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FROM ALL OVER NEW BRUNSWICK

SACKVILLE.

ackville, N. B., Jan. 3.—Mrs. William eod and Miss Blanche have returned n a very pleasant visit to Amherst. iss Lyle, milliner, entertained the teur whist club last Thursday even- at her home, Squire street.

Mr. J. B. Price, of Moncton, was in town terday.

Mr. Donald Trueman, of Amherst, spent day in town.

Mr. G. W. Connell has returned from a to St. John.

Miss Blanche McLane, who has been ployed as head milliner for Mr. Geo. Ford, has returned to her home in ney.

Miss Mabel Wry spent Sunday at Wood- int.

Lieut. Governor and Mrs. Snowball at- nded the funeral of his honor's sister, s. Lucius Dickson, here Sunday.

Mrs. C. M. Gibbs has returned from wcastle where she has been visiting ends.

A quiet wedding took place at the home Mr. G. Steadman, Sackville, on Dec. when his sister, Blanche, was united marriage to Mr. Otis G. Cogswell of rt Williams (N. S.) The ceremony was formed by Rev. E. B. McLatchy. The ride and groom left on the C. P. R. to end a few weeks in Boston.

Miss Eliza Snowdon, of Truro, is spend- g her vacation at her home in Sack- lle.

Miss Hattie Cahill returned from St. ohn the last of the week.

Miss Susie Barnes, of Nappan, spent unday in Sackville.

Mr. Daniel Lund, of Upper Sackville. s gone to Boston to spend a few weeks.

Miss Lily Barnes spent Sunday in Monc- n.

Senator Thompson, of Fredericton, was Sackville Sunday attending the funeral his sister-in-law, Mrs. Dickson.

Mr. Weyman Doe, of Mt. Allison Uni- ersity, is spending his vacation in New- astle.

Mr. and Mrs. William Avard, of Tidnish, ere in town this week.

Prof. W. M. Tweedie is spending his acation at Hampton.

An entertainment was given by the chil- ren of the Baptist Sunday school in the aptist church at Middle Sackville, Thurs- ay evening. The church was filled with n appreciative audience, many of the par- nts and friends of the pupils being pres- nt. After a very pleasing programme ifts were distributed to the scholars from handsome Christmas tree. Both young nd old went home fully satisfied with the vening's entertainment.

Miss Isabelle Wry and Miss Ethel Hill are visiting friends in Amherst.

Mr. Albert Nelson, principal of La Tour chool, St. John, has been visiting in Sackville.

Miss Lena Wry spent Monday in Dor- r.

Ethel Doe, of Dorchester, has been spent some time in Sackville.

Mr George Trueman, principal of the gram school, St. Andrews, and Mrs. True n are spending their vacation in Sac le.

Miss Gertie Wry, of Jollicure, was in town this week.

A happy event took place at the resi- dence of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Barnes, West Sackville, on Dec. 21, when their niece, Miss Frances McIntosh, was united in marriage to Mr. John McLeod, also of West Sackville. At 5 o'clock the strains of the wedding march, played by Miss Dottie Johnson, were heard and the bride entered the beautifully decorated parlor with her uncle. The ceremony was per- formed by Rev. E. B. McLatchey. The bride was becomingly gowned in white organdie and wore a bridal veil. Congratu- lations followed, and after a dainty wed- ding supper the happy couple left on the maratime express for a short trip. The bride's going-away suit was of brown broadcloth with hat to match.

Mr. David Charters, in the employ of Mr. Geo. E. Ford, is spending his vacation in Moncton.

Mr. Joseph Blanche, of Amherst, spent the holiday in town.

Mr. Roy Fowler spent Sunday in Truro.

Mr. Barton Eagan is visiting at his old home here.

Mr. Walter Crossman, of Bangor (Me.), is spending his vacation in town.

Mr. Ralph Oxiner has returned to Sack- ville after a pleasant visit in Windsor.

Mrs. Lucy Doull is visiting at the home of her parents.

Mr. F. J. Wilson has been spending some time in town.

Miss Ethel Tower is visiting in Wood- point.

Mr. A. E. Powell, B. A., is spending the vacation with his parents.

THE BORDER TOWNS.

St. Stephen, N. B., Jan. 4—Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Todd on New Year's even- ing entertained a party of young relatives at dinner at their home in Union street. The dinner was given for the pleasure of their niece, Miss Sarah Todd, and Mr. Allan Haycock.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Ross were shocked to receive a telegram Saturday afternoon containing the sad news of the sudden death of Mrs. Ward, mother of Mrs. Ross, that afternoon, at her home in Skowhegan (Me.) Mr. and Mrs. Ross and their sons left that evening for Skow- hegan.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Edwin Ganong were the host and hostess to a delightful din- ner party at their beautiful home New Year's evening. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Ar- thur Ganong, Miss Winifred Todd, Miss Margaret Maxwell, Miss Vera Young, Messrs. N. Marks Mills, Walter Murchie and Lewis Mills.

