FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

ROTHESAY

Rothesay, Feb. 11—The popularity of the serving of afternoon tea at the Tuesday meetings of the Red Cross Society is growing from week to week and steadily adding to the funds for this splendid work. About forty were present this week, several little parties having been arranged in advance. Mrs. Fred Foster and Miss Brock poured and several young ladies did the serving. On account of the entertainment to be given next Tuesday evening it has been decided to have the sewing meeting and afternoon tea on Monday.

Bishop Richardson spent part of Monday and Tuesday in Rothesay, being guest of Rev. W. R. and Mrs. Hibbard.

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Frink, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson, Misses MacKeen, Miss Kendell (Montreal), Miss Purdy, Miss Muriel Fairweather, Miss Nan Fairweather, Miss Daniel, Miss Lillie West, Mr. Purdy, Mr. Cooper, Mr. Cecil West and Mr. Herbert West crossed the river and had tea at the Island clubhouse.

Miss Florence Ellison leaves this week to visit friends in Sussex, expecting to be away about a fortnight.

On Monday Mrs. E. S. Carter went to Fredericton, where she will be guest of her mother, Mrs. Fenety.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Allison entertained on Saturday Rev. W. R. Hibbard, Mrs. Hibbard, Miss Angel (North Sydney), Mr. and Mrs. Bell, Miss Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Puddington, Miss Muriel Fairweather, Miss Puddington, Mr. and Mrs. John M. Robinson, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. Frink, Mr. Jack Fairweather, Mr. Walter Allison and Mr. Cooper. Afternoon tea was served.

Miss Angel, of North Sydney (C. B.), is here visiting Mrs. Hibbard.

A sale of fancy articles, candy and afternoon tea is to be held at the home of Mrs. H. F. Puddington this Saturday afternoon from 2 to 5 o'clock. Several little girls have been anxious to do something to help Dr. Murray MacLaren in his hospital work.

On Saturday evening Messrs. J. H. A. L. Fairweather, W. C. Allison, J. M. Robinson, R. Cooper and H. W. Frink crossed to the Island.

Luncheon guests of Mrs. and Miss Puddington on Tuesday were Mrs. Henry Rankine and Mrs. J. M. Robinson. They attended the Red Cross meeting in the afternoon.

Miss Frances MacKeen arrived home from Montreal on Monday to visit her sisters, the Misses MacKeen, before leaving with the second overseas contingent as a Red Cross nurse in connection with the McGill College hospital.

Mrs. Harry Frink was hostess at a very enjoyable luncheon on Wednesday. The guests were Mrs. Leonard Tilley, Mrs. Walter Foster, Mrs. Charles Bostwick, Mrs. Robert Crulkshank, Mrs. W. E. Foster (St. John), Mrs. John M. Robinson (Rothesay.)

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leonard were Mr. and Mrs. Frank McDonald, of St. John.

Friends of Mr. A. W. McMackin are glad to know he is recovering from a severe attack of la grippe and hope soon to see him out again.

Mrs. Peters, of St. John, is here visiting Mrs. L. B. Knight.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Leonard were Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Machum, of St. John.

Mrs. G. H. Grantham entertained several friends at "five hundred" on Wednesday evening.

A pleasantly anticipated entertainment is the amateur performance of Sally Lunn, to be given in St. Paul's Sunday school next Tuesday, Feb. 16, at 8 o'clock. All the reserved seat tickets were sold early in the week and a full house is sure to greet the performers. Proceeds for Red Cross. Rothesay College orchestra will play. Miss Puddington has the affair in hand and is working indefatigably for its success.

Last Thursday afternoon the "Willing Worker's" circle were guests of Mrs. L. E. Tapley, Fair Vale, and most pleasantly entertained. At 5 o'clock delicious refreshments were served. Members from Rothesay and Riverside had the added pleasure of a "big sleigh" drive. The "circle" is this afternoon enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. J. R. Robertson.

On Tuesday evening Miss Emma Turnbull gave a very delightful coasting party with supper afterward at her home on College Hill. Numbered among the guests were Misses Agnes MacKeen, Lillie West, Miriam Knowlton, Jean Foss, and Georgie Trueman. Among the college students present were Fred Foster, Harry Barker, C. Alward, J. Nichols, G. Germain, J. Smith, C. Ratchford, E. Scovil, also Mr. Cecil West.

