mrs. John Robison, Mrs. Robert Armstrong, Mrs. A. E. Shaw, Mrs. John Russell, Mrs. Allen J. eFrguson, Mrs. Keary and others.
Miss Clare Creaghan returned last week from a pleasant visit with her sister, Mrs. King Hazen, of St. John.
Mr. Bustin, of St. John, was the guest of Miss Addie Stables while in town last week.
Dr. W. C. Wilson and daughter Leslie, of Millerton, returned last Saturday from a pleasant visit with friends in Fredericton.
Mr. R. Corey Clark left last week for England, where he will spend the winter.
Miss Marian Rundle spent the week-end in Loggieville, the guest of Miss A. L. Johnson.
Miss Gladys Foley is spending a few days in Rogersville, the guest of her cousin, Miss Gertrude Buckley.
Miss Grace McDonald, who has been visiting Mrs. Harrison at the parsonage for some time, left last week for her home in Eastport (Me.)
Mrs. W. H. Borton, of Moncton, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McAuley, at the Union hotel.
Mrs. Powell and children, of Pictou (N. S.), are guests of the former's parents, Track Master and Mrs. Giles, at the station.
Ned Hubbard, the popular knight of the grip, spent the week-end in town, the guest of his grandmother, Mrs. Adams.
Mrs. John Creaghan left last week for St. John, where he has accepted a position in the Courtenay Bay works.
Master Allen McInerney, of Richibucto, has accepted a position in the Royal Bank here.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bell, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bell and Mrs. Brightman for a few weeks, returned to their home in Amherst last week. Their daughter, Miss Annie, will spend the winter in Newcastle, the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. H. Brightman.
Mrs. Robert C. McMurray announces the engagement of her eldest daughter, Eva Jane, to Robert Kidd Galloway, of Coupan Angus, Perthshire, Scotland, the wedding to take place in December.
Ald. James Falconer's many friends are pleased to hear that he has recovered sufficiently from his severe attack of pneumonia as to be able to sit up. Mrs. Falconer's condition, however, is still unfavorable. Her daughter, Mrs. I. P. Jonah, of Amherst, is with her mother.
Mr. John T. Rundle, of Chatham, spent several days this week in town, the guest of his brother, James A. Rundle.
Ernest Maltby, who has been spending some time here with home friends, returned last week to Medicine Hat. He was accompanied back by his wife and children, who have been spending the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryenton, Bryenton's Siding.
Mrs. M. McManimon and Miss Margaret Dawes, who have been spending the past fifteen months visiting friends in Newcastle and Barnaby River, returned to their home in Millinocket (Me.) last week.
Rev. E. E. Mowatt, of Loggieville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Stables while in town the past week.
Mrs. David Barron, of Millerton, spent the week-end in town, the guest of her son, Mr. John Barron.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Dec. 5—The beautiful rood screen which has recently been placed in Trinity church, St. John, by Mrs. McAvity as a memorial to her late husband, and has received high commendation by the best art critics of New York, was the work of Mr. F. de Lancy Robinson, formerly of Fredericton, but now of New York.
Miss Mattie McLauchlin was today hostess at a bridge of eight tables and a number of other friends coming in at the tea hour. The prize winners were Mrs. W. Steeves and Miss Valerie Steeves. Mrs. Harold Babbit and Miss Helen Babbit got extra guest prizes.
Mrs. Carr, of New York, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. de Lancy Robinson, of Fredericton, and daughter, Miss Constance Carr, who left here in September and are now touring Europe, have met many pleasant acquaintances in their journeyings. They were in Florence, Italy, last month and there met Miss Rachael Balloch, of Fredericton, who is also traveling abroad and this week they met Mrs. J. Morris Robinson, of St. John, in Rome. They will next visit Paris, where they will spend some weeks before returning to London for the remainder of the winter.
Mrs. Dibblee will this evening entertain at bridge for Mrs. Doull and the wives of some of the guests at the honorary dinner for Mayor Doull.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morrison, of Portland (Me.), were week-end visitors here, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. David Wark Brown.
Mrs. H. H. McNally was hostess at an at home from 4 to 6 o'clock and was assisted in receiving her many guests by her mother-in-law, Mrs. James McNally. Mrs. McNally wore a handsome gown of champagne broadcloth with Irish point lace and irridescent sequin trimmings and pearl ornaments. Mrs. James McNally wore a gown of black satin. In the tea room Mrs. J. W. Scott in rose satin with chiffon trimmings and black velvet hat with black plumes, and Mrs. A. S. McFarlane, in buttercup yellow silk and large hat with white plumes, presided at a daintily appointed table. Those assisting were Miss Helen Robinson, Miss Vera VanBuskirk, Miss Christina Henry, Miss Estabrook, Miss Bessie Robinson and Miss Hazel Campbell served. Mrs. Miller and Mrs. E. Henry served the ices. Miss Edna Golding invited the guests out.
The Lang Syne Club met on Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thomas,