Mrs. Frederick Pike MacNichol gave a very charming at home Monday afternoon for the pleasure of Miss Sara B. Todd be- fore her marriage.

Miss Emma Boardman entertained the Good Times Whist Club Tuesday even- ing at her home in Calais.

Miss Mercy Murray will leave this after- noon for Calgary, where she will be united in marriage to Mr. Ira Wanamake, who at one time was here in the Bank of Nova Scotia. Miss Murray has been one of the most popular teachers of the St. Stephen school staff and she will leave her home and friends amid the deep re- gret of all. She has been the recipient of numerous handsome gifts from friends and also from the Methodist Sunday school, the teachers of the public schools and from her scholars.

Although the snow storm raged all day Wednesday and the streets were nearly impassable, yet happiness and festivity reigned supreme at "Dover Hill," the resi- dence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Young, when their niece, Miss Sarah Barnard Todd, was united in marriage to Mr. Al- lan Haycock, of New York, by Rev. Charles Legal, of the Union church, Calais, assisted by Rev. W. C. Goucher, of the Baptist church, St. Stephen. The cere- mony took place at 3 o'clock. The bride entered the drawing room leaning on the arm of her uncle and guardian, Mr. Henry F. Todd. Before the entrance of the bride came the ribbon bearers to mark off the passage of the bride with white ribbon. They were her young cousins, Misses Rhoda and Georgie Young, Mildred Todd and Master Frank MacNichol. Then ap- peared the groom, accompanied by his brother, Mr. Winthrope Young Haycock, as best man. The bridesmaids then fol- lowed, Miss Vera Young in a lovely gown of pale pink crepe de chene and Miss Frances Todd, the bride's only sister, in a rich dress of cream silk covered with cream lace. The bride wore an exquisite bridal costume of white silk and chiffon with overdress and trimming of point de alencon lace. She wore a veil and car- ried a shower bouquet of roses and looked very fair and winsome.

The ceremony was performed in the presence of the immediate relatives of the bride and groom. The home was beauti- fully adorned with flowers, pink and green and red was the color scheme, all beautifully mingled together. After the ceremony congratulations followed. The happy young pair left in the W. C. R. R. for a bridal tour in various cities before going to their home in New York. The bride's traveling costume was fashionable, of onion colored broadcloth with large picture hat of brown velvet with plumes. The presents are varied and valuable.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haycock were in town this week to attend the Todd-Hay- cock wedding, but have since returned to Eastport.

Judge Wells, of Moncton, has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank P. Woods for several days.

Miss Carolyn B. Boardman has returned to Somerville (Mass.)

Misses Abbie and Mabel Smith, who spent Christmas and New Year's in town with relatives, have returned to their home in Boston.

Mr. James L. Thompson arrived from Boston Tuesday.

Miss Bessie Sullivan has arrived home from an extended visit in Portland (Me.)

Mr. and Mrs. John Parker have re- turned to Bangor after a short visit in Calais.

Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Grimmer and Miss Lois Grimmer drove to St. Andrews Sun- day morning and spent New Year's day with Mrs. C. M. Gove and other rela- tives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vose and their daughters, Katherine and Marjorie, who have been spending Christmas week in Milltown with Mr. and Mrs. Irving R. Todd, returned to their home in Portland Monday.

Messrs. Hazen Moulton, Watson Greg- ory and Upton Hill left Tuesday for Fred- ericton to take up their studies at the university.

Upton Lodge was the scene of a delight- ful drive and party one evening last week. when Mr. Evans Hill, who was home for a holiday, invited a party of young people to enjoy his hospitality at that delightful retreat.

The ladies' advisory board of the Chip- man Memorial Hospital held a meeting at the residence of Mrs. John D. Chipman Tuesday afternoon.

The woman's auxiliary connected with Christ church held their monthly meeting Tuesday evening and in spite of the snow storm there was a good attendance.

Miss Bremner Ross left Tuesday morn- ing for St. John to visit Miss Elda Smith.

Miss Emma McCrum made a brief visit to Fredericton this week.

Mr. Lewis Mills, who has been home spending the holiday season, left today for Boston, where he will spend a few days before going to Portland (Me.), where he will be established in business.

SHEDIAC.

Shediac, N. B., Jan. 4—Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Tait and Mrs. W. A. Russel spent part of the week in Halifax.

Mr. Clarence Jones, of Newcastle, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Russel, Main street.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Steeves, who were spending the past fortnight in town, the guests of Mrs. D. S. Harper, Sunny Brae, returned to Moncton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Moore have re- turned from a visit to friends at Oak Bay.