A well prepared and greatly enjoyed evening's entertainment under the management of Miss Nan Brock, Miss L. Currie and Mrs. Fred Foster, was given on Wednesday evening at the Sunday school house by members of the Junior Branch W. A. There were missionary dialogues and recitations given in costume and several hymns were sung. Miss Brock presided and a collection taken at the close goes toward paying the "pledges" of the branch.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Feb. 10—The most delightful and successful dance of the season was that given at The Palms on Monday evening, when Miss Jean VanBuskirk was hostess to more than 100 of her friends. The party was given in honor of her guest, Miss Leila Murchie, of St. Stephen, and Miss Doody, of St. John. The charming young hostess, who was daintily gowned in white silk net with sequin trimmings and carried a sheaf of pink and white roses tied with pink satin ribbons, and wore a Dutch sequin cap, was assisted in receiving by her guests. Miss Murchie wore eau de Nile satin with shadow lace overdress, and carried pink and white roses. Miss Doody was in Nile green crepe de chine with sequins and shadow lace, and carried crimson roses, and the chaperones, Mrs. A. M. Gibson, in black sequins over black satin and corsage bouquet of violets; Miss Jeannette Beverly, in pink satin veiled in Dresden chiffon and pearl trimmings. Miss VanBuskirk, who was attending to the comfort of the guests, did not receive with her sister, but looked very handsome in white charmeuse with overdress of silk net with rhinestone trimming, and wore a lovely rope of pearls. The guests included the Misses Thompson, the Misses Taylor, the Misses Barry, the Misses Hawthorne, the Misses Colwell, the Misses Crocket, Miss Steeves, Miss Hawkins, Miss Lottimer, Miss Burchill, Miss Wilson, Miss Beatrice Crocket, Miss Morrison, Miss Edgecombe, Miss Louise Sterling, Miss Green, Miss Cochrane (Houlton), Miss Foster (Dorchester), Miss Spicer (St. John), Miss Murchie (St. Stephen), Miss Doody (St. John), the Misses O'Neil, Miss Fisher, Miss Walker, Miss Chestnut, Miss Hilda Gregory, Miss Lynch, Miss Gibson, Miss McGrath, Miss McLeod, Captain Chisholm, Captain Gamblin, Lieut. Perrier, Messrs. Jones, McDonald, Morrison, Otty, Allison Taylor, A. Carter, Gibson, Muirhead, McKay, Vanwart, Campbell, Balkam, Landry, Melrose, Vavasour, Edgecombe McAlvenney, Montgomery, Bailey, McLeod, Burton, McFadgen, Cruikshank, Limerick, Wilson, McGibbon, Hawkins, McGrath, Hickman, Jennings, Maxwell, Dr. Holden, F. Doody. McKnight's orchestra furnished a programme of seventeen dances and three supper extras.

Miss Doody returned to St. John this morning and Miss Murchie left this evening for her home in St. Stephen.

The Misses Cochrane and Buzzell, who have been visiting Miss Green, returned to Holten Tuesday.

Mrs. W. W. Hubbard entertained at a bridge of four tables on Friday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. A. W. MacRae, of St. John, when Mrs. Allison was the prize winner.

Mrs. Victor Johnson, who is here with Captain Johnson at the Queen, will sail next week for England and will remain there until the end of the war.

Miss Jean Wilson is visiting with relatives in St. John.

Mrs. E. S. Carter, of Rothesay, is visiting her mother, Mrs. George E. Fenety.

Miss Spicer, of St. John, is visiting in the city for a few days.

The Lang Syne Club met last evening with Mr. and Mrs. George N. Babbitt, five tables, when Mrs. Ross Thompson and Mr. Geo. Harrison were the prize winners.

Mrs. Fred. Colter entertained today, from 5 o'clock till 9, twelve boys and girls of the not-outs, in honor of Master Royden Colter's twelfth birthday. Thedecorations all suggested the valentine season, red streamers connected the table corners with the electrolier. The table was centered with a tempting birthday cake, which held twelve candles.

Mrs. A. B. Kitchen is spending this week in St. John.

The dance given in the gymnasium by the students of the university, in honor of the U. N. B. students who have volunteered with the second Canadian contingent, although quite informal, was very enjoyable. The gymnasium was elaborately decorated with flags and college banners. A programme of eighteen dances, with three supper extras, was enjoyed. Mrs. J. A. Stiles and Mrs. C. G. McGinnis were the chaperones. Among the out-of-town guests present were Miss Leila Murchie (St. Stephen), Miss Foster, Miss Landry and Miss Richard (Dorchester), Miss Cochrane and Miss Buzzell (Houlton), and Captain George Keefe, Lieutenant P. C. Sherren, Lieutenant F. E. Lockhart, of the 26th battalion, St. John.

Miss Helen Vanwart, who was studying music in Germany when the war broke out, and had much trouble in getting to England, is now studying music in New York.

Mr. and Mrs. George Harrison are shortly leaving for Prince Edward Island, where they will reside.

The Monday Club met this week with Mrs. R. N. McCunn, five tables, when Mrs. Harold Babbitt was the winner of the club prize and Mrs. J. Alexander Thompson was winner of the visitor's prize. The young ladies coming in at the tea hour and serving were Miss Helen Morrison, Miss Grace Winslow, Miss Zilla Edgecombe and Mrs. Frederick Baird.