when Mrs. Hubbard and Mr. Geo. Taylor were the prize winners.
Hon. H. F. McLeod leaves on Monday for Bermuda for the benefit of his health and will be gone six weeks. Mrs. McLeod will accompany him.
Mrs. Donham, of Portland (Me.), is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. P. Robinson.
Miss Stopford entertained the 1910 Club at Elmcroft on Wednesday evening.
Mrs. W. A. McLellan was on Tuesday afternoon hostess at a bridge of ten tables, when Mrs. C. Fred Chestnut and Mrs. John C. Allen were the prize winners.
Mrs. McLellan and Miss Hazel Palmer were on Wednesday afternoon joint hostesses at a girls' drawing room tea. In receiving, Mrs. McLellan was gowned in rose satin, Miss Palmer wore black velvet with cluny lace. Mrs. Ross Thompson presided at table and poured. Those assisting were Miss Dorothy Thompson, Miss Kathleen Hodge, Miss Jean Wilson and Miss Mae Kilburn.
Mrs. Alcorn has returned from a two weeks' visit to Toronto.
Major Doull is this evening being banquetted at the "officers' mess" by a number of prominent gentlemen friends.
Mrs. Balloch and daughter, Miss Kathleen, who are wintering in St. John, spent the week-end at their home here.
Mrs. Doull was today tendered a valuable souvenir by lady friends who regret her departure.
Miss Sterling was the hostess of the Monday Club this week, when Mrs. W. H. Steeves and Mrs. George Taylor were the prize winners.
At Mrs. Ashburnham's bridge on Friday afternoon Mrs. Alex. Thompson and Miss Lynch were the prize winners.
Mrs. H. H. McNally is this evening entertaining at bridge.
Mrs. W. B. Torrens and Mrs. G. W. Torrens have returned from a pleasant visit to New York.
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 6—(Special.)—Alexander P. McIntyre, who recently returned from Ontario, died at the home of his sister-in-law this morning, aged 33. He was a native of River Dennys, N. S., where his parents reside. His widow was formerly Miss Lou Tennant of this city.
A sixteen months old child named Alice Clanfield fell on a stove in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Robinson, in Gibson, this morning and was badly burned about the legs.
There is no trace of Harry Short, who escaped from the county jail on Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Fenety, wife of ex-Queen's Printer Fenety, who has been seriously ill, is improving.
C. I. Wilkinson, of Montagu, P. E. I., has arrived to join the staff of the Bank of Commerce.
Hon. John Morrissy, chief commissioner of public works, has announced that the contract for the substructure of the new bridge over the reversible falls at St. John has been awarded to Joseph McVay & Son. The work is to be completed by December, 1913, and the cost will be approximately $50,000.
The call for tenders for the superstructure of the new bridge will probably be made within a short time.
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 8—Florence McGuire, daughter of James McGuire, of Victoria Mills, this city, was drowned this afternoon in the St. John river, near her home. The girl was playing about on the ice near the shore and went through. She was about fifteen years old. Parties were grappling for the body this evening, but without success.
The funeral of the late Alex. P. McIntyre took place here this afternoon and was largely attended. Service was conducted by Dr. W. H. Smith and interment was made in the Rural cemetery.
Major and Mrs. J. D. Doull and child will leave for Quebec Monday evening.
The annual meeting of the N. B. and Maine Baseball League, which is called for Monday night at the Queen hotel, probably will be postponed until a later date.
Hon. H. F. McLeod will leave on Monday for Bermuda for the benefit of his health. He will be gone six weeks. Mrs. McLeod will accompany him. They will leave via New York.
Information is wanted concerning the whereabouts of "H. Stewart and wife," who left a local hotel on Tuesday evening last owing an eight-days' board bill amounting to $20, and departed for parts unknown. The "wife" in this case is said to be the young daughter of a prominent Stanley man. She left home about a fortnight ago, and is thought to have eloped with Stewart, with whom she had been acquainted about two weeks. It is probable that a search for the two will be carried farther than Fredericton.
The twelve horses purchased at the Old Glory sale at New York last week by Fredericton buyers arrived here this morning. They were on the cars for a week, coming by a roundabout route via Sherbrook. The owners of the animals are H. J. Morgan, A. E. Quartermain and Thomas Hughes. This importation makes twenty-one standard bred horses which have come into Fredericton in a week.
Bishop Richardson, recently operated upon, is improving steadily.

