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Mrs. Skinner, who has been visiting ther sister, Mrs. R. H. Weston, for a few days, returned to Upper Gagetown on Tuesday. Con Tuesday morning at Jemseg Miss Lila Heustis became the bride of Har-sold Gardiner, son of the Rev. Mr. Gar-H. diner, of Upper Gagetown. Mr. and Mrs. Gardiner left by Tuesday evening's y train for Upper Gagetown, where they will reside. Miss Williams, of Pleasant Villa, left on Tuesday evening for Fredericton. in the church cemetery. Funeral ser-vices were conducted by Rev. Mr. Mc-Kim, of St. John. Mrs. A. C. Barr and son Stanley, of Fredericton, who spent Christmas, guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Flewelling, Sus-sex, were the week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Breen. Miss Sara Palmer, of Rexton, has taken charge of the school at Moss Glen. Miss Mildred Smith has charge of the school at Walton's Lake. Duncan Floyd, of Barnesville, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Smith on Monday and Tuesday. Miss Hattie Puddington is attending the short course at Sussex. O'Neill. At the close of St. Mark's Sunday school on Sunday, Mrs. George Dunbar, on behalf of the scholars, presented Miss Annie Brown with a beautiful gold cross on Tuesday evening for Fredericton. BAYFIELD Bayfield, N. B., Jan. 6-Robert Whit-tle and Miss Clara Knight, both of Bay-field (N. B.), were married at the Manse, lost Klein December 20 For the first of the second ALMA

ary hospitals are here. Personally I am attached to No. 1 Canadian Ward C 11. In my ward we have 45 patients with all kinds of troubles' and diseases, who are being treated with the best of mediare being treated with the best of me cal skill. I may say we have an a are being treated with the best of men-cal skill. I may say we have an able staff of doctors and nurses who know their work, taking an interest in each individual patient and using all their energies mingled with great kindness to help them on the road to recovery. I may add that I am on night duty in the above mentioned ward. I am very fond of my work and patients. I have met some very interesting patients. The only one I couldn't understand was an Indian who couldn't speak English and who was continually asking for poney (water) and chow (tea.) Eventually I had to call in one of our orderlies who understood a little of their language, and he explained to meethed its out of the explained to me what it meant. Isn't it a pity we don't all speak one language? I read with interest of the energy and

eal the Hon. G. W. Fowler was giving in the raising of a new regiment. Can-ada's sons at the Dardanelles join in sending their good luck and trust that all hopes and ambitions may be realized.

In closing this epistle, I should like to mention we had a visit from Lord Kitchener, our war minister, last week. I had the pleasure of listening to him addressing the Australians. In the course of his address, he stated that he was proud of the colonials for the glorious name they had made for themselves. He also expressed his admiration for the Canadians and the glorious dead. They had done in northern France and the Australians in the Dardanelles deeds that would live in history long after they themselves were gone and would be handed down from generation to generation. His speech was brief and to the point, Peace Talk Absurd.

In a letter dated Dec. 19, in France, Signaller E. A. Belding, of the 6th C. M. R., told of the massing of German<sup>4</sup> men and guns on the western front, and of

a German gas attack, and heavy artillery firing by the British. The brunt of this was borne by the imperials and attack not the Canadians. He wrote further: "There is to be a concert on Christmas day and I have been asked to sing. The brigade is also getting up a choir or chorus. This afternoon Holman, Rogers (of Amherst), and myself are contemplating a nike up some mountain to watch the proceedings with our tele-scopes. The aid today is full of aero-planes making artillery observations, and as it is a clear, cold day, we will be able to see quite a distance. Holman and Gray were out on a hike yesterday after-noon and had a very interesting time. We are waiting now for dinner. Lately I have been pining for a piece of cake or something home-made. I hope those hoxes will soon come. I had a piece of cake from Ricketts' and his mother can certainly cook.

"All this talk of peace is worse than nonsense. Do people think we want to go home without beating Fritz to a frazzle? We don't want to go home till he is soundly trounced."

Some spiders in Java make webs so strong that it requires a knife to sever

on the 4th inst., Mary, widow of Rod-erick McIntyre. MURPHY—At the Mater Misercorda Home on the 7th inst., Patrick Murphy, formerly of Carleton. FITZPATRICK—At the Mater Mis-ercordiae Home on the 9th inst., James Fitzpatrick. CAMPBELL—In this city, on the 9th inst., Mrs. Peter Campbell, in the 52nd year of her age, leaving three brothers to mourn. Boston, Jan 5-Ard, schr Princess of Boston, Jan 5-Ard, schr Princess of Avon, Church Point. Cld Jan 5, schrs Cora May, St John; Quetay, Belliveau Cove. Rockland, Jan 5-Ard, schrs Mary A Hall, Philadelphia for Camden; Elma, St John, for New York; A J Sterling, Boston, for Nova Scotla; William Bis-bee Lynn

CADWELL—At the residence of ner Portland, Jan 5-Ard, schrs Flora M. son-in-law. William Gillin, of Harrison street, on the 7th inst. Elizabeth, widow of John Cadwell, leaving one son and two daughters to mourn.