Mrs. Frank Smith and little son, Dean, who spent the Christmas holidays in town, have returned to Moncton.

Mr. Geo. Ross, who was confined to the house for some days owing to a heavy cold, is much improved.

Mr. J. Russel, of Moncton, spent New Year's in town.

Mr. G. Terry, of St. John, visited his home recently.

Mr. D. McCormick, of St. John, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. McArthur, Water street, during the week.

Miss Margaret Evans, who has been spending the Christmas holidays at her home, Main street, returned to Toronto this week.

Mrs. W. Loggie, of Loggieville, is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Inglis.

Mrs. W. Irving, accompanied by her little daughter Doris, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James Inglis.

Mr. A. J. Tait spent Monday with friends in Salisbury.

Mr. and Mrs. P. McKinnon, of Moncton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Con- nors, Main street, on Sunday.

Mr. Arthur Penna, who lately accepted a position in the employ of Mr. R. C. Tait, left recently to return to the west, where he had been for some years previ- ous to his return to Moncton this fall.

Mrs. Thos. Pierce was in Moncton Sat- urday.

Miss Edna Pickard went to Scotch Set- tlement this week. She intends teaching there during the coming term.

Miss Rhoda McDonald, of Milltown, spent the Christmas holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. McDougall.

Miss Cameron McDougall was also at home for the holidays from her school in St. John.

Mr. Frank McFadzen returned to Mt. Allison University this week.

Mr. J. M. Lyons, of Moncton, spent Monday in town, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Jas. White, Weldon House.

Mr. Aulden Doucette, of New Glasgow, has been in town during the past fortnight visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Doucette.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Tapley, Port Mul- grave, were recently the guests of Mrs. Tayley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Mac- Donald, Point du Chene.

Mr. Robert Calderwell, who spent the past year in Gaspe, has returned home.

Mr. Chas. Bicknell, who spent the Christmas holidays at Idylewyede, Shediac Cape, the guest of Mrs. Givan, returned to Boston on Saturday. Mrs. Bicknell, who is also at home, accompanied her husband as far as Moncton.

Mr. J. Scovil and little son Earl, of St. Stephen, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Scovil, Shediac Cape, recently.

Mr. Dewitt and his two little daughters and son returned this week from a visit to relatives in the United States.

Mr. Walter White, who has been living for a few years in Boston, returned to Shediac this week. His friends welcome him and are pleased to know that he in- tends remaining in Shediac.

Dr. F. J. White, of Moncton, was in town Tuesday.

Mrs. James Cadman, of Shemogue, was in Shediac this week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. Avard.

Miss Webster very pleasantly entertain- ed a number of her young lady friends at tea recently at her home, Riverside.

Senator and Madame Poirier were in Moncton Saturday.

Mr. McQueen, of Shediac Cape, is spend- ing some time in Port Elgin.

Mr. James Webster is confined to his home owing to an attack of la grippe.

Mr. L. Comeau, of St. John, was in Shediac recently.

Mrs. Harley Murray and little son, Master Reginald, visited Moncton on Thursday of this week.

Master Thorald Wells has returned af- ter spending his vacation with friends in Port Elgin.

Mr. T. N. Vincent, of St. John, was in town during the week.

Miss S. N. Nesbit is confined to her home owing to a heavy cold.

Mr. W. A. Russel visited Newcastle re- cently.

Shediac, N. B., Jan. 5—On New Year's day the members of the R. C. choir very handsomely remembered the director of the choir, Mr. J. Malenfant, with a well filled purse. Previous to the presentation which was made by Mlle. Sharkey, an address was read by Mr. N. D. LeBlanc. Mr. Malenfant replied in a suitable man- ner, thanking the choir for their hand- some gift and address.

Hon. A. D. Richard and Mr. W. B. Chandler were in Shediac recently.

Mr. R. Grignon, of Memramcook Col- lege, is visiting Rev. Ouillet at the pres- bytere.

Mr. J. D. Irving, of Buctouche, was in town on Monday.

School Inspector C. D. Hebert visited Shediac during the week.

Mr. J. Arthur LeBel was in Shediac on Monday.

Mr. Camille Gaudet, of Memramcook, was in town recently.

Mr. O. M. Leger, of Moncton, spent New Year's in Shediac with relatives.

On Thursday of this week the death oc- curred from pneumonia of Mr. S. Robi- doux at the home of his son, Mr. Ferd. Robidoux, Main street east. Deceased gentleman, who had reached a very ad- vanged age, had been in poor health for the past few weeks. The sympathy of the community is extended to the members of the bereaved family.

SUSSEX.

Sussex, January 5.—Mrs. Harvey Mitch- ell is spending a few weeks with her parents at Keswick Ridge, York county.