MONCTON

Moncton, Dec. 5—Mr. Taylor, of Apple River (N. B.), has been spending a few days in the city, the guest of his sister, Mrs. L. R. Rettie.
Miss Charlotte Patterson has returned to the city, after spending three months with friends in St. John.
Mr. Andrew Ruddock, of Hampton, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. P. A. MacGowan.
Dr. J. A. L. Henderson and Mrs. Henderson left on Saturday for New York, from whence they will sail for England to spend Christmas with relatives.
Miss MacManus, of Memramcook, spent part of the week in the city.
Mrs. P. D. Bourque has gone to Amherst to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. H. Melanson.
Mrs. George Wiseman is spending a week with friends at Bathurst.
Mrs. J. J. McKenzie has returned from Boston, where she was spending a month with friends.
Mrs. D. I. Welsh has returned from Sackville, where she was spending a few weeks with friends.
Mrs. Bert Crandall, who has been visiting relatives in New York, returned home accompanied by Miss Dorothy Crandall, who has been spending a month in New York.
Miss Annie Mitton, of Petitcodiac, spent Monday with friends in the city.
Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Wood, of Sackville, spent the week-end with Mr. F. W. Sumner.
Mrs. William Brown returned on Saturday from an extended visit with relatives in New York.
Mrs. Charles Richards, of Fredericton, is spending a few days in the city, the guest of Mrs. Edward Dawson.
Mrs. W. J. Weldon is spending a few days with friends at Shediac.
Mrs. Fred Condon has arrived home from Sydney, where she was spending the summer with relatives.
Mr. George Davis is spending a few days in Sussex, the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. D. Davis.
Miss Annie McKenna has gone to Montreal to spend a few weeks with Mrs. D. K. Sutherland.
Miss L. Burns, of Rexton, is spending a few days with relatives in the city.
Mr. and Mrs. McCoy and little daughter, of Boston, are the guest of Mr. and Mrs. William McCoy, and expect to remain until after Christmas.
Miss Jennie Rippey entertained at tea on Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Grace Harris, whose marriage took place yesterday. The rooms were attractively decorated with yellow and white chrysanthemums. Mrs. Ira Davis poured tea and Miss Mary Strinach served the ices. Those assisting in serving were Mrs. Frank Dayton, Mrs. Irvine Malcolm, Miss Grace Lockhart, Miss Florence Murphy, Miss Mabel Trites and Miss Margaret Stronach. Little Miss Gretchen Smith attended the door. Miss Rippey also entertained at a small bridge in the evening.
Dr. H. S. Thomson, who was one of the principals in an interesting event last evening, was entertained by the Delphian Club on Monday evening. About fifty members were present, and the programme consisted of choruses, solos, readings, etc. Dr. Thomson is also a popular member of the Kill Kare Club, and the Flatiron Gang, all of which were well represented. The guest of honor was the recipient of handsome remembrances from the three clubs.
Mr. and Mrs. J. W. H. Roberts are receiving the congratulations of their friends in the arrival of a young daughter in their home.
Mrs. J. A. Robertson spent part of the week in St. John.
Miss Beatrice Gross, who has been visiting friends in the city, has returned to her home at Hillsboro.
The many friends of Mrs. A. J. Gorham are pleased to learn she is recovering nicely from her serious illness.
Mrs. Edgar West is the guest of relatives at Hillsboro.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Jones, of Hillsboro, were in the city on Tuesday attending the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. George B. Jones.
Mrs. R. P. Dickson, who has been ill at the hospital for several weeks, is still confined to her room. Her many friends hope to soon hear more favorable news of her condition.
On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Geo. P. Jones celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Grace. Some twenty-five relatives and friends were entertained at dinner. The house was prettily decorated with yellow chrysanthemums and ferns. Mr. and Mrs. Jones received hearty congratulations and good wishes for many more years of happiness. Miss Vera Jones, Miss Laura Jones, Miss Alice Grace and Miss Mildred Gross assisted in serving the guests, while the Misses Tressa and Jean Jones attended the door.
Mr. and Mrs. Whimbey and family have gone to their former home in Montreal, where they will remain until after Christmas.
Mrs. George Fisher, of Chatham, and Miss Smith, of Woodstock, spent Wednesday in the city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. Pottinger.
Miss Bessie Wortman, of Shediac spent Monday in the city.
Miss Beatrice Shannon has gone to Shediac to spend a few days with the Misses Weldon.
Dr. A. H. Chandler, of Cocagne, is the guest of friends in the city.
Mr. G. McWilliams spent Sunday in Shediac with Mr. and Mrs. G. Coope, where Mrs. McWilliams has been visiting for a couple of weeks.
Mr. W. W. Wells is spending the winter at Ottawa.
Mrs. W. C. Chalmers received for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday afternoon from 3 to 6, at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. S. Ross. Mrs. Chalmers wore a handsome gown of yellow embroidered ninon over white satin. Mrs. Ross assisted her sister in receiving, wearing a pretty gown of Dresden ninon over white satin with touches of black. Mrs. J. M. Ross poured tea, being gowned in shot silk with trimmings of shadow lace. Mrs. M. B. Jones and Mrs. A. J. Fritz also assisted in the tea room, while the Misses Pineo, Graves and Marks served. Mrs. John Russell ushered and little Miss Jessie Russell attended the door. The rooms were nicely decorated, the color scheme in the drawing room being yellow and green, the tea room looking very pretty in crimson and the hall being done in green and pink. Mrs. Chalmers is receiving again this afternoon and evening.
A very pretty wedding in which many friends were much interested took place at 7 o'clock on Wednesday evening at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Crandall, when their niece, Miss Grace B. Harris, was united in marriage with Dr. Harry S. Thomson, the well known dentist of this city. The rooms were most artistically decorated for the happy event. The reception room was decorated in green and red; the color scheme in the drawing room being white and green with quantities of white wedding bells while in the dining room pink was the predominating color. Pink carnations and chrysanthemums in profusion rendered this room particularly attractive. The table was decorated with ropes of smilax and silk maline, while suspended from the ceiling was a pretty bell. The ceremony was performed by Rev. G. A. Lawson, pastor of the First Baptist church, in the presence of about seventy-five relatives and friends of the contracting parties. As the wedding march was rendered by Mr. W. A. McKee, organist of the Baptist church, the bride entered the drawing room on the arm of her uncle, Mr. W. H. Crandall, by whom she was given away. Preceding the marriage service a quartette composed of Mrs. Frank Dayton, Mrs. Bert Crandall, Mr. W. A. McKee and Mr. Duncan Allanach, rendered The Voice That Breathed O'er Eden. During the ceremony the bride and groom stood beneath an arch of evergreen with white trimmings. The bride was beautifully gowned in white duchess satin with seed pearl embroidered overdress with veil of silk Brussels net and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of lilies of the valley and white roses. Little Miss Margaret Crandall, cousin of the bride, and little Miss Mary Crandall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Crandall, of New York, acted as flower girls, carrying baskets of carnations.
At the conclusion of the ceremony luncheon was served, after which Dr. and Mrs. Thomson left on the Maritime Express on a wedding trip to Boston, New York and Montreal, expecting to be away until Christmas. On their return they will reside in Alma street. A large number of young friends were at the depot to extend congratulations and good wishes as Dr. and Mrs. Thomson are deservedly popular with a large circle of friends. The bride received numerous gifts, including gold, silver, cut glass and china. The members of the Kill Kare Club sent an after dinner coffee service in silver; the Flatiron Gang presented a handsome silver fruit dish, and from St. John's church choir, of which the groom is a member, was presented a mahogany clock. The Western Union Telegraph Company sent three steel engravings, framed. Among the out-of-town guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Dayton, Cochrane (Ont.); Mrs. Bert Crandall, New York; Mr. and Mrs. A. Sherwood, Hillsboro; Miss Nan Estabrooks, St. John; Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Dickson and Miss Dickson, Hillsboro; Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Hutton, Joggins Mines; Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bain, Hillsboro; Miss Gammon, River John; and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barnes, Salisbury.

