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PROGRESS OF THE WAR
[May 11 to May 17]
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But the old Shire Town is worthy of a larger permanent population; and it is the hope of all the townspersons that the coming of the summer will bring in a large number of desirable people who will become permanent residents, summer and winter.

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St. George, per Geo. A. Craig, \$75.00
Beaver Harbor, per C. E. Wright, Treas., April payment, 23.70
Lettie, per W. E. Martin, Treas., April payment, 22.10

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Messrs. McCarroll, Walker and Gilmore, of St. Stephen, were guests last week of H. Love at Lake Utopia.

Prayer by D. L. Martin.
Usher, Mrs. Merrill Stuart, Mrs. A. A. Stuart, Mrs. C. A. Lambert and Mrs. Frank Richardson.

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Social and
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