

MAKING POWDER

ed hastily, but without ac-
count, a station farther south
is an important railway
the Tugela River the destruc-
could greatly impede the ad-
sh force seeking to relieve
the morning of Nov. 3, a
received at Durban from
carrier-pigeon, but from that
of closing this record, Nov
was from Ladysmith has
side world, although there
veral successful sorties by
My. The investment of
imberley, in Cape Colony,

on finally admitted,
of the late Chief Justice
was once counsel for the
tain case, and Mr. B. was
t. Cockburn called a wit-
ed to examine him.
he said, "that you called
Mr. Jones. Is that so?"
the man.

ay?" demanded Cockburn.
pty arose and objected.
could not be admitted as
Cockburn persisted, and
to the judges, who there-
fore called the point. They
early half an hour. When
they announced that Mr.
out his question.
he say "I asked counsel,
wasn't at home, replied
out moving a muscle.

ed, young man," the mag-
unkindly, "with searing
itness nearly out of his
him through some mock
ion. I can make allow-
ce of spirits among col-
sometimes this exuber-

, your honor," exclaim
appeared to be spoke-
out for a little rack, and
\$2 and costs each,
face hardening.

the man who gets up the
ries," he said.
business with him?" in-
rial.

a man who lives near
knows everything. He
es you feel small. He's
otem taken out of him
ought I'd call around
ldn't put him on the
yders ask him a few of
questions."

ver! Is it true you once
ath?"

Mies.
the Indian run?"

I was looking straight
until I got back to the

uncertain age) The
ries me is the wedding
fectly horrible to have

iciously)—O, don't
k you're his mother.

ere) did the Joneses
loving-cup, that is in
p"

n to them by the neigh-
I wonder who is to

ways the other boy,
her, with conviction,
it."

gentleman (to lady in
use me, madam, but
ten shillings, and I
hat—"

at has cost me ten
it to be seen!"

winded bore)—"That
ry. A fellow by the
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at reminds me of a
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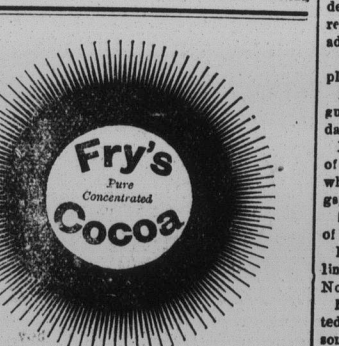
troubled; with insom-
bly. I can't even
get up."

and a commander
suit all the non com-



All quiet as to regard to social gaieties this week
have elicited the reply—"nothing going on this
week but the operatic performances." I don't know
whether everyone means you to infer that they are
spending all their evenings at the theatre and thus
there is no time for other social duties and plu-
sures but certain it is that the usual autumn gate-
crasher season at a stand still. As mentioned last week
the Neptune Bowling club gave an at home on Sat-
urday afternoon to over one hundred of their lady
friends who were charmed with the way in which
the members sustained their reputation as good
and hospitable hosts; the afternoon was delight-
fully fine and clear and the club rooms with their
bright and attractive decorations was the object
point of many ladies after the matinee of Billie
Taylor at the opera house. There was a good
sprinkling of men which of course had all the
charm of novelty and consequently added not a
little to the success of the affair. The members
of the club were kept busy for a time, for they took
upon themselves the task of looking after every-
thing, and waiting upon their friends themselves
and that they are no novices in the work was evi-
denced by the warm words of praise regarding the
arrangements, refreshments and entertainment.
There were many pretty gowns worn and the
ladies as a rule, looked well, and the informal air
which pervaded made every one thoroughly at
ease. A pleasant little feature of the at home was
the rendition of songs by Mrs. Scollard, Mr. Dewitt
Cairns and Mr. Flynn of the Robinson Opera Com-
pany. Mr. Flynn sang "Farewell to the Kings"
and in response to numerous requests
sang "A Dream of Paradise" and gave a great
deal of pleasure to the guests all of whom were de-
lighted with his sweet, sympathetic voice, as well
as the singers personality. Mr. Flynn was given
the entire of the club during his stay and has had
many warm friends among the members.
St. Andrews society entertained their friends at
the Institute on Thursday evening at what they
called a Scottish Night. The first part of the
evening was devoted to an interesting programme
in which the following took part, Mr. Gill-
man, Mrs. Lyman, Mr. Bridges, Rev. Mr. Rainie, Mrs.
Freese, Mr. Lindsay and Major Gordon. After
wards a dance was indulged in, and the members
of the society and their friends enjoyed themselves
immensely until the small hours. For the follow-
ing order of dances excellent music was pro-
vided:

1. Waltz,.....Babbie
 2. Laquer,.....Loomis College
 3. Highland Schottische,.....
 4. Waltz.....What's the Steer, Kimm
 5. Reel.....Sons of Scotland
 6. Minstrel.....Miss McCleod's Reel
 7. Waltz (Two Step).....Selling on the Board
 8. Highland Schottische.....Whistling Rufus
 9. Upper (1. Waltz.....Roy's Wife
 10. 2. Minstrel.....Glory
 11. 3. Waltz.....Highland Echoes
 12. Polka.....The Fairy
 13. Reel.....Keep the Country, Bonnie Lassie
 14. Galop.....Love's Flight
 15. Grand March.....Bonnie Dundee
- ing and Chorus. Will ye no' Come Back Again?
The married peoples whilst met this week for the
first time with Dr. and Mrs. W. W. White and spent a
very pleasant evening, the earnest of many more to
come during the winter. The club will meet every
two weeks at the homes of the different members.
A few unmarried people were present at the last
meeting but the six tables were made up mostly of
the following: Malcolm McKay, Mrs. MacKay, E.
T. Sturdee, Mrs. Sturdee, Sherwood Skinner, Mrs.
Skinner, Charles Harrison, Mrs. Harrison, G. B.
Taylor, Geo. W. Jones, Mrs. Jones, Charlie Troop,
Miss Troop and several others.
Sewing bees seem a pleasant and profitable way
of spending an afternoon and at the two which were
held this week the fair workers accomplished much
and spent a jolly time of it until half past five when
light refreshments were served. Miss Edith Skil-
ner met her friends in this pleasant way on Mon-
day and the second sewing bee met at the residence
of Mrs. Tillston on Thursday.
Miss Sedler who for some time has been visiting