CHATHAM

Chatham, N. B., Dec. 5—Mrs. Gerald T. O'Brien received for the first time since her marriage this afternoon at her residence, Henderson street, when a large number of ladies called to wish the bride much happiness. The drawing room was most tastefully decorated with holly vines and red geraniums, while the dining room looked very pretty in a color scheme of green and pink which was supplied by an abundance of smilax and pink carnations. The bride was very charming in a dress of white duchess satin with baby Irish lace trimmings, and was assisted in receiving her guests by Mrs. C. P. Hickey, who wore a gown of red velvet. Mrs. A. S. Harriman ushered, and was gowned in green satin with black picture hat. Mrs. R. A. Lawlor presided in the dining room and wore a handsome gown of mauve satin with black lace overdress and black hat. Miss Mary Lawlor, Mrs. H. E. Flaherty and Miss Dealy, in most becoming pink gowns and black hats, assisted in serving the guests.
Mrs. J. B. Snowball entertained at luncheon last Wednesday in honor of Miss Fisher, who has gone to Montreal, where she will enter upon the preparatory course in the Royal Victoria Hospital. Miss Fisher's many friends here and elsewhere will wish her abundant success in her course.
Mrs. J. A. Lea, of Moncton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. Wood, Queen street, last week.
Miss Mary Burchill, of Nelson, was the guest of Mrs. Dick last week.
Mrs. Warren C. Winslow, of St. John, is visiting Mrs. William Dick.
Mrs. A. J. Loggie was hostess at a very enjoyable tea Saturday afternoon, when a large number of ladies was present. Mrs. Loggie was assisted by Miss Loudoun, Miss Edgar and Miss Fraser. Among the invited guests were Mrs. James Nicol, Mrs. B. A. Marven, Mrs. W. B. Snowball, Mrs. George B. Fraser, Mrs. Mowatt (St. Andrews), Mrs. H. B. McDonald, Mrs. John McDonald, Mrs. F. E. Jordan, Mrs. Loudoun, Mrs. A. H. Marquis, Mrs. L. J. Tweedie, Mrs. F. M. Tweedie, Mrs. George Watt, Mrs. W. S. Loggie, Mrs. George E. Fisher, Mrs. Habberley, Miss Habberly, Mrs. Goggin, Mrs. J. B. Bell, Mrs. C. D. Ruddock, Mrs. D. P. MacLauchlan, Mrs. D. Henderson, Mrs. J. R. McKnight, Mrs. H. G. Vaughan, Mrs. J. P. Wood, Mrs. R. Logie, Mrs. R. A. Logie, Mrs. C. J. Mersereau, Mrs. J. Stead, Mrs. F. P. Loggie, Mrs. W. Stuart Loggie, Mrs. W. R. Gould, Mrs. F. H. McNaught.
Mr. and Mrs. Jordon H. Logie left on Monday for River Hebert (N. S.)
Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Loggie have returned from New York via Attawa.
Miss Alice Burchill, of Nelson, was the guest of Mrs. H. E. McDonald on Wednesday.
Mr. F. E. Neale has returned from Montreal, where he spent several weeks.
Mrs. A. H. Marquis enteretained at a small and informal Saturday evening affair of a very pleasant nature.
Rev. J. M. McLean and Rev. F. C. Simpson returned from Halifax on Friday.
Mrs. Murray, of Sussex, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Forsythe.
Mr. Sprague, who has successfully edited the Commercial for the past four months, severs his connection with that paper this week and leaves shortly for St. John, where he will continue his career in journalism. Mr. Sprague has made many friends during his stay in Chatham, and all will wish him continued success in his work.
Miss Ethel McEwen very pleasantly entertained the Bible class of St. Andrew's church on Monday evening, when a large number was present.
Miss Mollie Harrington, of Bathurst, is visiting friends in town.

HAMPTON

Hampton, N. B., Dec. 5—A very successful and well patronized supper and entertainment was given in Methodist Hall, by the men of the congregation, last Friday evening. After two hours spent in disposing of the attractive and palatable dishes provided and served by uniformed waiters, an hour's laughter-provoking programme of song and story, sent the company home in the very best of humors.
Last Saturday Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes entertained at tea a party of young ladies who experienced a most delightful time. The rooms, staircase and halls were lighted by pink candles, and the drawing rooms and dining room decorations were pink carnations. The balls were in a red and white scheme of flowers, which made a very pretty diversion. Mrs. Barnes was aided by Mrs. F. M. Humphrey, who poured the coffee, and Mrs. J. E. Angevine, who served the creams, and also by the Misses Margaret Ryan, R. Thurber and Sybil Barnes, who assisted. Among those present were Miss K. R. Bartlett, Miss Jaffries, Miss Robinson, Miss Katie Robinson, the Misses Fanny, Louise and Harriet Alward, Miss Flossie Peters, Mrs. Edna Crawford, Miss Margaret Evans, the Misses Bessie and Eva Howard, the Misses Grace and Leah Flewwelling, Miss Marjory Barnes, Miss Alice Spooner and Miss Lizzie Duke.
The Hampton Ladies' Curling Club met in annual session last Monday, and after receiving very satisfactory reports on membership, games and finance, elected the following officers for the season 1912-13: President, Miss Margaret Turnbull; vice-president, Mrs. G. M. Wilson; secretary-treasurer, Miss Minnie Travis; managing committee, Miss Fanny Fairweather, Mrs. R. H. Smith, Mrs. T. W. Barnes.
The Rev. Dr. Flanders, Sussex, will take the services in the Hampton Methodist church next Sunday.
Mr. Andrew Ruddick, accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. McGowan, returned from a visit to Moncton on Tuesday.
Mrs. J. S. Sutherland returned from a very enjoyable two weeks' visit to her parental home at Summerside (P. E. I.), on Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Kerrison, St. John, and Miss Jennie Parter, of Tynemouth Creek, were visitors here on Monday.
The following members of an automobile party made Hampton their objective on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Percy W. Thomson, Mrs. McMillan, Miss Warner, Mr. F. W. Fraser.
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Armitage, St. John, were visitors to Hampton on Friday last.
Miss Ida Duke, who has been in the hospital, St. John, where she underwent an operation, was sufficiently recovered to be brought back home on Wednesday.
The Auction Bridge Club met this week with Mrs. N. M. Barnes, Thursday afternoon.
Mr. J. Fred Giggey is suffering from a second stroke of paralysis, which, though not as severe as that he suffered a year or so ago, has caused his family and large circle of friends considerable anxiety.
Mr. W. J. Brown, St. John, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, on Sunday.
This afternoon a missionary meeting was held in the Methodist church, at which the devotional exercises were conducted by the Rev. H. C. Rice. An address was delivered by Mrs. Charles Sanford, St. John, in which she detailed the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Women's Missionary Society held at Toronto. Miss E. Duke, the president of the local society also spoke, and the thanks of the meeting was conveyed to Mrs. Sanford for her excellent report.
Mrs. G. E. Frost and Miss Addie Curry were called to Brooklyn (N. Y.), a few days ago by the sudden death of their only remaining brother, Mr. William Currie, builder, formerly of St. John. Another brother, Mr. George Currie, contractor of Gand Junction, Idaho, also died suddenly two years ago, while on a visit to Brooklyn. Mrs. Frost and her sister have the deep sympathy of a large circle of friends.
Mr. Manzer Reid, of Boston, came here a day or two ago to visit his children, who are suffering from scarlet fever.
This evening the Rev. B. F. Newcombe, district secretary for the Bible Society in the maritime provinces, delivered an interesting and instructive address to a large gathering in the Presbyterian kirk, on the work of the Bible Society and its evalgelists in many lands, during which he made a strong appeal for funds to carry on the great and ever-growing work of the society. Members of the associated choirs led the singing of hymns and gave an anthem, "O, Be Joyful in the Lord, All Ye Lambs." Mrs. J. J. Ryan and Dr. Charles Ryan sang a solo, "Watchman, What of the Night?" A number of the local ministers took part in the services.

