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## CHURCH NOTICES.

(We should be glad to get notices from the other city churches of all denominations, if they can be sent in before Thursday noon of each week.—Eds.)

## Services for Sunday (Dec. 28th.)

ST. GEORGES CHURCH, Full Communion at 8 o'clock; morning prayer and sermon, 11 o'clock; preacher, Rev. W. B. Belliss; evensong and sermon at 7 o'clock; preacher, Rev. Dr. Partridge.

ST. ANDREW'S (PRESBYTERIAN), Rev. D. M. Gordon, Usual Services at 11 A. M. and 7 P. M. Bible Class (conducted by Principal Mackay, A. M.) and Sabbath School, at 3 P. M.

GARRISON CHAPEL, 8 A. M., Early Communion. 11 A. M., Parade Service, (Rev. Norman Lee). 7 P. M., Evening Service, (The Very Rev. the Dean).

ST. LUKE'S CATHEDRAL, 8 A. M., Early Communion. 11 A. M., Morning Service and Communion, (Rev. W. B. King). 7 P. M., Evensong, (The Co-adjutor Bishop of Fredericton.)

ST. PAUL'S, (CHURCH OF ENGLAND), (Rev. Dyson Hague), Usual Services at 11 A. M., and 7 P. M.

## ARRIVALS.

Mr. T. H. Kelsick, from Antigua, Queen Hotel.

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Need a bobby think a body  
Isn't sober quite?Gin a bobby scent a body  
Redolent of gin,  
Need a bobby seize a body,  
Run a body in?Gin a bobby hear a body  
Murmuring in Greek,  
Need a bobby have a body  
Brought before the beak?Gin a bobby find a body  
Lying in the lane,  
Need a bobby ease a body  
Of his watch and chain?Gin a bobby start a body  
On his homeward way,  
Let a body tip a bobby  
Thankfully next day!