Miss Hazel Baird has been visiting in Hampton for a week.

Mrs. L. A. Belyea, of St. John, was in Sussex for the holidays the guest of Mrs. Worden.

George Burnett returned to Fredericton on Tuesday.

Miss Jennie Fowler has been visiting in St. John.

Mr. Herbert Stockton of Winnipeg is the guest of his sister, Mrs. Baird, Church avenue.

Dufferin Harper and Roswell Arnold, St. John, were in town Sunday and Mon- day.

Mrs. Rossborough entertained about thirty young people on Monday evening with cards and dancing.

Miss Minnie Lucas, who has been visit- ing in Buctouche, returned to Sussex on Saturday.

Miss Della White is spending a few weeks in Eastport.

Miss Lena Worden was at home for the New Year holiday.

Mr. H. H. Parlee and Howard Robinson were in St. John on Tuesday.

Hon. A. S. White returned to Sussex on Tuesday.

Miss Martha Elliott has accepted a posi- tion in the Mercantile Company.

Frank E. Slipp was in St. John for Sunday.

Miss Margaret MacAfee and Miss Lock- hart of Petitcodiac were the guests of Miss Violet Watson on Monday.

The masonic dinner given on Thursday evening in Free Mason Hall was one of the most pleasing events of the season. After a very bounteous repast, which had been prepared by the wives of the masons, a dance was given.

Mr. Thomas Elliott and Mr. George Dol- ton, of Newcastle, were the guests of Mr. James Elliott on New Years day.

Mr. Harold White, who has accepted a position as bookkeeper in Moncton, was at home on Monday.

Miss Lena Shenwood returned to Bos- ton on Saturday, where she holds an ex- cellent position in one of the leading Bos- ton public schools.

Miss May Lucas, of Buctouche, is visit- ing her school friends in town.

Mrs. John Gillespie is the guest of Mrs. Hawkins, Church avenue.

Mr. Zadok Hawkins has returned to Montreal to resume his medical studies.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Leonard, of East- port, who have been visiting Mrs. C. T. White, returned on Wednesday to their home.

The "Good Times Club" met at Mrs. Jasper Daly's on Tuesday evening.

Mrs. R. Douglas Hanson, of Bathurst, is the guest of Mrs. Daly.

FREDERICTON.

Fredericton, Jan. 4.—The concert to be given in the hall at Springhill tomorrow evening in aid of the Episcopal church there promises to be a very pleasant and successful affair. Mrs. Tinker will enter- tain at supper at her residence, "Garden Creek," those taking part with other friends.

The Christmas tree entertainment, a delightful affair in the Episcopal church at Springhill, with all its appointments and presents for each scholar and teacher in the Sunday school as well as the feast in the evening was the generous donation of Mrs. Tinker.

Mrs. H. G. Ketchum entertained the friends of her niece, Miss Stopford, at din- ner at Elmcroft, Friday evening.

Mrs. Tucker and daughter, Mrs. Tilley, have returned to St. John after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Tucker's daughter, Mrs. Allen F. Randolph.

Mr. A. A. Shute has returned from Bos- ton.

Mrs. Kingdon entertained at 5 o'clock tea yesterday afternoon.

Dr. A. Duke, of Durham, spent the new years with friends in St. John.

Mrs. W. C. Crocket has invitations out for a whist party for Friday evening.

The latest engagement spoken of is that of one of our most popular and amiable young ladies—daughter of a leading mer- chant to a former Frederictonian now liv- ing in the west.

Mrs. Lee Street, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George N. Bab- bit, returned home to Boston yesterday accompanied by her sister, Miss Bessie Babbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Reed, of Marys- ville, spent Christmas at Sheffield with Mrs. Reed's mother, Mrs. W. J. Bridges.

Miss Annie Phair went to St. John this morning.

Mrs. LeeBabbitt was the hostess at an enjoyable whist party Thursday evening, given in honor of Mrs. George Younger Dibblee.

After an absence of six months in var- ious cities of the United States, Miss Thorne returned home yesterday.

Mr. Frank Saddler has returned from a trip to Boston where he spent the holi- days with his sister.

A wedding of interest to friends here took place on the evening of Dec. 2 in the Wolseley (Assa.) Methodist church, when two former Frederictonians were united in marriage—Miss Gertrude Doak and Mr. Arthur C. Osborne of Winnipeg. Rev. H. A. Goodwin officiated. The bride was gowned in becoming cream crepe de chine, with bridal veil and orange blos- soms and carried a bouquet of roses and maiden hair fern. She was given in mar- riage by Dr. Washington. Miss Ethel Mac- pherson, of St. Marys (N. B.), was brides- maid and wore a costume of cream gloria with large velvet hat and bouquet of pink chrysanthemums. The groom was support- ed by a former college friend, Mr. Will McAllister, of Manitoba college. After the wedding the bridal party drove to the home of Mr. John Gillespie, where a dainty supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Os- bourne left on the 9.47 train for their fu- ture home in Winnipeg. The grooms pres- ent to the bride was a handsome cabinet of silverware.

