Society

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, Dec. 18.—Mrs. T. M. Jones returned on Saturday from St. John, where she was the guest of her brother, Mr. Jack Addy and Mrs. Addy.

Hon. F. B. Carvell, Mrs. Carvell and Mrs. Arthur M. Fisher arrived in town on Saturday evening and spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bailey.

Mr. J. H. Thompson left Monday evening for Portland, Me., in response to a telegram received on Sunday that Miss Ruth Thompson was threatened with pneumonia at the convent school in that city.

Mrs. Scovil Neales of Fredericton, Mr. and Mrs. George Clarke of Moncton, Mrs. George Beckwith and Mr. Stewart Carr were in town last week attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Willard L. Carr. Mrs. Neales and Mrs. Clark were with their sister when she passed away.

Private W. B. Manzer, so nof Dr. G. B. Manzer and Mrs. Manzer, arrived home from overseas on Monday. For the past two years he has been with the 26th Battalion. On July 14th, 1917, he was shell shocked at Lecin, and in August received a slight wound and was gassed at Hill 70. He joined the 5th Infantry Brigade at Passchendale on Nov. 6th, 1917. Shortly after this he contracted diphtheria in the trenches and was removed to the clearing station at Bruay, where he experienced the bombing raid on the Canadian hospital.

The death occurred early Tuesday morning of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Jennings. Burial was made in the Brighton cemetery on the eleventh, services being conducted by the Rev. A. S. Hazel.

Mr. Frank Baird went to McAdam Junction on Monday, where he took part in the indutcion of Rev. Mr. MacGuire into the McAdam Presbyterian church.

General regret was felt at the death of Mrs. W. L. Carr, which took place at her home on Wednesday afternoon. She has been in poor health for the past two years, although able to attend to her household duties until about a month ago. The late Mrs. Carr was a woman of fine qualities, charitable to the poor and needy and giving liberally to every good cause. During her long illness she was an example of patience and fortitude, especially in her home life, and made it pleasant for those around her. She was held in high regard by a large circle of friends and acquaintances who sincerely mourn her passing. The funeral took place on Friday afternoon. After a short service at the house, the body was taken to St. Luke's church, where a large congregation was present to pay their last respects. The service was in charge of the rector, Rev. A. S. Hazel assisted by the Dean of Fredericton and Rev. N Franchette of Hartland. The pall bearers were J. R. Brown, C. O. MacDonald, W. Duppa Smith, C. H. L. Perkins. The late Mrs. Carr is survived by her husband and one son, Douglas, and four sisters, Mrs. Neales, wife of the Dean of Fredericton, Mrs. George H. Clarke, Moncton; Mrs. H. H. Werren of Landrum, South Carolina, and Mrs. George F. Beckwith, of Boston.

Mr. Henry B. Garden, one of our best known citizens, was stricken with paralysis while driving to his home in Lower Woodstock on Saturday evening. He continued in an unconscious condition until Wednesday when he passed peacefully away. He is survived by one sister, Mrs. R. W. Balloch of Centreville, and two brothers, Herbert G., of Rouse's Point, N. Y., and Charles of Vancouver. The funeral was held on Friday, the Rev. A. S. Hazel officiating. The remains were interred in the family lot in the lower church burying ground.

Miss Bessie Kennedy, chief operator of the New Brunswick Telephone Co., was taken to the hospital on Saturday suffering from acute rheumatism.

Many friends will regret to hear of the death of Mrs. G. W. Vanwart which took place at the home of her daughter at Cambridge, Mass., Sunday, aged 74 years. She is survived by three daughters, Mrs. J. H. W. Winslow of Woodstock, Mrs. Jarvis S. Stinson, Cambridge, Mass., and Mrs. G. Hugh Harrison, Chatham, N. B. The remains arrived in Woodstock on Tuesday and the funeral took place from the residence of Mr. J. H. W. Winslow at four o'clock in the afternoon.

Dr. T. F. Griffen left on Monday for Washington, called there by the illness of his daughter. Mrs. Griffen accompanied Dr. Griffen as far as Boston.

Mr. H. L. Seeley, who has been quite ill is making a satisfactory recovery.