Mrs. C. H. Giles, Brooklands, is spending a few days in St. John.

Mrs. J. K. Scammell accompanied her husband to St. John for a few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gunter entertained at dinner on Sunday, when covers were laid for six.

Mrs. T. G. Loggie has returned from a pleasant stay at Halifax.

Mrs. Alexander J. Thompson was today hostess at a pleasant bridge of twelve tables given in honor of her guest, Mrs. Alcorn, of Perth. Mrs. Alcorn assisted Mrs. Thompson in receiving and was warmly welcomed by many old friends. The prize winners were Mrs. James Taylor and Miss Sterling.

Mrs. J. C. McMinn, of Richibucto, is here with her brother, Dr. Phinney, who is seriously ill.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 11—In the supreme court this morning the case of Windsor vs Young, an appeal from the Gloucester county court was argued, Mr. Byrne supported the appeal; Gilbert, K. C., contra. The action is in connection with a promissory note. The court considers.

The case of Phillips vs Montgomery is now being argued. Hartley, K. C., is moving for a new trial, Jones, K. C., contra.

The case of the Receiver General of New Brunswick vs Robert Rossborough, administrator for the estate of the late Doctor James Walker, of South Bay, will likely be argued tomorrow. It is a special case referred by Mr. Justice McKeown and has to do with succession duties on property left by Dr. Walker in Halifax. Besides real estate there are some Halifax city debentures and a sum of money on deposit in the Royal Bank in that city. The sum of $10,187 has already been collected from the Walker estate in succession duties. The attorney general will argue the special case and Mr. Ewing is for the defendant.

The thermometer registered sixteen below here last night.

W. S. Ryan of St. John, was admitted a barrister this morning.

Five men from Yarmouth arrived this morning to join the 23rd field battery.

Fredericton, N. B., Feb. 12—The supreme court adjourned at noon until next Thursday. The succession duty case will then be argued.

In the Royal Bank vs. Bustin there was argument this morning. Knowles, K. C., supported an appeal from the St. John county court; Tilley, K. C., contra. The court considers.

In Blue vs. Mullin, Ewing, K. C., moved to set aside a verdict for the plaintiff and enter a verdict for the defendant or for a new trial; Carter, K. C., contra. The court considers.

Captain Horace Vanwart, of this city, has been appointed brigade signaller on the staff of Colonel Jones at Khandator Barracks, Tidworth.

James Fell died at his home this morning, aged ninety-four. He was a native of Forfarshire, Scotland, but had resided in New Brunswick most of his life. For many years he was employed by D. D. Glasier & Son.

Capt. George Gamblin and bride arrived from St. John this morning and took up their abode at the Barker House. Members of the Ammunition Column with a brass band met them at the depot and escorted them to the hotel. The horses were removed and the coach was drawn by hand. Arriving at the hotel a hearty cheer was given.

NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, Feb. 11—Miss Annie Flett, of Nelson, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phinney.

Miss Addie Weeks, of Millerton, spent several days of the past week in town, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Burchill, who have been visiting in St. John, returned home last Saturday.

Miss Edna Vye, of Indiantown, who has been visiting friends in town, returned home last Friday.

Mrs. R. Waldo Crocker entertained a number of the members of the Red Cross Society at a sewing party at her home, last Frida y afternoon, when a most pleasant and profitable afternoon was spent by all.

Mr. E. B. Baines, of Toronto, inspector for the Bank of Nova Scotia, in in town this week.

Mrs. Edward Burke, of Chatham, is visiting her sister, Mrs. John Rae.

Miss Alice Mitchell is visiting friends in Campbellton.

Miss Addie Stables left last Monday in company with Miss Bellmore, of Fredericton, for a visit of several weeks to Toronto and Montreal.

The many friends of Miss Olive Williamson, will regret to hear that her condition is unchanged.

Mrs. Cox and son, Harland, of Truro, who have been visiting Rev. and Mrs. J. Richardson at the Baptist parsonage here, for some time, returned home this morning.

The many friends of Mr. J. F. R. McMichael are sorry to learn that he has been confined to the house for the past week.

Next Monday evening the junior members of the local Red Cross Society will hold a dance in the Town Hall. As the proceeds are to be devoted to Red Cross work, the attendance promises to be a large one. The chaperons for the evening will be the following ladies, who are also the convenors of the different Red Cross committees, Mrs. William Park, Mrs. J. C. Morrissy, Mrs. Robert Armstrong, Mrs. A. E. Shaw, Mrs. John Robinson, Mrs. D. P. Doyle, Mrs. R. Waldo Crocker, Mrs. B. P. Gillespie.