Capt. and Mrs. Nagle are expected home from New York on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Turton returned to- day from Montreal where they spent the holidays with relatives.

Lt. Governor Snowball was in the city this week attending the government meet- ing.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Cameron Christie and little son returned today from Toronto, after a pleasant visit of three weeks with friends there.

Ex-Gov. Ladd, of Providence, is in the city, at the Queen.

Mr. L. W. Bailey has returned home from Quebec.

Mrs. Coles Kitchen returned last evening from St. John, where she had been spend- ing New Years with friends.

Fredericton, Jan. 6—John Dunbar, aged 44 years, died at Lower St. Mary's this morning after a lingering illness of con- sumption, leaving a widow and three children.

City Treasurer Golding has given out a statement of collections during 1904 amounting to $52,698.78. In 1903 $50,804.31 was collected. Water Superintendent Burchill collected $10,427.72 in 1903 in water rates. Last year $10,156.72 was col- lected.

The body of the late George H. Palmer will be interred in the rural cemetery here at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Rev. Canon Roberts will conduct the services at St. Ann's church.

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 8—(Special)—Mayor Palmer, who has been at St. Step- hen with the factory commission, return- ed home last evening. The commission will meet in St. John some time next week to wind up business and prepare a report for submission to the legislature.

Ald. Farrell, who has held a seat at the city council board for twenty-three years, has announced himself a candidate for the mayoralty.

Four rinks of Fredericton curlers will leave tomorrow morning on their annual tour. They will play matches at Moncton, St. John, and St. Stephen.

A heavy rain and sleet storm set in yes- terday afternoon, and continued until nearly midnight. The weather today was exceedingly mild for January.

The Fredericton Board of Trade will hold its annual meeting tomorrow after- noon.

Mrs. Wheeler, widow of Burden Wheel- er, who years ago kept a hotel on the Woodstock road at Kingsclear, died here this afternoon after a lingering illness. she was eighty-six, and is survived by a family of two sons—Havelock, of Kings- clear; Charles of Woodstock—and five daughters—Mrs. Alonzo Barker, Mrs. Zeb Wright, of Fredericton; Mrs. Edwin Good, of St. Stephen; Mrs. Enoch Lunt, of Keswick, and Mrs. Lundon, of Boston.

Capt. F. Alexander Lister, late of the Royal Regiment here, and now inspector of military signalling for eastern Canada, was married at East Orange (N. J.) on Thursday to Miss Annie Watson, daugh- ter of John Watson, of Saltcoats (Scot.) The bridegroom is a son of the late Judge Lister, of Lambton (Ont.), and the bride a niece by marriage of Governor Snow- ball.

The trustees of the Presbyterian church last evening decided to make extensive im- provements to the Auld Kirk in the near future. Miss Evrett, organist, had her salary increased by $50.

Anthony Sacobi, the veteran chief of the Malicite tribe at St. Marys, is to be mar- ried next week to Mary Paul, a Micmac squaw from Nova Scotia. Chief Sacobi has passed the three score mark, while the prospective bride has only seen eighteen summers.

Saturday morning J. S. Scott left for St. John to sail by the mail steamship Pre- torian for Liverpool. He expetts to be absent a couple of months.

BATHURST.

Bathurst, Jan. 4—Mrs. S. Williamson gave a driving party on Friday evening to a large number of young people for the entertainment of her guests, the Misses Knisman, of St. John. After en- joying a drive of a few hours all drove to the bright and pleasant home of Mrs. Williamson, where they spent the re- maining hours most pleasantly and thor- oughly appreciated the dainty lunch pre- pared for them by their thoughtful hostess.

Mrs. J. E. Baldwin and Miss Margaret returned on Friday morning from a visit to Dalhousie.

Miss Alice Johnson has returned from a visit to her home people in Jacquet River.

Mrs. Miller, of Chatham, and little son are guests of Mrs. Miller's sister, Mrs. G. Gilbert.

Rev. Wm. Varrily, spiritual director of the Temperance Society in the village, was presented last week with a handsome set of carvers by the members of that so- ciety.

The Misses Kinsman, who have been vis- iting Mrs. S. Williamson, returned to their home in St. John on Monday morn- ing.

Mr. E. Hickson, from Moncton, spent New Year's day with his family here.

Miss Ella Ellis made a short visit to Chatham this week.

Mrs. S. R. Shirley entertained a num- ber of young people at her home on Sat- urday evening, who all heartily enjoyed the last hours of 1904.