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Mr. and Mrs. James Macchamer leaves today on
her return to England.
A bright place in which to spend an hour
or two on Tuesday was Trinity school room
where the annual mission sale was in
progress. The room was tastefully and
prettily decorated and the various tables loaded
with the sweet music for which they are famous and
added greatly to the enjoyment of patrons. The
sale was well patronized and was of course a suc-
cess. The tables were in charge of the following
ladies.
Fancy table—Mrs. J. Morris Robinson, Mrs. L. A.
Curry, Mrs. C. E. Scammell, Miss Kate Diabrow,
Mrs. G. J. Ooster, Miss Warner.
Candy—Miss R. McKivty, Miss Edna Gillis,
Miss Belle Robertson, Miss Patton, Miss L. Lagan,
Miss Lottie Dodge, and Miss Ella Payne.
Doll table—Mrs. John M. Hay, Mrs. W. B. How-
ard, Mrs. F. J. G. Knowlton.
Apron table—Mrs. J. V. Ellis, Mrs. James G.
Gordon, Mrs. F. R. Titus, Mrs. L. Knight, Mrs. W.
McAvy, Mrs. W. H. Ich.
Provision table—Miss Stephenson, Mrs. Charles
Johnston.
Christmas tree—Mrs. T. E. Steeves, Miss Grace
Robertson, Miss Alice Robertson, Miss Grace Fish-
er and Miss M. Gillis.
Book table, on which was sold Memorial book of
Ven. Archdeacon Briscoe—in charge of Miss L.
Howard.
Five o'clock tea—in charge of Mrs. John Mc-
Millan, Mrs. Chas. Holden, Mrs. W. M. Mackay,
Mrs. W. F. Harrison, Mrs. C. F. Kinnear assisted
by Misses L. Holden, L. McMillan, and A. Grant.
Ice cream—Miss Mary Diabrow assisted by young
ladies of the guild.
Flowers—Miss Georgie Scammell, Miss Vroom
Miss Florrie Schofield, Miss Ethel Jarvis.
The marriage took place on Monday of Miss Maud
Chasey daughter of Mr. George A. Chasey, and
Mr. Murray M. Holly son of Hon. James Holly
Rev. E. W. Kelly performed the ceremony in the
presence of immediate relatives and friends. After
a wedding breakfast Mr. and Mrs. Holly left for a
wedding trip through the United States, and when
they return will take up their residence in the North
End.
Miss Elliott returned this week from a three
weeks stay in Salisbury, Moncton and Sussex.
Miss Alice Glenn is paying a visit to the Misses
Westmore.
The Misses Barnes are visiting Moncton as the
guest of Miss Hawke.
Judge Barker and Mrs. Barker left the beginning
of the week on a trip to New York.
Attorney General White was in the city on Thurs-
day.
Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Young and Miss Young of
Ottawa were here for a few days lately.
Mrs. Fred G. Spencer arrived Wednesday from
Boston and will sing at the recital in Centenary
church on Tuesday evening.
Miss Emmerson of Dorchester was in the city this
week with her father Premier Emmerson.
Lieut. Gov. McClellan and Mrs. McClellan spent
a day or two here this week.
Mr. George Frost is recovering rapidly from the
injuries received a few days ago.
A Waltham paper of recent date has been receiv-
ed at this office with the following account of a mar-
riage which will create a pleasant interest among
friends of the principals here.
At the residence of Mr. T. H. Vredenburg,
Grant street place, Waltham, Charles F. Gilchrist
of Boston, a well known and popular engineer on
the Fitchburg R. R., was married to Louise Fraser
Murray, daughter of Francis Ritchie, Esq. The
bride and groom are both of St. John, N. B. Rev.
Dr. Harrington of the Congregational church,
officiated. The ceremony was performed at 8 45
a.m. in the presence of the relatives of the con-
tracting parties. The wedding march was charm-
ingly rendered by Mrs. Bodenchats, as the bride
select entered the parlor on the arm of her father. To
those who enjoy the lady's acquaintance it is need-
less to say she looked charming in a combination
suit of grey and heliotrope, with hat to match. The
brides were numerous and costly, among them a
fine piano from the groom. After refreshments the
happy pair took the train for Boston, thence to
Montreal, Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo. On
their return Mr. and Mrs. Gilchrist will reside at
N. Whall street, Malden, Mass.
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew W. Edwards of Antwerp
Belgium, made a brief visit to St. John recently
and during their stay were guests at the Royal.
Hon. Robert Young, Mrs. and Miss Young of
Caracas were in the city this week.
Mrs. Mrs. Thomas Murphy has returned to
Woodsstock after a pleasant stay with Carleton
friends.
Mrs. William Rising is visiting her sister, Mrs.
Frank P. Roden, at the latter's home in Halifax.
Judge Wells was in the city this week on his way
home from Boston where he had been attending
the funeral of Mrs. E. Howard Gay, formerly Miss
Fanning at one time teacher of voice culture at the
Ladies College, Sackville. News of Mrs. Gay's
death after one year of married life, was heard with
regret in this city, where she had many friends and
admirers.
Miss Hansard has returned to Halifax after a
pleasant visit to Mrs. G. C. Coster.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Payzant of Halifax have been
guests of Mr. W. S. Fisher, Orange street or a few
days lately.
Frederickton will next week have an opportunity
of hearing the Robinson Comic opera company
when they go to the capital for a three nights en-
gagement.
Miss Alice Farnham of Portland Me., is the guest
of West end relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. Norman Marsh arrived from Bur-
lington Vt. this week and will spend a month with
North end relatives.
Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Prince are being congratulated
on a very happy domestic event, the birth of a
son which occurred on Tuesday of this week.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Ernest Whittaker of Hampton,
were in the city this week to attend the funeral of
Mr. Whittaker's brother whose death occurred on
Sunday.
Miss Fannie Palmer accompanied Senator and
Mrs. Wood to Boston last week on a visit to some
friends.
Miss Ella Dick is visiting her sister Mrs. R.
Knox of this city.
Mrs. Robert Willey has returned to Fredericton
after a pleasant stay with friends here.