CAMPBELLTON

Campbellton, N. B., Dec. 5—The ball given by the Bachelor Masons, of Campbellton, which since the cards of invitations were issued has been the chief topic, was realized on Thursday evening when the Masonic hall was the scene of a very gay and brilliant entertainment. The ball room, under the supervision of the competent committee, was elaborately decorated with streamers, flags and palms, and the lights were shaded with red tissue paper. A large number of guests from out side places were present. The Campbellton Orchestra furnished a fine programme of dance music. The chaperones were Mrs. A. E. G. McKenzie, Mrs. Chas. Alexander and Mrs. E. A. LeGallais. Seldom have prettier gowns been worn at a social affair in Campbellton. Among those invited were: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ingram, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. LaBlanc, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Napier, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hope, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McKendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Shives, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Matheson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Killam, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Doherty, Dr. and Mrs. Murray, Dr. and Mrs. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Malcolm, Mr. and Mrs. John White, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Mortton, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Trites, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Miles, Mr. and Mrs. Gallaghar, Mr. and Mrs. F. F. Blackall, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. John Bisset, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. G. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Storey, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Winton, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Millican, Mr. and Mrs. A. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Dimock, Dr. and Mrs. Lunam, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Anslow, Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Davison, Mr. and Mrs. E. Price, Mr. and Mrs. John Cameron, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Christie, Judge and Mrs. McLatchey, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Matheson, Dr. and Mrs. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Mullen, Mr. and Mrs. Theberge, Mr. and Mrs. Fenderson (Jacquet River), Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Laughlan, Mr. and Mrs. Melanson (Jacquet River), Hon. C. H. and Mrs. LaBillois (Dalhousie), Miss Lydia Duncan, Miss Clara Adams, Miss Barbarie, Misses Mameron, Misses Mowatt, Miss Lucy Nelson, Miss Muriel Momat, Miss McKenzie, Miss Shorley (Bathurst), Miss Chamberlain, Miss Payne (Bathurst), Miss Brown (Jacquet River), Miss Jessie Moore, Misses Wall, Miss Hattie Millican, Miss Eva Wilson, Miss Hogan, Misses McLennan, Miss H. Smith, Miss McIntyre, Miss Dickson, Miss F. Fish, Miss Burgess, Miss Tessie Lingley, Miss Raymond (St. John), Miss Maud O'Keefe, Miss R. Miller, Miss McLean, Miss Redden, Miss Theberge, Mr. C. Mersereau, Mr. George Wallace, Mr. Clyde Lutz, Mr. R. J. Lavoie, Mr. Wm. Ferguson, Mr. J. R. McColl, Mr. Walter Marquis, Mr. Ray O'Keefe, Mr. V. Scott, Mr. Carl Schurman, Mr. Fraser, Mr. Harry Ferguson, Mr. Roy O'Brien, Mr. F. E. Shephed, Mr. Luke, Mr. Laskie, Mrs. Malcolm, Mr. Hugh Carr, Mr. W. Thompson, Mr. Chas. Burgess, Mr. R. J. Sandover Sly, Mr. D. Mowat, Mr. Allison, Mr. Robert Bambrick (Jacquet River), Mr. McIntyre, Mr. Allison Clark (Jacquet River), and Mr. Richard (Dalhousie.)
Miss Payne, of Bathurst, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John Bisset.
Mrs. D. A. Stewart and Mrs. S. J. Trites were joint hostesses at an informal bridge of two tables Saturday evening and at a delightful 5 o'clock tea Tuesday afternoon. The guests included Mrs. F. F. Blackhall, Mrs. J. G. Christie, Mrs. Dorwood (Inverness, C. B.), Mrs. A. H. Ingram, Mrs. H. T. McLatchey, Mrs. Harry Wilson, Mrs. H. E. Mann, Mrs. Geo. F. Miles, Mrs. Barrett (Harcourt), Mrs. W. H. Wallace, Mrs. David Sanson, Mrs. J. L. Winton, Mrs. Wm. Millican.
Mrs. Barrett, of Harcourt, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Ingram.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gunter, of Fredericton, are visiting friends in town.
On Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon of last week Mrs. P. W. Mullen received for the first time since her marriage at the home of Mrs. Chas. Goss. Mrs. Mullen received in a very pretty gown of white marquisette over silk, with lace and bead trimmings; Mrs. Chas. Goss in tan satin cloth with fringe trimmings, assisted in receiving. In the dining rooms the daintily set tea table, was presided over by Mrs. Edgar Shirley in grey satin with crystal trimmings. Miss Goss in grey silk with black moire trimming, and Miss Chamberlain in blue silk with Persian trimming, assisted with the refreshments. Miss Grace Sharp, gowned in tan silk, attended the door.
Mr. A. H. Ingram has returned from a trip to Chicago.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Hope have returned from a trip to New York and Boston.
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Melanson, of Jacquet River, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Laughlan last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Bliss Johnson left last Tuesday morning for Moncton, where they will reside in future. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson have many friends who will regret their departure from Campbellton.
Mr. and Mrs. McAlister and Miss McAlister, Mr. and Mrs. Fenderson, Mr. and Mrs. Melanson, Miss Brown, Mr. Allison Clark, Mr. Robt. Bambrick, Jacquet River; Hon C. H. LaBillois, Misses Sansom, Mr. Richard, Dalhousie; Miss Goodwin, Bathurst, were in town Thursday to attend the Bachelor Masons' ball.
Mrs. Wm. Dorwood, of Inverness (C. B.), is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Young.
Mrs. Wilson left this week to visit friends in Harcourt and Newcastle.