Miss Kathleen Power is visiting Mrs. E. Watts in Dalhousie.

Miss Millie Branch visited her sister in Caraquet during the holidays.

Miss Lea Landry is at home from board- ing school in Quebec to spend the holi- days.

MONCTON.

Moncton, N. B., Jan. 5—On Saturday afternoon Miss Stevnach gave a most en- joyable whist party to her young lady friends at her home on Highfield street. About fifty young ladies were present, and all voted it a delightful party.

Miss Elaine and Gladys Borden, of Mt. Allison, Sackville, returned home on Fri- day, after spending a part of the holidays with their aunt, Mrs. R. A. Borden, Bots- ford street.

Mrs. Harley Murray and little son, Regi- nald, are visiting at the home of Mrs. C. A. Murray, Alma street.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. McCully spent New Year's day with Mr. McCully's mother, Mrs. R. McCully, at Sussex.

Mrs. Hamilton, of Shediac, has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Willett, of Church street.

Miss Borden is spending a couple of weeks in Sackville, the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. W. T. Black, Middle Sackville.

Mrs. John M. Lyons returned on Satur- day from Sussex where she has been visit- ing her brother, Mr. Hugh and Walter McMonagle.

Dr. Roy McGrath, of Dorchester, now practicing in Fredericton, was in town during the holidays. While here he was entertained at the Hotel Minto by Mr. and Mrs. P. Gallagher.

Miss Bessie Trites, of Lewisville, is visiting at the home of Mrs. C. T. White, Church avenue, Sussex.

Mrs. O. J. McCully and little daughters are visiting Mrs. McCully's mother, Mrs. Wells at her home on Main street.

Mr. Will Holman, of Summerside (P. E. Island), is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Harris, Steadman street.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bicknell, of Malden (Mass.), have been spending some days in the city at the home of Mrs. E. W. Givan.

Miss Grace Williams is spending her holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Williams, High field street.

Dr. and Mrs. Coulthard, who have been guests of Mrs. G. Baxter and Mrs. Dell Baxter, left by C. P. R. yesterday for their home in Boston.

Miss Alice Lea leaves us next week to continue her musical studies at Mount Allison. Miss Lea sang a solo in Central Methodist church on Sunday evening. Miss Lea's voice possesses fine qualities.

The Misses McInerny, of St. John, spent New Year's day in Moncton, with the Misses Corbett, Botsford street.

Mrs. E. Tiflin left for California on the C. P. R. on Tuesday. Mrs. Tiffin antici- pates spending the winter in that delight- ful climate for the benefit of her health.

Mrs. N. J. Robinson's many friends will hear with regret that her condition is not improving and that she has visibly failed during the past few days.

Mr. Clyde Johnston, now in business in Winnipeg, is here on a most interesting errand. He is to marry Miss Mabel Schwartz, eldest daughter of Mr. N. O. Schwartz. Moncton will lose one of her most popular young ladies.

Judge Wells returned on Tuesday from a week's visit with friends in St. Stephen and Calais.

Miss Hazel Lockhart, of this city, is the guest this week of Mrs. L. H. Lockhart, Dorchester.

Dr. C. Campbell, of Spring Hill, who has been spending the holidays with his daughter, Mrs. R. H. Sampson, left for home on Saturday.

Miss Grace Williams entertained a few of her young friends at whist on Monday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Jones left for Sydney on Tuesday on account of the illness of Mrs. Jones' Mother. The doctor hopes to re- turn on Saturday.

Moncton, Jan. 6.—Some of the I. C. R. trainmen on freight trains report a very rough experience during Wednesday's storm. One crew laid in a siding on the north shore for eighteen hours. Engine- men were compelled to be on duty all this time keeping up steam and holding them- selves in readiness to move when called upon.

Geo. Matthews, maritime traveller for the Dominion Tobacco Co., who went to St. Agath sanitarium, near Montreal, some weeks ago for treatment, is not improving as his friends would wish.

A. D. Fraser, grand patriarch, of New Glasgow, last night installed the officers of Mount Carmel Encampment, No. 6, I. O. O. F., here as follows: H. C. Charters, C. P.; R. S. Gunninz, H. P.; G. J. Oul- ton, S. W.; P. A. Macgowan, R. scribe; S. B. Anderson, F. S.; F. Jones, treasurer; F. P. Forbes, O. S.; S. Henderson, I. S.; C. B. Trites, guide; W. B. Logan, 1st watch; W. H. Edgett, 2nd watch; J. M. Ross, 3rd watch; W. Oneil, 4th watch; E. Hicks, 1st G. of T.; C. A. Murray, 2nd, G. of T.