ST. STEPHEN AND CALAIS.
[Passengers in for sale in St. Stephen at the book-
store of S. Wall, T. E. Atcheson and J. Vroom
& Co. in Calais at O. P. Frost's.]
Nov. 29.—Miss Emma Grimmer is greatly im-
proved in health and her friends hope she is on her
way to recovery.
Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Todd and Miss Mildred
Todd are expected from Boston on Saturday.
Miss Annie Kelly has returned from Boston.
The Harmony club held their meeting on Mon-
day evening with Mrs. W. B. Gasong. The pro-
gramme was a very fine one, the selections being
chiefly from Rubenstein and Nevin. After the
musical programme, a dainty supper was served.
The invited guests for the evening were, Mrs. F.
Eaton, Mrs. James Mitchell, Miss Noe Clarke and
the Misses Washburn.
A Thanksgiving ball is to be given this evening
in Red Men's hall and, as the arrangements are of
the best, it probably will be a most enjoyable and
merry occasion.
Mrs. C. F. Eaton of Princeton has been spending
a few days in Milltown with James Murchie.
Dr. N. Villa Preker of St. Andrews was in town
on Tuesday, on route to Montreal.
Mr. and Mrs. Frederick P. MacNichol entertain
the Harmony club at their residence on the evening
of December 11th.
During their stay in town Rev. Dr. Hunter and
Mrs. Hunter of Grand Manan were guests of Mrs.
W. D. MacDoughlin.
Rev. W. C. Goucher returned from Beaver Har-
bor on Thursday last.
Mrs. Josephine Huntley is the guest of Mrs. W.
T. Black.
Mrs. J. Walker Moore gave a birthday party in
honor of her little daughter Lella's birthday. A
number of little friends were invited and a merry
time was enjoyed.
Mrs. L. Decker and her daughter Ellen, are
visiting relatives in Fredericton.
Miss Hattie Maxwell is confined to her home by
an attack of throat trouble and Miss Clara Averil
is performing her duties in the telephone office.
Mrs. Geo. F. Beverley, (nee Perry,) who has
been very low at her British Columbia home with
typhoid fever, is slightly recovering.
Mr. and Mrs. Parker Grimmer are receiving con-
gratulations on the recent arrival of a son.
Miss Jessie Wall is enjoying the pleasures of
Boston where she is visiting friends.
Mrs. A. E. Neill left Boston on Monday last for
Washington where she will make a short visit be-
fore going further south.
Mrs. C. W. Young and Miss Vera Young have
returned from Boston.
Mrs. S. B. Blair will leave on Monday for Ot-
tawa where she will spend the winter with Mr.
and Mrs. W. L. Blair.
W. F. Todd went to Boston last week where
with Mrs. Todd and his daughter Winifred he
will spend Thanksgiving week.
Mrs. John Black entertained a party of young
ladies and gentlemen on Thursday evening at her
residence Westwood. Miss Foster of St. Andrews
was the guest of honor.
J. L. Haley and his mother are occupying the
cottage on Prince William street recently pur-
chased from D. F. Maxwell.
Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Grimmer pleasantly en-
tertained the whist club of which they are members at
their residence on Thursday evening of last week.
Miss Georgie Thompson is presiding at the
organ in the Baptist church, Calais, during the ab-
sence of Mrs. Chas. F. Gray.
The engagement is announced of Miss Jessie W.
Keys of Calais and Alexander Murray of St. John
son of the late Wm. Murray of St. Stephen.
Miss Bessie Bixby returned from Boston on Mon-
day after a delightful visit of six weeks with Mrs.
Summer Hard and Miss Alice Stevens.
Mrs. Alice C. Clapp, who has been visiting in
Calais, returned to her home in Hartford, Conn., on
Wednesday last.
Miss Fowler of St. John is the guest of Miss Edith
Johnson in Calais.
Rev. Mr. Howard of Charleston, N. H., is visiting
Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Black.
Miss Ethel Foster left suddenly for St. Andrews
Monday afternoon, being summoned home by
telegram.
Miss Sarah Clarke gave a high tea on Monday
evening to a number of her friends which was a most
enjoyable affair.
Mrs. C. H. Clerk is able to be out again.
Miss Mabel Murchie gave a five o'clock tea on
Monday afternoon to a party of intimate lady
friends.
Mrs. Roberta Murchie has been quite ill for sev-
eral days and confined to her home.

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Nov. 30.—The social party held in the Masonic
hall last Wednesday evening was a grand success
and thoroughly enjoyable. The affair was arranged
by a number of our young men assisted by their
lady friends. Dancing was kept up until the small
hours of the morning, at midnight a dainty supper
was served. The party was chaperoned by Mrs.
W. E. Forbes and Mrs. W. D. Carter of St. John.
Mr. H. H. Fairweather was in town last Wednes-
day.
Mr. B. Sharpe of Summerside, P. E. I. spent
last week in town.
Mr. Will Stothart was in Chatham Mon. Wednes-
day last.
The home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Bernard was
the scene of a happy event on Tuesday morning,
when their daughter Maggie was united in mar-
riage.

Mr. Noah N. Barnes accompanied by her little

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