AMHERST

Amherst, Dec. 3—Mrs. Rae Barker and infant left on Saturday for Saskatoon to join her husband, who is located there.
Mr. J. H. Livingstone, who has been on on extended trip to the west, has returned home.
Mr. George MacDougall, of New Glasgow, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. McDougall.
Mrs. D. A. Morrison has returned from St. John, where she has been paying a short visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark.
Miss Hazel Woodman, of Wolfville, is the guest of Mrs. Avard Black.
Miss Tweedie Sackville is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Tweedie.
Mrs. T. Sherman Rogers, of Halifax, is visiting relatives and friends in town.
Miss Hendry, professional nurse, of New York, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Allan.
Miss Edna Leserman, of Halifax, has returned home after a very pleasant visit to friends in town.
Miss Annie Jones, who has been spending a short vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones, Maccan, left on Friday for Boston to take up her duties at the Massachusetts General Hospital. Her sister, Miss Alfretta Jones, accompanied her as far as St. John.
Mr. A. J. Gorman returned on Monday from a six weeks' visit spent in Melrose (Mass.)
Mr. and Mrs. Burnell Cox have returned from a short stay in Sydney (C. B.)
Miss Blanche Connors, who has been the guest of Mrs. D. A. Morrison, has returned to Boston. Miss Florence Connors, her sister, has gone to Stewiacke, where she will remain for a few weeks before returning to her home in Boston.
Miss Selfridge, of Wolfville, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. N. A. Sanford, left on Monday for Victoria (B. C.), where she will be married at an early date to Mr. Fred. Fillmore, formerly of Amherst but now of Victoria.
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beatty, of Sussex, are the guests of Mr. Beatty's father, Mr. Wm. Beatty.
Miss Lindsay, formerly of the Academy staff here, and Miss Barnhill, of Truro, are guests of Mrs. M. D. Forrest, Spring street.
Mrs. C. A. Carr and little daughter, of St. John, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Walker.
Mrs. J. Milnes and Miss Kathleen Milnes, of Bathurst, are spending a few days in town, guests of the St. Regis.
Father Theriault, of Londonderry, is a guest of Rev. Father Burneout at the Glebe House. His sister, Miss Theriault, is visiting Mrs. A. J. Gorman. They will leave for Halifax this week, where they will in future reside.
Hon. A. B. Etter, Mr. J. R. Lamy and Mr. A. F. Etter returned Monday from New York, where they were attending a sale of horses at Madison Square Garden, and bringing home with them several fast trotters and pacers.
Mrs. D. W. Bruce is visiting relatives in Moncton.
Mr. C. H. Read, of Port Elgin, and Mr. C. R. B. Bryan, of Durham, Pictou county, are in town attending the Maritime Winter Fair.
Colonel H. Montgomery-Campbell, of Apohaqui (N. B.), is in Amherst attending the Winter Fair.
Mr. Robert M. Fillmore, who is attending the Nova Scotia Agricultural College at Truro, is in town for a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fillmore.
Mr. Alexander Reid, of Tatamagouche, is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Anderson Locerby.
Mr. Charles, of Cillingwood; Mr. H. S. Thompson, of Oxford, and Messrs. R. W. Hurd and John A. Porteous, of Malagash, are among the visitors in town for the Winter Fair.
Messrs. D. Athers and W. Athers, of St. John, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Fillmore.
Mr. George B. Jones, M. P. P. for Kings count (N. B.), is spending a few days in town.
Mrs. J. C. Nelson and little daughter, of Nappan, are sailing on the Laurentine from Halifax on the 8th of December on a visit to Mrs. Nelson's parents in England.
Mrs. E. T. Higgins, of Wentworth, is spending the week with her son, Mr. Frank Higgins, and Mrs. Higgins.
Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Elderkin are leaving for an extended trip to England and will sail from Halifax on the 14th. Mr. Elderkin has been appointed farm delegate and lecturer in connection with the department of industries and immigration. Mr. and Mrs. Elderkin will probably be absent about six months.
Mr. W. B. Dickson, M. P. P. for Albert, is a visitor at the Maritime Winter Fair. Mr. G. A. McLeod, of Sussex, is also in attendance at the fair.
The masters, wardens and brethren of Acacia and Alexandra lodges were at home to their wives, families and friends at the St. Regis hotel last Wednesday evening. The function was a most delightful one in every respect, about 200 being present. The reception committee were Messrs. C. D. Shepley, W. M. Manning, H. L. McNaughton, A. C. Casey, H. N. Stevens, and John W. Morrison, all of whom were most kind in caring for the comfort and enlightenment of their guests. The Legere orchestra furnished music for the dances, the large dining room of the hotel being converted into a ball room, while several of the smaller rooms were used for cards. Supper was served at midnight and dancing was kept up until an early hour in the morning. Among the invited guests were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Casey, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Morrison, Dr. and Mrs. Avard, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. MacDougall, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. MacPherson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Munro, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Webster Fraser, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Christie, Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Stene, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. A. Curry, Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Wheaton, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Donkin, Mr. and Mrs. R. K Smith, and many others.
Mr. Walter B. Tennant has returned from a trip to the west.
Mr. Lloyd Murray, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Toronto, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Murray, of this town, is in Amherst this week inspecting the branch of the Bank of Nova Scotia here.
Miss Isabel Stevens, daughter of the late George M. Stevens, has been spending the past two days in Amherst, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. B. Etter. Miss Stevens is leaving today for Sackville, and after spending a day or two there will proceed to Boston, where he has been residing for the past number of years.