A couple of horse owners of Petitcodiac are challenging each other through the local papers for a race for $200 or more a side. F. P. Mann, the owner of Clay- son, jr., first challenged H. W. Ryan to a race at Petitcodiac for $200 a side. Mr. Ryan declines to race at Petitcodiac but offers to put his horse against Mr. Mann's for $200, $500 or more a side, race to take place at Shediac or Moncton.

Chief Tingley, who is suffering from an attack of pneumonia, is now daily im- proving.

E. G. Evans, of Hampton, is in the city today.

The country roads are badly blocked with snow in the vicinity of Moncton. Yesterday in many places the roads were simply impassible.

Moncton, Jan. 9—F. B. Wood, who was dis- missed from the I. C. R. blacksmith shop nearly a year ago, will leave on Wednesday for Sydney, where he has secured a position in the steel works. Mr. Wood has lived in Moncton for about twenty-five years and has been in the employ of the I. C. R. for the same length of time. He has been a mem- ber of the fire department for a good many years, and tonight he was entertained at a farewell supper at Magee's restaurant.

The total enrollment in the Moncton schools last term was 1,890, the largest in the history of the city. The attendance has increased to such an extent that the school board is beginning to look around for more accommodation. It is stated that two new schools will have to be opened this year.

Miss Alice Lea, who has been granted six months leave of absence from the Aberdeen school staff, will leave this week for Sack- ville to further her studies in vocal and in- strumental music at the ladies' college.

D. Hogan, a former well known hotel keeper in this city, who removed to Sydney during the boom in the Nova Scotia town, intends returning to Moncton shortly, it is said.

Miss Daisy Bradley, daughter of Dr. C. W. Bradley, formerly of Moncton, arrived in the city from Boston Saturday to spend some time with friends.

GRAND FALLS.

Grand Falls, N. B., Jan. 5—Dr. Rouleau, who has been seriously ill, is able to be out.

Miss Bertha McCluskey entertained a few friends to dinner on Thursday evening last.

Miss Effie Giberson entertained a few friends to a whist party on Friday evening.

Miss Laura McCormac is spending this week with Mrs. J. C. Butterfield.

Miss Mary Murchison, Four Falls, spent New Year's day, with Miss Mamie Horse- man.

Mr. Murray Mansfield, of the People's Bank, of Halifax, Quebec, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. J. Wares. Mr. Mansfield has been seriously ill with typhoid fever in Quebec, and his many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Miss Aggie Ganong returned from Fred- ericton on Friday last. Miss Ganong has been attending the French department of the Normal School. She made the highest marks that have ever been made in that depart- ment.

Miss Emma Plourd returned from Fred- ericton on Friday last.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Warnock entertained a few friends to dinner on New Year's day.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. G. Des Brisay enter- tained a few friends to dinner on New Years day.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Warnock, Tobique Road, entertained friends to dinner on Mon- day, Jan. 2nd.

Miss Mary Henderson, who has been visit- ing in Easton (Me.), came home for Christ- mas.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Scheffer, who have been residents of this town for the past ten years, departed for Montreal on Tuesday. They will be much missed as Mr. and Mrs. Scheffer have made many friends while re- siding here.

The Misses Pearl and Hazel Estey re- turned from a visit to Woodstock last week.

Mrs. Fred Dixon was the guest of Mrs. Day on Tuesday last.

Miss Beatrice Graham, who has been at- tending school in Andover came home on Monday.

Grand Falls, Jan. 6.—Last night was one of the coldest Grand Falls ever experienc- ed. Near the suspension bridge, at day- light this morning, the thermometer stood fifty-one degrees below zero.

Charles Garden, district engineer on the Grand Trunk Pacific survey, returned to town today.

Charles P. McCluskey intends to open a general store in the premises lately va- cated by John McCluskey across the sus- pension bridge.

Frank Goodreau intends to start for California in a few days where he will pass the greater part of the winter.

Horace Langley, Charles O. Maguire and Samuel Rideout returned from Nova Sco- tia today to resume their positions on the Grand Trunk Pacific survey.

Mr. Hartt, of the N. B. Telephone Co., was in Grand Falls on Tuesday.

The Grand Falls young men who were employed on the Grand Trunk Pacific sur- vey are very much dissatisfied over the present condition of affairs. They accept- ed positions on the understanding that their services would be required all win- ter. Garden's men who returned here a few days ago to resume work were noti- fied that their services would be no longer required. Now the men are anxiously awaiting orders to re-join the staff, and are uncertain whether their further ser- vices will be retained or not. All could have secured occupations last fall that would last throughout the winter, and they feel that the government is treating them unfairly if they are discharged now, when it is impossible to secure the situa- tions they might have obtained earlier in the year. Several threaten to sue the government in the event of their services being dispensed with.