Portland, Jan 5-Ard, schrs Flora M., Broeks, Pairsboro (NS), fot New York; Eskimo, Piker Nova Scotia, for New York; Wm D Hilton, Halvorson, New York; for Rockland; Mayflower, Mars-ton, New York, for St John; Lizzie D Small, Latty, Bangor, for New York, Irene: E. Meservey, Bangor, for New York. PALMER PREDICTS ork. Boston, Jan 5-Ard, str Memphian, WAR OVER IN YEAR

London, Ont, Jan. 7-Frederick Palm, er, the famous American war corre-spondent, who recently returned from the British front in France and Fland-ers, in addressing the London Canadian Club at noon today, predicted that in Club at noon today, predicted that in the Allies the victors. Mr. Palmer declared that a year sign the Germans were winning, although the British did not realize it, but the ad-vantage was now entirely with the Allies. Transfers ot real estate have been recorded as follows:--St, John County. Canadian Consolidated Lands, Limit-

mer, Sydney. F. J. Morrison, iron worker, Sydney F. W. Logan, I. R. C. engineering staf

G. W. G. Chapman, I. R. C., engin

aff, Truro. W. Archibald, student, Truro. M. A. Ferguson, teamster,

art Nicholson, pur Fred. L. Gould, railway

Collie Grant, student, New Glasg R. B. Campbell, bank clerk, Invern Kenneth Ferguson, salesman, Reac Michael McLean, miner, Caledo

Mines. Alex. McKenzie, miner,

rford. Neil McDongall, coal miner,

Boston, Jan 5-Ard, str Memphian, Manchester and Liverpool. Cld Jan 5, schrs Cora May, St John; Quetay, Belleveau Cove (NS). Oran, Jan 6-Sld, str Eretria, Star-ratt, Hampton Roads, for orders. Fred, W. Jardine, overman, Sydney

Eastport, Jan 6-Ard, schr Wm Cobb, Sydney Mines. John M. Ferguson, farmer, Caribou

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tiends. Miss Mary Dohaney returned to Bos-on on Monday after a pleasant visit ere with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John behaver.

Annie Brown with a beautiful goin cross and chain, in appreciation of her work in the church and Sunday school. Manager E. G. Murphy, of the Puh & Paper Company, is in town. Octav Phide, of the pulp company, has refurn ed from New York. here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dohaney. Rev. E. A. Kinley, Bathurst, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Branscombe for the holidays and who was taken quite seriously ill while here, is fully recovered and was able to re-turn to Bathurst this week. Mrs. James Fraser went to St. John this week, where she expects to enter the sanitarium there for treatment. Duncan Farris, Waterboro, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Farris.

Petitcodiac, Jan. 8—Friday was " Day" in the Women's Institute I Teas were served and socks recei Eighty-six pairs of socks, a few caps

Marsh. Neil F. McDonald, clerk, Glace Bay. Gurney McNeil, machinist, Glace Bay. Ernest W. McCully, vulcaniser, Port Hawkesbury. James McDonald, clerk, Sydney. Herbert Howie, 'teamster, New Wat-

ay, Wm. McPherson, chemist, Sydney. Murdock McPhee, reporter, Sydney. John McKimon, chemist, Sydney. J. J. Lovell, printer, Sydney. John McDougall, barber, North Syd

am-cla-has gone to Normal School, Frederic-ton, to work for superior class license. Miss Laura Fletcher has returned to Normal School, Fredericton. lives here. Mr. and Mrs. Perkin Dobsor

n gave Miss Leafe 1 Fredericton.
Miss Elva C. Doten, of Oak Bay, Char-lotte county, arrived yesterday and took charge of Alma superior school today.
Mrs. Annie Marven has charge of the primary department.
Miss Beatrice Maude Smye was mar-ried Jan, 1 to Clarence Carson, Rev. T.
B. Wetmore officiating. The bride was the racipient of many useful and valu-f able presents, one of the chief being \$100 in gold from her father, A. E. Smye.

Mr. and Mrs. Perkin Dobson gave a very enjoyable New Year's party to P about 100 of their friends. The evening was spent in dancing and other amuse-ments. Music was furnished by Percy Allen, Elmer Allen, and Mansel Tren-holm. Mr. and Mrs. George Spence and George Spence, jr., are visiting their r friends, Mr. and Mrs. William Ramsay, F of Bedeque (P. E. I.) Mr. and Mrs. Alexander McKay, of Cape Spear are visiting Mr. and Mrs. § Mont Allen, of this place.

Lemuel Martin has left to attend

business college in St. John. Stephen Bardon's house caught fire today from a defective flue. Timely help of the neighbors soon extinguished the flames. REXTON Rexton, N. B., Jan. 7—A social dance was held in the public hall Tuesday for Private Harry Glencross, of the 104th, at Sussex, who had been vilsting his par-ents, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Glencross, Upper Rexton. An enjoyable evening was spent. Private Glencross returned to Sussex Wednesday to resume his duction

HOTEL BURNED AT BRIDGEWATER

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Duncan Farris, Waterboro, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Farris. **NORTH HEAD** North Head, Jan. 7—Walter Thomas, of North Head, Jan. 7—Walter Thomas, of North Head, is spending a few days in St. Stephen, the guest of his brother, Brace Thomas. Mrs. Evelyn Munroe, of Lubec (Me.), who was called here last week by the sudden death of her father, Ambrose Urquhart, returned to her home on Mon-day. Harold Foster returned to St. John on Monday after a short visit to his home in Grand Harbor. Clarence Garnder, of Grand Harbor, returned to his home last Saturday after spending a few days in St. Stephen. Miss Mary Maxwell, principal of the North Head High school, who has been spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned last Saturday at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home spending the Christmas holidays at her home in Milltown, returned to his home term. Leslie Urguhart returned to his home

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