Mr. Blair Hutchinson, who has been spending his vacation with his parents at Rexton, has returned to town.

At the regular meeting of the Red Cross Society last Tuesday afternoon, it was decided to sell, by auction, the beautiful sleigh, presented to the society by the Canadian Gear Works. As the object is a worthy one, the bidding will no doubt be most exciting.

This week two more cases of hospital supplies and knitted articles were shipped to the St. John depot, as follows: Twenty-five hospital shirts, seven grey flannel shirts, fourteen suits pyjamas, eighteen scarves, fourteen pairs socks, three pairs mittens, nine pairs wristlets, three caps.

On Tuesday of this week Mrs. J. D. Creaghan received the sad intelligence of the sudden death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Samuel Adams, of New York.

Mrs. W. H. Belyea and family have returned from a visit to St. John.

The annual Frances Willard Memorial service of the W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. John W. Miller, next Thursday, when a special programme will be arranged.

Mrs. W. R. Fitzmaurice leaves tomorrow morning on a visit to friends in Amherst (N .S.)

Miss Bessie Whitney, of Whitneyville, spent several days of the past week in town, the guest of Mrs. C. C. Hayward.

Newcastle, Feb. 11—Newcastle patriotic fund executives met last night.

Chatham patriotic fund asked that Newcastle parish east of Ferry Road be transferred to their district. Newcastle agreed and asks that Nelson parish be transferred from Chatham to Newcastle district.

Treasurer Jardine reported as follows:

Total subscriptions to date	$2,488.17
Total paid up	2,418.17
Disbursements	697.00
Balance on hand	$1,721.17

Newcastle people have raised for the three funds—Patriotic, Belgian and Red Cross—a total of $6,284.

The secretary was instructed to write the different parish executives re immediate organization.

It was decided to send for twenty-five photographs of the first contingent a Valcartier, to sell at $1 apiece.

D. J. Buckley said that all employers of labor should arrange with their employes for regular contributions, and that all employers themselves should lay by a certain percentage of their income. Adjourned.

ST. ANDREWS

St. Andrews, Feb. 11—Mrs. Vernon Lamb left on Tuesday night to visit friends in Boston and Vermont.

Miss Laura Wilson and Miss Anna Mitchell spent Sunday in Campobello.

Mr. Kenneth Cummings, of the 26th battalion, St. John, was home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Mason are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son on Feb. 1.

Mr. Colin Hewitt was a passenger on Tuesday night's train to spend some time in Boston.

Mrs. Fred. Andrews was hostess at a very pleasant sewing party on Thursday afternoon of last week. Miss Minnie Keay presided at the tea tables. At a guessing contest prizes were won by Miss Annie Richardson and Miss Adeline Kerr.

Mrs. E. A. Cockburn was hostess at an auction bridge on Thursday evening, when the prize was won by Mrs. George Elliot.

Mr. and Mrs. Shier Johnston were pleasantly surprised on Monday evening when a number of their friends drove out to their home on Senator McKay's farm to help celebrate the tenth anniversary of their wedding. They were presented with tinware of all description after which cards and dancing were indulged in. Refreshments were served at midnight, the party returning in the early hours of the morning.

Miss Constance Parker gave a very delightful snowshoe tramp and tea to a number of her little friends on Friday afternoon of last week. The little girls were Dorothy Pendlebury, Grace McCracken, Dorothy Thompson, Marjorie Hanson, Dorothy Hanson, Claro Anderson, Emma Odell and Helen Rigby.

Miss Amelia Kennedy entertained on Monday evening in honor of Mrs. Vernon Lamb (Camrose.) Mrs. R. A. Stuart and Miss Carolyn Rigby won the whist prizes and Miss Ethel Richardson the prize in a guessing contest. Those present were Mrs. Vernon Lamb, Mrs. Warren Stinson, Mrs. Earl Brown, Mrs. E. A. Cockburn, Mrs. George Smith, Mrs. R. A. Stuart, Mrs. Austin Budd, Mrs. Robert Clark, the Misses Bess Hibbard, Minerva Hibbard, Alice O'Neil, Julia O'Neil, Eva Stoop, Broad, Laura Shaw, Carolyn Rigby, Madge Rigby, Emily Donahue, Ethel Richardson, Margaret Burton, Gertrude Stinson, Edith Saunders, May Britt (Calais), Stella Britt, Annie Britt.

Mrs. Joseph Handy entertained very delightfully at whist on Thursday evening last, when the prizes were carried off by Mrs. Warren Stinson, Mrs. R. Tennant, and Mrs. A. B. O'Neil. The guests were Mrs. Hewitt, Mrs. Shaughnessy, Mrs. Hawthorne, Mrs. A. B. O'Neil, Mrs. R. Tennant, Mrs. T. Pendlebury, Mrs. E. Davis, Mrs. John Cropley, Mrs. H. McCracken, Mrs. C. DeWolfe, Mrs. D. G. Hanson, Mrs. Warren Stinson, the Misses Ethel Richardson, Gertrude Stinson, Emily Donahue, Ida Graham, Margaret Burton, Edith Hewitt, Ruth Greenlaw, Gene Howe, Sara McCafferty, Mattie Mallock, Leora Stinson.