The town schools will re-open next Mon- day. Miss Doherty has been engaged to fill the position on the staff vacated by the resignation of Miss Hester Edgecombe.

GAGETOWN.

Gagetown, Jan. 4—A northeast storm set in yesterday afternoon and raged all night and is continuing today with unabated velocity. From the appearance about the village the country roads in places will be about impassible.

The horse races on Monday were wit- nessed by quite a crowd. In the free-for- all, Wetmore, of Kings county, won over Purdy, of Cambridge. Geo. Allingham took first money and James Bulyea second in the green race.

The concert by the Methodist Sunday school given last Wednesday evening came off very successfully before a well filled house despite the unfavorable weather, which continued throughout the day. All taking part in the exercises did the work assigned them with much satisfaction, while some did better than expected. Dur- ing the intermission Joe. Duncan sang two minstrel songs in capital style. The re- ceipts were $35, which will go to the church renovating fund.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid gave a party on the 16th ult. in honor of Mrs. Reid's sister, Miss Darrah, of Chipman, which proved a very pleasant affair.

Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Peters, "Glenora," also honored their daughter and son-in- law, Mrs. and Mr. P. H. Barnett, who have been spending a few days with them, by inviting their intimate friends to meet them Saturday evening.

H. B. Jervis, recently graduated from Toronto Veterinary College, a guest at Glenora, is leaving for Houlton (Me.), where he will practice his profession.

Mr. and Mrs. Peters and daughters ac- companied Mr. and Mrs. Barnett to the latter's home at Springhill, York county, yesterday.

Mrs. J. F. Weston, of Upper Gagetown, is the guest of Mrs. Simpson for a few days.

Martin Fox, teaching at Red Bank, Chipman; Miss Pearl Marshall, Normal School, Fredericton; Fred. Dingee and Ar- thur Belyea, Kerr's Business College, St. John, will leave for their respective places the last of the week, after spending vacations at their homes here.

The week of prayer is being observed in the Methodist church by services each evening this week.

WOODSTOCK.

Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 4—Miss Harriet Rainsford, matron of Waltham Hospital, is the guest of Miss Elizabeth Bull.

Dr. Stephen Wetmore, of Gowanda (N.Y.), is visiting his mother. Dr. Wetmore is a resident physician in the New York State Hospital.

Mr. H. B. Logie, of Chatham, is the guest of Mr. William Dibblee for two weeks.

Mrs. W. E. Kingston, of Bangor, and Mrs. W. A. Hay, of Melville (N.B.), spent Christ- mas in town, the guests of their sister, Mrs. Horace Lockwood.

Miss Louise Stevenson left on Saturday for St. John, where she will spend some months.

Dr. W. J. Weaver and Mrs. Weaver, Fred- ericton, spent Christmas in town.

Mr. and Mrs. William Loane, of Ashland (Me.), spent Christmas with relatives here. Mr. Woodside Loane, of Ashland is visiting his mother, Mrs. William Loane.

Miss Elizabeth Bull returned from Fred- ericton last week.

Mr. Edgar W. Main spent New Year's day in Hartland, guests of Mrs. Percy Graham.

Mrs. W. P. Jones entertained at drive whist on December 30. There were sixteen tables. Mrs. Williamson Fisher captured the first prize for the ladies and Mrs. C. F. K. Dibblee the consolation. Among the gentle- men, Mr. G. H. Harrison won first, and Mr. Arthur Bailey, second prize. An elaborate supper was served at 12 o'clock. Mrs. Jones received in black silk.

Mrs. Horace Lockwood and son Herbert spent New Year's in Millville.

The family of Professor John Brittain are able to be about, after a very severe siege of diphtheria.

Wm. Robert Ritchie, of St. John, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Mr. Harold Grant.

Miss Molly Howard, of Fredericton, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Isaac Hamm.

Mr. Donald Fraser, sr., and Mr. Archie Fraser, of Cabano, spent the holidays in town.

Mrs. George Garden, of Lennoxville, is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Connell.

Wm. C. F. K. Dibblee, C. E., returned to Plaster Rock this week, having spent Christ- mas and New Years with his family in town.

Mr. Frank Carvell went to Fredericton Tuesday.

Mrs. S. S. Miller has returned to Hart- land after a protracted stay in Woodstock. Miss Hazel Welch accompanied her.

Rev. J. S. A. Bastin and Mrs. Bastin left last week for British Columbia. Mr. Bastin has been curate of St. Luke's church for the past year, and has made many warm friends who regret his departure on account of ill health. At a meeting of the church corporation, Warden Julius Garden pre- sented to him, on behalf of the congregation, $60 in gold.

St. Luke's Sunday school will hold its an- nual festival this evening. Lunch will be served from 5 to 9 o'clock, besides the usual donations of cand