

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL NEWS OF THE WEEK IN ST. JOHN

Baggage and express wagons are moving from house to house carrying the trunks and baggage of youths and maidens home for the Christmas holidays.

The first assembly ball was held last Thursday evening in the Keble room in Carlton street, and like its predecessors was a brilliant society event.

Mrs. J. Morris Robinson was hostess on Tuesday at her residence in Queen Square, at a handsomely arranged and enjoyable afternoon tea.

Mrs. Carter Titus received for the first time since her marriage on Wednesday and Thursday last week, at her residence, by King street east.

At the Brown Betty tea shop a week ago last Wednesday evening, at 8 o'clock, Mr. Norton Griffith, M. P., entertained all his staff from his office at the Courthouse Bay.

We Have a Hair Grower and Dressing That is Genuine

Griffiths proposed in a most charming manner the toast to the staff and was graciously agreed to in remarks by the ladies present.

The regular meeting of the Arts Club was held last Tuesday evening at the residence of Mrs. M. A. Sheffield.

ACID STOMACHS ARE DANGEROUS

Nine-tenths of All Stomach Trouble Said to Be Due to Acidity. A famous physician whose successful researches into the cause and cure of stomach and intestinal diseases have earned for him an international reputation.

The author's life by Miss Helen Jack, the other, a character study, by Miss Edith Nelson.

Mrs. Roy Campbell gave a small enjoyable tea for Mrs. Digby on Friday afternoon at her residence in Elliott Row.

Mrs. Henry Morrissey is expected home from his residence in London, where he has been for some time.

Mrs. E. A. Smith will leave this evening to spend Christmas in Boston and later expect to leave for a visit to New York.

Mrs. James F. Robertson's numerous friends will be pleased to hear that she is rapidly recovering from her recent operation for appendicitis at the General Hospital.

Mrs. and Mrs. Horace King left last Saturday for Boston.

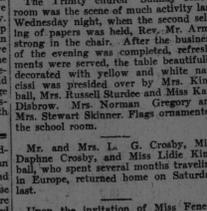
The presentation of a flag to the Albert school on the west side by Mrs. Gerson Mayes was a pleasing event.

Mrs. John C. Winslow is spending Christmas with relatives in Woodstock.

USEFUL GIFTS IN FOOTWEAR

- Men's Viscolized Sole, Laced Boots, \$3.25 to \$7.00
Men's Patent Laced or Button Boots, 4.00 to 6.00
Men's Overshoes, 1.40 to 3.25
Men's Rubber Boots, 4.00 to 6.00
Boys' Calf, Heavy Sole, Laced Boots, 2.00 to 4.00
Boys' Skating Boots, 1.75 to 3.25
Ladies' Patent Cloth Top Button Boots, 3.00 to 6.00
Ladies' Fine Calf, Button or Laced Double Sole Boots, 3.00 to 6.00
Ladies' Evening Pumps, 2.00 to 4.50
Ladies' Boudoir or Felt Slippers, .80 to 2.00
Girls' Calf or Patent Boots, 2.00 to 3.50
Girls' Skating Boots, 2.00 to 3.00
Children's Rubber Boots, Overshoes, Colored Leggings and Felt Slippers.

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CUTICURA SOAP

One of the largest and most fashionable receptions of the season was held by Mrs. Frank S. White last Friday afternoon at the Golf Club house, given in honor of her sister, Mrs. Walker Crabbe, of Detroit, Michigan.

Mrs. J. W. Digby, of Brantford (Ont.) The halls and drawing rooms were decorated with crimson southern grass and greenery.

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Before leaving for Paris, France, Miss Kathleen Digby was entertained by Miss Emily and Kathleen Sturdee at a pleasant party at the Imperial Hotel.

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