Mrs. George Gardiner entertained a few friends at the tea hour on Wednesday.

On the invitation of the Misses Phyllis Cockburn and Dorothy Lamb, a number of young people enjoyed a pleasant drive to Chamcook Lake on Thursday evening last. Mrs. Vernon Lamb and Mrs. Earle Brown chaperoned the party.

Mrs. Vern Whitman arrived from Laconia (N. H.) on Tuesday to spend a couple of weeks with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Maloney.

SHEDIAC

Shediac, Feb. 11—Mrs. J. Hickman and Mrs. Charles Hickman, of Dorchester, are spending a few days at the home of Mrs. E. A. Smith.

Miss Leger left recently on a trip to friends in different parts of Massachusettes.

The members of the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church are being entertained on Friday afternoon of this week by Mrs. W. Gleason at the residence of her mother, Mrs. J. W. Bradley.

Miss Bessie Wortman returned on Tuesday from a few days pleasantly spent with Moncton friends.

Miss Eleanor Tait, of Mount Allison, spent the week-end at her home in town returning to her studies on Monday. Mr. Allan Tait and party of college friends also in town for over Sunday returned to Sackville the first of the week.

Mrs. H. H. Schaeffer is entertaining the ladies of the Bridge Club at the residence of Mrs. B. A. Smith, this afternoon.

The Misses Eva and Evangeline Melanson left on Tuesday of this week for Halifax, where they will be the guests of their sister, Mrs. A. Leger.

Miss Bessie McLeod, of Point de Bute, has been spending the week at Shediac Cape, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. W. Beal.

Mrs. H. W. Murray, who has been spending the past month in Boston undergoing medical treatment, is expected to arrive home this week.

One of the pleasant social functions held in town in some little time was the bridge given by Mrs. Sourmany, on Tuesday evening of this week. Guests were present for three tables, the winner of the prize for the evening being Mrs. James McQueen. Little Miss Alice Bourque ushered the guests. Those present included Mrs. O. M. Melanson, Mrs. J. V. Bourque, Mrs. S. Bourgue, Mrs. Paturelle, Miss Harper, Miss Theal, Mrs. E. R. McDonald, Mrs. H. McDonald, Mrs. James McQueen, Mrs. Thomas Browne.

Mrs. H. McDonald has returned from a pleasant trip to Fredericton and St. John.

Mr. Leslie Frier who has been recruiting for the second contingent at Fredericton, spent Sunday with his parents in town.

Mr. Gordon Hebert, who is recruiting for the second contingent at Fredericton, spent Sunday at his home, Shediac East.

The ladies of the Bridge Club were entertained at the home of Mrs. James McQueen on Thursday of last week when Mrs. James Stewart was hostess. The prize for the afternoon fell to Mrs. J. Wortman, Miss Bessie McLeod, of Pt. de Bute, being awarded the guest of honor prize.

Miss Alice Keith, of Petitcodiac, who is the guest this winter of her cousin, Mrs. A. J. Webster, recently spent a couple of days with Moncton friends.

Miss Nora Shannon, of Moncton, spent last week in Shediac, the guest of the Misses Weldon.

Mr. E. Gibson, who with Mrs. Gibson is spending the winter months in Toronto, was at the Weldon House for a few days recently. Mr. and Mrs. Gibson intend returning to Shediac in the early spring.

Mr. R. S. Murray returned on Thursday from Montreal, where he had gone to accompany his sister, Miss Alberta Murray home upon her return from the General Hospital, where she had been undergoing operation for appendicitis. Miss Murray's friends are pleased to know her health is much improved.

MONCTON

Moncton, Feb. 11—Miss Nellie McLellan, who has been spending several weeks in the city with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus McLellan, has left on her return to Regina.

Capt. J. W. Carter, of Salisbury, spent Saturday with friends in the city.

Mrs. C. T. Purdy has returned from Truro, where she was attending the session of the Women's Missionary Society.

Mrs. R. W. Hewson has returned from St. John, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Powell.

Mr. A. S. Knight, of Winnipeg, has been spending the past ten days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Knight.

Canon Sisam, Mr. S. L. Shannon, Mr. G. B. Willett and Mr. R. W. Henson have returned from St. John, where they were attending a meeting of the Church of England synod.

Hon. M. P. and Mrs. Cashion, of St. John's (Nfld.), are the guests of friends in the city.