Lieut. Charles J. Jones, who has been ill at the Kingston Military Hospital for two months, returned home on Wednesday entirely recovered. Lieut. Jones was accompanied by Mrs. Jones.

Mr. William Blake left for Philadelphia on Monday for medical treatment.

Dr. A. H. Presscott and Mrs. Presscott spent a day in Fredericton last week, on their return, they were accompanied by their daughters, the Misses Pauline and Louise.

Mrs. George H. Deut is visiting friends in Bangor and Boston.

Mrs. A. G. Stone and Miss Zillah Stone spent last week in Montreal.

Rev. A. H. Trafton, who has been spending several months in St. John, has returned to Woodstock.

Mr. Heber B. Connell who has been very seriously ill with influenza, is able to be around his home, although yet quite weak.

The citizens of Woodstock were grieved and shocked to hear of the death of Miss Marguerite McCaffery, eldest daughter of Mr. Thomas L. McCaffery of the customs staff, which occurred at the Fisher Memorial Hospital, from the result of being frightfully burned. The late Miss McCaffery was a young lady of splendid character, and by her loving disposition endeared herself to all with whom she came in contact. She is survived by her father, two sisters and one brother.

Miss Bessie Jones, who is attending the Provincial Normal School at Fredericton, is at home for the holiday season.

Mr. Wightman Manzer attended the exercises at the Rothesay College last week.

Miss Elinor Slipp, who has been in poor health the past two years, left on Tuesday evening for Lake Muskoka, where she will spend the winter months She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. G. W. Slipp and Miss Lillian Nelson, R. N. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Dr. Damonn left for Toronto on Saturday, having been invited to take the special course on oral surgery and prosthetic dentistry given by the Royal College of Dental Surgeons of Ontario and the Preparedness League of American Dentists in order to instruct a certain number of dentists in the most recent methods in the restoration and treatment of facial injuries, viz., the placement of artificial eyes, nose and surrounding parts, adn the restoration of other contiguous defects. The object of this post graduate course is to render the best possible service to returned soldiers.

Mr. B. M. McLeod has been appointed manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Guelph, Ont. Mr. McLeod was manager of the Bank of Nova Scotia here for several years and was very popular.

ST. STEPHEN

St. Stephen, Dec. 18—Miss Kathleen Cockburn returned on Tuesday from an extended visit with friends in Boston.

Captain Frank Nicholson has returned from overseas and is receiving a cordial welcome from his many friends.

His Lordship Bishop Richardson was in town during the week and held confirmation at Christ church, and inducted Rev. Percy Cotton into the rectorship of Trinity church on Wednesday evening. While in town Bishop Richardson was the guest of Venerable Archdeacon Newnham at Christ church rectory.

Short's Military Band has been quite busy during the week meeting the trains bearing returned soldiers, all of whom are receiving cordial welcome from friends and relatives and townspeople generally.

On the invitation of Mrs. Herbert Dow, a number of friends surprised Miss Bessie Dinsmore at her home on Prince William street on Monday evening of this week, the occasion being Miss Dinsmore's birthday. A jolly game of bridge was played during the evening, at which the prize, a dainty box of candy, was won by Mrs. Louis Abbott. A delicious lunch was served at the close of the game, the guests being served by Miss Elizabeth Dow. The guests were Mrs. Louis Abbott, Mrs. M. N. Cockburn, Mrs. Shaw, Mrs. M. Burton, Mrs. Wm. Harper, Miss Annie Bixby and Miss Theodora Stevens.

Corp. Wm. Murray returned from overseas on Saturday night last, and is receiving cordial welcome from his many friends.

Sergt. Vernon Grimmer is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Parker Grimmer, at their home on Union street.

Miss M. Olivia Maxwell and her brother, Mr. Joseph Maxwell, have returned from Montreal. Mr. Maxwell's many friends are glad to learn he is much improved in health.

The community was shocked on Monday to hear of the death of Mr. Frederick P. MacNichol, which occurred very suddenly about noon. He leaves a wife, one son and three daughters to mourn his loss, for whom much sympathy is expressed in their bereavement.

Letters have been received from Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Redmond of North Head, Grand Manan, telling of their safe arrival in St. Petersburg, Florida, where they expect to spend the winter.