PARRSBORO

Parrsboro, Dec. 4—Mr. Heber Vroom, of St. John, was in town last week.
Mrs. Moses Hatfield, of Truro, was the guest of Mrs. Johnson Spicer last week.
Mr. and Mrs. John McAloney, of Halifax, spent Sunday in town with Mr. McAloney's mother, Mrs. Isabella McAloney.
Mrs. A. J. McKay, of Sydney, spent last week in town with her sister, Mrs. J. G. Holmes.
Mr. K. W. Carter, M. P. P., of Maccan, was in town the first of the week.
Mr. Harry Gillespie spent a few days in Kentville last week.
Mr. Rupert Harris, of Wolfville, was in town last week.
Mr. J. A. Geary, of Moncton; Mr. Jas. McQuarrie, of the Joggins, and Mr. Geo. McSweeney, of Springhill, were in town on Monday to attend the funeral of the late Daniel Gillespie.
Rev. W. B. Hamilton went to Charlottetown on Monday to attend the funeral of the late Bishop McDonald.
Mrs. Borden, of Wolfville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A. C. Berryman.
Mr. A. E. Smith is spending a few days in Amherst with his daughter, Mrs. Arthur Gourley.
Mrs. Geary, Mrs. Desmond, William and Dr. Paul Gillespie arrived in town on Saturday, having been summoned here by the sudden death of their father, the late Daniel Gillespie.
Mrs. A. E. Vaughan and son, Morley, spent Sunday with friends in Wolfville.
Mr. W. B. Gavin is attending the winter fair at Amherst.
Miss Lexie Canning, of Ward's Brook, spent a few days in town last week with Mrs. M. D. Walsh.
Miss Winnifred Lavers spent the week-end at Lakelands with Miss O'Regan.
Miss Teresa Woods, who has been visiting her parents, Captain and Mrs. John Woods, at Green Hill, left for Detroit on Friday. She was accompanied to St. John by her mother.
Mrs. John McNamara is spending a few weeks in Amherst with her daughter, Mrs. Cecil Lockhart.
Mr. Thomas McAleese and daughter, Kathleen, of Campbellton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Hartnett.
Mr. Rupert Kirkpatrick is spending a few days in Amherst.
Masters Maurice and Gerald Gillespie spent Monday in Amherst.
Miss Mary Theriault is visiting her brother, Mr. John Theriault, at River Hebert.
Mrs. H. B. Wandley, who has been visiting Miss Mary O'Mullin, left for Boston on Wednesday.
Mr. John McGuire arrived home from Prince Edward Island yesterday.
The death of another esteemed citizen in the person of Mr. Daniel Gillespie occurred at his late residence, Spring street, on Friday morning at the age of 76. He was stricken with pneumonia on Sunday, but his condition was not considered serious until a few hours previous to his death. For many years the late Mr. Gillespie was one of the most prominent merchants of the town, retiring from active business life but a few months ago. He always took a keen interest in matters pertaining to the welfare of the community and for a number of years sat at the council board. He leaves to mourn a widow, two sons, William and Dr. Paul Gillespie, of New York, and four daughters—Mrs. J. A. Geary, of Moncton; Mrs. F. J. Desmond, of Newcastle; Mrs. J. M. Kingston, of Parden, (Sask.), and Miss Nellie Gillespie, at home. The funeral took place on Monday morning. Rev. Father Hamilton conducted the services. The pallbearers were Messrs. J. H. Gillespie, Jas. D. Gillespie, Leo F. Gillespie, James McQuarrie, Edward Gillespie and Hugh Gillespie, all nephews of deceased.
The ladies of St. James' Presbyterian church held their annual tea and fancy sale in St. George's hall on Tuesday. Quantities of exquisite needlework, tempting home-made candy and a delicious supper made the affair, as in former years, a decided success.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, N. B., Dec. 5—While Mr. and Mrs. George Socup, a young couple of the North River district, were examining a small calibre automatic revolver this morning, Mr. Socup handed the revolver to his wife to look at and she in handling the weapon, which she knew practically nothing about, accidently pressed the spring discharging the weapon. The cartridge struck Mr. Socup in the face a glancing shot which entered his right cheek alongside his nose, the bullet lodging under the cheek or jaw bone near the under part of his ear.
The young couple harnessed their horse and rushed out to this village where Dr. Atkinson assisted by Dr. Jones dressed the wound. The doctors did not remove the bullet.
Dr. H. A. Jones rushed one of his patients to the Moncton hospital at an early hour this morning, the case was a young girl suffering with appendicitis.
The Salisbury Lodge of Good Templars recently organized, now has a membership of about fifty, and are enjoying some very pleasant evenings. An attractive usical and literary programme followed by a dainty lunch was enjoyed on Wednesday evening.
Several young English farmers, who have been inspecting some of the fine farm properties in this locality this week, have made offers for three fine farms along the Petitcodiac river, west of this village. It is understood that the owners are taking a day or two to consider the matter and the indications are that the deal will go through. The amount offered for the three farms is in the vicinity of $20,000.
Salisbury, N. B., Dec. 6—Dr. H. A. Jones took another one of his patients, a young lady suffering with appendicitis, to the Moncton hospital for an operation this morning.
E. D. McPhee, principal of the Salisbury school, and his pupils are preparing for a concert to be given Christmas week, proceeds to be used for the purchase of a school library.
Mrs. J. L. Trites and her nieces, Misses C. and D. Mitton, are visiting relatives at Boundary Creek this week, the guests of teh former's sister, Mrs. Lemuel A. Wilmot.
Miss McPhee, of the Salisbury school teaching staff, who is seriously ill, entered the Moncton hospital for treatment today.
V. E. Gowland, commercial traveler, finished a very successful season's trip this week, and is home to spend the winter months.

ST. MARTINS

St. Martins, N. B., Dec. 4—Mrs. J. E. Dean, of Dalhousie, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Black.
Miss Florence Cochrane has returned home after spending several days in St. John.
Miss Ethel Black, who has spent several months in Amherst (N. S.), has returned home.
Mrs. L. H. Vaughan and Miss Marjorie Moran left Tuesday for St. John.
F. M. Cochrane arrived home Tuesday after spending several weeks at Grand Manan.
School Inspector R. P. Steves is spending a few days in the village.
Miss Blanche DeLong, of Boston (Mass.) is visiting at her home here.
Leonard McCumber, of Boston (Mass.), is visiting relatives here.
Amos Horton has gone to St. John, where he will remain for the winter.
Mr. A. O. White and daughter, Muriel, have returned home after visiting relatives in New York and Boston.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, Dec. 4—Mrs. Harriet Hamilton, one of the oldest and best known residents of the village, died at her home here this evening, after a few weeks illness. She was 85 years of age and was the widow of Capt. I. R. Hamilton, who died some years ago. Mrs. Hamilton was a daughter of the late David Russell, of Hillsboro, and had resided here since her marriage. She leaves two sons—Capt. J. Percy Hamilton and Capt. John E. Hamilton, of Vancouver, and one daughter, Mrs. Norman Barkhouse. She is also survived by three sisters—Mrs. Geo. A. Steeves, of Hillsboro, two residing in New York.
The bay steamer Chignecto, which went aground on the bank of the Shepody river a couple of days ago, floated last night and went in to Harvey Bank to load hay for Eatonville (N. S.)
Wm. Mahar, of Riverside, shot a bear in the woods on Friday. The pelt is said to be one of the largest ever seen hereabouts.