Miss Faith Hayward, of Montreal, is the guest of Miss Georgie Sherrard.

Mrs. D. L. Hanington has returned to Dorchester, after spending a few days with the Misses Carmen.

Miss Edna Humphrey has returned from Sackville, where she was spending the week-end with relatives.

Mrs. Charles Harper, of Shediac, is the guest of relatives in the city.

Mrs. Eliza Steeves is spending some time with relatives in Hillsboro.

Mr. A. H. Trueman, of the Bank of Montreal staff, has been transferred to Amherst and left for that town on Monday. Mr. Trueman made many friends during his stay in Moncton who regret his departure, but are glad to know it means promotion.

Miss Kathleen Emmerson has returned from a week's stay in Dorchester, where she was the guest of her cousin, Miss Bernice Emmerson.

Miss Bertha Fergusson, of Campbellton, is in the city for a few days, the guest of Miss Katharine Carpenter.

Many Moncton friends are interested in the announcement of the marriage of Major S. Boyd Anderson, commander of the 8th Battery with the Canadian contingent, to Miss Gladys S. Winter. The marriage was solemnized Jan. 27 in St. John's church, Market Lavington, England. The groom is well known here as he had resided in Moncton for a number of years. The bride's home is in Leamington (Ont.), but she has been a resident of this city for some time. Major and Mrs. Anderson will have the best wishes of a large number of friends.

The Misses Mildred and Evelyn Bennett, of Hopewell Cape, spent Saturday with friends in the city.

Miss Carson is spending a few days in Dorchester, the guest of Mrs. Charles Card.

Miss Nora Shannon has gone to Shediac to spend a week with Miss Elsie Weldon.

Mrs. Ivan McKnight, of Fredericton, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Snow.

Rev. T. Porter Drumm has returned from Campbellton, where he was spending a few days with his former parishioners.

Mrs. A. H. Burt, of Shediac, is the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. Murray.

Mrs. George Seaman has gone to Hillsboro to spend some time at her former home.

Mrs. Thomas Leahy is spending a few weeks with friends in Bathurst.

Mr. and Mrs. James Burns have returned from Sackville, where they were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Oulton.

Miss Maude Melanson has returned to Montreal after spending a vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Melanson.

Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Myers are enjoying a holiday trip to New York and will be absent about two weeks.

Mrs. E. A. Smith, of St. John, spent part of the week in the city, the guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. T. Purdy. Mrs. Smith gave a most instructive lecture in Wesley Memorial church on Tuesday evening.

Miss Margaret McKinnon, of Hillsboro, is spending the week with friends in the city.

Miss Susie Duffy, of Hillsboro, is the guest of friends in the city.

Mrs. John Crockett, of New Glasgow, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. John L. MacDonald.

On Wednesday evening a most enjoyable dance took place in Windsor hall under the auspices of the Red Cross Society. A very large number were present and while the majority engaged in dancing a number enjoyed playing bridge. Mrs. W. A. Ferguson, president of the Red Cross Society, received the guests and was assisted by Mrs. W. F. Humphrey and Mrs. B. A. Bourgeois. The music was furnished by McMullen's orchestra and at midnight refreshments were served.

Mrs. L. A. W. Steven held her first reception since her marriage on Wednesday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Edgett. The rooms were attractively decorated with flowers, pink tulips being used in the drawing room and daffodils in the tea room. Mrs. Steven wore her wedding gown of ivory duchess satin with a corsage bouquet of pink sweet peas. She was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. W. H. Edgett, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. W. A. D. Steven. Mrs. A. R. Macgowan poured tea and was assisted by Mrs. Owen Cameron, Mrs. John Edington, Mrs. P. Campbell, Mrs. E. W. Steeves and the Misses Irving, Gibson, Kantley and Campbell.

CHATHAM

Chatham, N. B., Feb. 11—The many friends of Corporal Fred Alexander will very much regret to learn that, owing to ill-health, he has been obliged to leave the ranks of the first contingent, and will shortly return home. On account of the exceptionally damp and heavy weather experienced by the first contingent at Salisbury, Mr. Alexander contracted bronchitis, which developed a former trouble in one of his lungs, which caused his medical officer to pronounce him unfit for active service, and as a result has been invalided home.

The Red Cross Society of Newcastle are giving a dance in the Town Hall, Newcastle, Monday evening, Feb. 15. The proceeds are to be utilized for the good work of the society. The chaperones will be Mesdames Park, Doyle, Morrissy, Armstrong, Gillespie, Crocker, Shaw and Robinson.

Mr. W. S. Loggie, M.P., attended the opening of parliament on Thursday, and returned home Saturday morning.

Captains G. Wood and A. L. Losier, went to Halifax on Friday last.