Miss Martha Harris has returned from a delightful visit with friends and relatives in New York, Boston and Portland.

The Wa Wa Club met this week with Mrs. Frank Gatcomb at her home in Calais.

Mrs. Julius Towers has returned from a visit in New Hampshire, with her husband and daughters, who are employed there.

Mr. Roger Cooper of Fredericton was in town during the week, a guest at the Queen.

Letters have been received from Copr. Hugh Murray, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Murray, saying that he expects to be home by the New Year, and possibly by Christmas.

Mrs. W. F. Todd gave a very delightful children's party at her home on Union street on Saturday last for the pleasure of her granddaughter, little Miss Winnifred Mills.

Mr. Kenneth Murray arrived on Saturday from college to spend his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Murray.

Miss Jennie Pierce is the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Inches, at her home on Marks street.

Miss Helen MacNichol has returned from Boston, and Mrs. Frank MacNichol is home from Toledo, called home by the death of their father, Mr. Fred P. MacNichol.

Judge M. N. Cockburn has returned from a trip to Toronto.

Mrs. GeorgeJ. Clarke, with Mrs. W. Lewis Jarvis and young son, leave on Saturday to spend Christmas with relatives in Montreal. Mrs. Jarvis will remain in Montreal for the winter.

Dr. W. S. Carter and Mrs. Carter of Fredericton were guests during the week of Senator and Mrs. L. R. Todd at their home in Milltown.

Mrs. Roy Lewis of Woodland, has been the guest during the week of Mr. and Mrs. John Black in Milltown.

Mr. James Inches is confined to his home with a heavy cold.

Many friends of Dr. G. M. Campbell are glad to learn that his condition is improving, and hopes for his recovery from his recent illness are entertained.

SUSSEX

Sussex, Dec. 20—Mr. and Mrs. J. Everett Keith were visitors to St. John on Wednesday.

Mrs. Ora P. King spent Tuesday and Wednesday in St. John, with her sister, Miss Mary Connely.

Among the visitors to St. John on Wednesday were Mrs. Guy Kinnear, Mrs. George Suffren, Mrs. A. L. Robinson and Miss Gertrude Sherwood.

Miss Marion Reid arrived home from Acadia College, Wolfville, on Wednesday, to spend the Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield White were visitors to St. John on Tuesday.

Mrs. Arthur Maggs spent Wednesday with friends at Bloomfield.

Mrs. Harry W. Wallace spent the week-end in St. John.

Mrs. L. R. Murray and daughter, Elizabeth, were guests of Mrs. Jack, St. John, for the week-end.

W. H. Culbert was a visitor to St. John on Tuesday.

Mrs. J. J. Daly and Miss Della Daly spent Monday in St. John.

Mrs. W. F. Parker spent last week in St. John, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Parker.

Miss Madeline Manchester left on Monday for Newton, Mass., to spend a month with her aunt, Miss Alice Pearson.

Mrs. Harry Chapman was a visitor to St. John this week.

Mrs. George H. Barnes, Mrs. Coleman, Mr. McBride and Mr. J. Pope Barnes of St. John; Messrs. Paul and Jack Lea, and Mrs. George McAvity of Hampton, were guests at Colonial House on Saturday last, being in town to attend the funeral of the late George H. Barnes.

J. Russel Morash, who has been in training in one of the camps of the Royal Air Force in Toronto, has received his provisional discharge since the signing of the armistice, and intends completing his High School course here, during the remainder of the school year.

Mrs. W. W. Stockton spent Monday in St. John.

Among the visitors to St. John on Tuesday were Mrs. Jack Ferguson and her mother, Mrs. Robinson, Mrs. A. C. McCready, Mrs. C. W. Stockton, Miss Arnold, Mrs. Fred Mahoney and doughter Alayisea, Miss Florence Whalen and Miss Edith Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Freeze spent Monday in St. John.

Chalmer's Presbyterian church on Pitt street has been sold to Mr. Joseph Spear, who it is said proposes converting it into a dwelling house.

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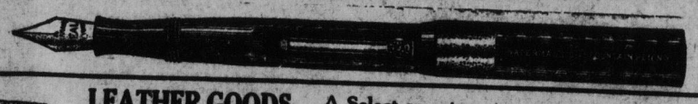

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