FLORENCEVILLE

Florenceville, N. B., Dec. 5—On Tuesday evening, Nov. 26, the Presbytery of St. John met in the Presbyterian church at Glassville (N. B.) for the purpose of inducting into the pastoral charge of that congregation, Rev. James Colhoun, late of Dervock, Ireland. The members of Presbytery present were Rev. M. H. Manuel, of Florenceville, who presided and inducted; Rev. R. J. Miller, of Richmond, who delivered an interesting and inspiring address in which he set forth the work of the Christian ministry, and exhorted the minister to the faithful discharge of his duties; also Rev. Frank Baird, of Woodstock, who clearly set forth the relation of the people to the minister and charged the congregation to encourage the minister by their support and co-operation in every good work.
On Thursday evening, Nov. 28, a large number of people assembled at the manse and gave expression of the warm feelings with which they welcome their new pastor and his family.
The Glassville congregation was vacant for eighteen months. In June last Rev. Mr. Colhoun, while on vacation, visited this province and preached for one Sabbath in Glassville. The people at once fixed their minds upon him as their choice for a pastor, and proceeded with the call. Both the minister and congregation are to be congratulated on the outcome of these efforts. The field is an extensive one, offering splendid opportunities for pastoral work, especially among the large number of young people; and the splendid recommendations which have come with the new pastor predict for the congregation a very prosperous future.

RICHIBUCTO

Richibucto, Dec. 5—Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Storer, who have been here for the past five months occupying their very attractive bungalow at the south of the town, left on Tuesday for their winter home in Brooklyn (N. Y.)
Miss Edith James returned on Monday from a lengthy visit to friends in St. John.
Rev. A. D. Archibald returned this week from Nova Scotia.
J. B. Wright returned on Friday from a visit to St. John.
T. O. Murray, general manager of the K. N. R., accompanied by Mrs. Murray, went to St. John yesterday to meet their daughter, Miss Marguerite. The young lady is returning from a visit to Boston, New York and other American cities.
Amedee Leger, C. E., of Halifax, is in town this week.
W. L. Moore returned last week from Ardath (Sask.) to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Moore.
Mrs. Fred Ferguson went to Moncton yesterday.
Miss Gertrude Amiraux went to Newcastle yesterday.
Mrs. William Bernard returned on Tuesday from a visit of some weeks at her sister's in Waltham (Mass.)
James Flanagan returned home on Tuesday from Bar Harbor (Me.), where he has been since the spring.
Oscar Johnson, second son of Sheriff B. J. Johnson, who was seriously ill with pneumonia, is now recovering.
Areade Landry, who since spring has been in charge of the construction of the north and south breakwaters, left on Friday for his home in Shippegan.
Reuben Glonais, of Point Sapin, who pleaded guilty to two complaints recently laid against him for illegal liquor selling in Kent county, was fined $100 and costs by Stipendiary Magistrate R. H. Davis.

APOHAQUI

Apohaqui, N. B., Dec. 5—The funeral of the late James Humphrey, of Moncton, took place on the arrival of the Maritime Express on aSturday last at 10 a. m. Deceased was a former resident of this place and many friends were in the funeral cortege. Service was held in the Methodist church, Rev. J. F. Rowley officiating. Interment was in Riverbank cemetery.
On Saturday last, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the body of Mrs. Thomas Duncan was laid to rest in the Church of Ascension cemetery, Rev. Scovil Neales officiating.
James S. Secord, George B. Jones, M. P. P.; Col. H. Montgomery-Campbell, Titus Barnes and others were in Amherst this week attending the Winter Fair.
Mrs. Jas. McManus, of Moncton, and Mrs. William Lacy, of Lawrence (Mass.), were the guests of their aunt, Mrs. John Orchard, a short time this week.
Walter Manchester returned to Winnipeg on Monday, after spending a few weeks at his home here.
W. T. Burgess spent Friday in Moncton, guest of his brother, Dr. Burgess.
rMs. Fred. Sharp and daughter Florence, Mrs. Lee Sharp and little son, and Mrs. Albert Sharp and infant, of Regina, arrived today to spend the Yuletide season with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Heffer.
Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Gamblin and children spent last week at Mrs. Gamblin's old home at Pleasant Ridge.
Mrs. Seth Jones, of Sussex, visited relatives here on Saturday last.
Miss Rena Beck, of Norton, is the guest of Mrs. J. P. McAuley.
Mrs. D. Heber Folkins, of Sussex, spent Tuesday with Mrs. Percy L. Folkins.
Mrs. Roy McCready and little son, of Bangor (Me.), spent the last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus B. McCready.
Mrs. Percy L. Folkins gave a very delightful party at her home on Monday evening, in honor of Miss Florence Ellison, who purposes leaving next week to spend the winter in Rothesay.
A. H. McCready, of Sackville, spent last Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus B. McCready.
E. C. Weyman, of St. John, was a week-end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Weyman.
Miss Marguerite Campbell was in St. John on Wednesday.
Mrs. James Strong and daughter Ethel spent a few days in St. John with her daughter, Mrs. Harry Thompson.

YARMOUTH

Yarmouth, N. S., Dec. 5—Yarmouth lost another old resident on Sunday last in the person of Nicholas Ehrgott, who passed away at the home of his son, J. Furman Ehrgott, on Forbes street, after an illness of a few days, and without any suffering. He was eighty-six years of age, and although he had resided here only during the past four years, yet he was a familiar figure on the streets, being a lover of fresh air and a great walker. He was a native of Germany, but removed to New York when but a boy, where he resided until four years ago. He is survived by the son mentioned above, and by two sons and one daughter in New York. The body was forwarded to New York on Tuesday morning for burial, accompanied by his grandson, Edgar Ehrgott.
The new telephone exchange recently completed here for the Maritime Telegraph & Telephone Company, was occupid by the company last evening, when the last of teh service wires being connected with the new switchboard and the linemen "cut out" from the old office, and established connections with the new. The new exchange is up-to-date in every particular, doing away with the batteries in sub-
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