Miss Jessie Lyon, who has been the guest of Miss Grace Heuson for the past two weeks, has returned to her home in Millerton.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Neale are spending a few days in St. John, guests at the Prince William Apartments.

Hon. J. P. and Mrs. Burchill, who have been attending the synod meeting in St. John the past two weeks, have returned home.

Mrs. F. McKeen left on Monday for Bathurst, where she will join Mr. McKeen.

Misses Lorna Parker, Bertie Clark, and Helen Crocker, who have been attending the Women's Institute for the past two weeks, returned to their homes in Millerton.

Mrs. G. P. Hickey has been called to Bathurst on account of the serious illness of her father, Mayor Burns.

Miss Josie McFadden, of Buctouche, is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Thomas Donovan.

The ladies of the local Red Cross Society are holding a Valentine tea in the Town Hall on Saturday afternoon. The proceeds in aid of the society.

DALHOUSIE

Dalhousie, N. B., Feb. 11—Mrs. Andrew Barberie was hostess on Monday evening at a most enjoyable sewing party. During the evening dainty refreshments were served. Among those present were Mrs. William S. Montgomery, Mrs. P. B. Troy, Mrs. A. G. McKenzie, Mrs. Charles Powell, Mrs. James Wallace, Mrs. William Doherty, Mrs. John Baldwin, Mrs. A. J. LeBlanc, Miss Kate Harquail, Miss Mary Lawlor (Newcastle), Miss Emma Harquail Miss Mollie Doherty.

Mrs. W. A. Mott spent a couple of days in Campbellton this week the guest of Mr. and Mrs. S. Lingley.

Miss Greta Hayes, of Nash's Creek, spent the week-end in town, the guest of the Misses Sheehan.

Little Miss Marion Jamieson entertained a number of her little friends at a most enjoyable birthday party on Monday evening. Among those present were, Miss Elizabeth Mott, M[illegible] McNeil, Miss Elma Cook, M[illegible] Campbell, Miss Elsie McNeil, M[illegible] ery Connacher, Miss Dorothy [illegible] Miss Agnes Barberie, Miss M[illegible] Neil, Miss Beulah Gallop and Mi[illegible] garet Hounston.

Mr. Mott Lingley, of Camp[illegible] spent Sunday in town, the guest [illegible] cousins, Messrs. Gordon and Va[illegible] Mott.

Miss Maud O'Keefe, of Campbe[illegible] spent a few days in town last week, guest of her sister, Mrs. William S. M[illegible] gomery.

Mrs. L. D. Jones and family left Monday for Charlo (N. S.), where th[illegible] will spend a couple of weeks, the gues[illegible] of Msr. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mr[illegible] Donald McLean.

Miss Kate Anderson, of Campbellton, is visiting her uncle and aunt here, Mr. and Mrs. George Haddow.

BORDER TOWNS

St. Stephen, Feb. 10—The members of the Thursday Evening Bridge Club enjoyed a delightful evening at the home of Miss Lelia McVey last week. The prizes were won by Miss Mildred Todd and Mr. J. J. Doone. This week the club is entertained by Miss Mildred Todd.

The Saturday Evening Club met at the home of Mrs. J. D. Lawson to enjoy their weekly game of bridge.

Mr. and Mrs. John M. Flewelling have been visiting in St. John.

Mr. Henry Maxwell, of Fredericton, was in town during the past week and was the guest of his brother, Mr. David F. Maxwell, C. E., during his stay.

Miss Lelia Murchie is in Fredericton visiting friends.

Mrs. William Berryman has returned from a visit in Boston and is most cordially welcomed home by her family and friends.

Miss Addie McVay went to St. John on Friday to visit her sister, Mrs. A. E. Smalley.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Marks Mills have returned from a visit in St. John.

Mr. W. L. Algar was in Bangor recently for a short visit.

Miss Kaye Cockburn, of St. Andrews, has been a recent visitor in town.

Rev. Dr. Goucher, accompanied by Mrs. Goucher, went to St. John on Friday to visit their son, Arthur, who is with the 26th Battalion.

Mrs. E. Vincent Sullivan is holding a reception this afternoon, the first since her marriage. Mrs. William Page, nee Miss Florence Sullivan, of Halifax, is here to assist Mrs. Sullivan to receive her guests. Mrs. Page is the guest of her father, Postmaster Sullivan.

Miss Pearl Murchie entertains the Wa-Wa Club at "high tea" at her home this evening, as is her custom on her birthday.

Miss Mildred Todd is the hostess this week to the Thursday Evening Bridge Club.

Misses Emma and Ella Veasey were hostesses to the M. L. L. Club on Monday evening.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Union street Baptist church invited the members of the choir to enjoy a turkey supper in the vestry of the church last Friday evening to show the appreciation of all the church members of the efforts that are made to provide the fine singing that is given at every service. After the supper there was some fine recitations and a splendid musical programme that occupied the evening until a late hour.

The Women's Canadian Club are to hold a social meeting on Friday evening in the Methodist vestry. Miss Kathleen Cockburn, of St. Andrews, is to give an address on Personal Experience in Slum Work.

Miss Mary Pierson, of Salisbury, who has been the guest of Mrs. Louis A. Abbot during the past month, left on Tuesday evening for Montreal, where she will visit friends.

On Tuesday afternoon Mrs. Walter Gilbert received at her apartments in the St. Croix Hotel for the first time since her marriage. She was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Miner. Mrs. J. W. Richardson poured tea and coffee and Mrs. J. W. Douglas and Miss Lelia McVay served the guests. The parlor was prettily adorned with ferns and carnations. Mrs. Gilbert wore a lovely gown of blue crepe de chine trimmed with lace and an American Beauty rose as a corsage bouquet and looked most attractive.

The Neighborhood Club met on Monday afternoon at the home of Miss Mildred Todd.

The Misses McBride most pleasantly entertained friends at their home on Tuesday evening.

Miss Jean Allen, of Dennysville (Me.), has been spending a day or two here during the past week.

Mrs. Arthur Lincoln, of Dennysville (Me.), is the guest of Mrs. Franklin M. Eaton.

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, Feb. 11—Hon. W. P. Jones, Mrs. Jones and Miss Grace Jones have been spending a few days in Fredericton this week.

Mrs. Arthur L. Barpee is in Boston and New York taking in the leading millinery openings.

Mrs. H. V. Dalling and Miss Edith Dalling are spending a short time with friends in St. John.

Mr. A. Douglas Cooke, of Montreal, and Mrs. John Wallace, jr., of the Bank of Montreal, Hartland, spent Sunday in town, the guests at Carleton Hall of Mr. and Mrs. John Wallace.

Mr. Hubert Mitchell, who has been on the local staff of the Bank of Montreal, was transferred this week to Moncton and left for that city on Monday. Mr. Mitchell has been a great favorite in society circles in the town and will be much missed.

Mr. J. Rankin Brown is suffering from an attack of typhoid.

A sleighing party of young people drove to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Dibblee, Northampton, on Monday evening and spent the evening very pleasantly with dancing, games and music. The party was chaperoned by the Misses Kathleen Lynott and Helen Hand. In the party were Miss Jean Tilley, Hazel Atherton, Lillian Jones, Mary Dickinson, Ruth McGibbon, Mary Balmain, Gretchen Smith, Evelyn Sharkey, Bertha Moore, Irma Jones, Helen Lynott, Bertha Sprague and Messrs. James Lynott, Ray Plummer, Kenneth Scott, Cecil Stewart, Hugh Flemming, Ralph Sprague, George Aiton, Bernard Lockwood, Charles Judge, Neville Tompkins, Ewart Quinn, Fraser Ellis, Gibson Flemming and Nash Smith.

A party from town attended a party at the residence of Mr. Robert Bull, Houlton Road, Tuesday evening, all going in a big sled. Those invited were the Misses Stockford, Miss Zoey Woodman, Miss White (Presque Isle), Miss Laura McLean, the Misses Vanwart (Upper Woodstock), Miss Cora Mooers, the Misses Edna and Lizzie De Long, Messrs. John Hay, Earl London, Gordon Cogger, Douglas Faulkner, Earl Woodman, Roy DeLong, Wilmot Strong, Melvin Stairs, Lewis Bell and John Strong.

Major J. J. Bull, who went to Salis[illegible] Plain with the first contingent, ar[illegible] home from Halifax on Monday [illegible] Major Bull has an office in the [illegible] here, and is acting as recruiting [illegible] Carleton, Victoria and Madawaska counties.

[illegible] Misses Edna and May Bolster, of [illegible]n, are guests of the Misses [illegible] Jessie Foster.

[illegible] ried men of the town are is[illegible] ations for a large dance in [illegible] Theatre on Monday [illegible] music will be furnished [illegible] stock orchestra.

[illegible] hum, who is a member of [illegible] Artillery, Frederic[illegible] day with his parents, Mr. [illegible] C. L. Ketchum, here.

[illegible] eighton is entertaining a [illegible] ends at auction bridge [illegible]

[illegible] and Mrs. Walter E. Stone have invitations out for a large auction party on Friday evening.

Miss Winter, of Fredericton, is a guest at Carleton Hall.

The members of Carleton Lodge, I. O. O. F., visited Rockabema Lodge, Houlton, Thursday evening. A pleasing programme was listened to and everything was done for the enjoyment of the visiting lodge. A jolly crowd of young people enjoyed a drive to Scott's camp on Tuesday evening. The usual upsets and so forth were indulged in along with the rest of the fun but the camp was reached in