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Nov 14—Post Master Hilyard, was the host of the very pleasant Stag-party of Monday evening, when he entertained about a score of friends at his residence, at whist. At the finish of the game a very sumptions supper was served by Mrr Hilyard when a round of toast, and songs brought to a close what was considered by the gentlemen present the most enjoyable function given for a long time.

time.

Mrs Forrester of Toronto is here and is the guest of her sister Mrs Hilyard, and will probably remain until she sails next month for England to meet her busband returning from South Africa.

Lady Tilly is here and is visiting Prof. and Mrs

Mrs D Lee Babbitt has issued cards of invitation for a five o'clock tea for tomorrew.

Despite the heavy down pour of rain a large number of friends braved the storm and enjoyed the at home given by Mrs John Palmer on Friday afternoon, Mrs Palmer and Miss Falser received their friends in the drawing room and were assisted in their pleasant duties by Mrs C W Palmer. In the tea room, which was prettily decorated Mrs H Hagerman and Miss Bavage poured tea and coffee and had the assistance of Miss Carrie Tibbits Miss Fradie Babbitt and Miss Margaret Johnston in attending upon their guests.

Mrs O'Key is here from Nova Scotia and is visiting her parents Mr and Mrs Malcolm Ross.

Mrs Stephen Dixon gave a pleasant five o'clock tea on Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N P Shaw and Miss Louise Lugrin of Victoria, B. C., are here on a visit to their aunt, Mrs. W P Flewelling. Mrs. Shaw it will be remembered was Miss Gertrade Lugrin.

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Mr. and Mrs. O S Crocket left yesterday on a pleasure trip to Boston and New York.

The Misses Tabor gave a very enjoyable teaparty on Tuesday evening to about a dozen young lady friends in honor of Mrs. Alex. MacRae, who is visiting her father Judge Gregory.

Mrs. Rainsford Wetmore gave a very delightful Euchre party on Friday evening when Mrs. Bailey and Mrs. Ketchum carried off the honers in taking the prizes.

the prizes.

Miss May Robinson gave a five o'clock tea on
Thursday in bonor of Mrs MacRae.

Mrs Fraser is here from Chatham and is visiting

her mother Mrs Brydon Jack.

The friends of Mr E E Allen will tender him a bat quet on Friday night as a farewell on the eve of his departure for his future home at Monc-

Mr. Hantford McKee left on Monday for Boston

Mrs Burns has issued invitations for a factor party for Friday afternoon.

Miss Hilda Gregory, the little daughter of Mr and Mir A J Gregory, made a charning hostess at a birthday party given at Acacia Grove yesterday afternoon when she entertained upwards of a dozen of her young friends from three to six o'clock in honor of her fifth bithday

Mrs Thompson had a five b'clock tea at the residence of her mother, Mrs Powys on Saturday aftername.

Mrs. Loggie & mrs. Los Bandu arts, mr and mrs

G N Babbitt taking the coreclation.

Mrs A J Legg's of Chatham with her sons Colin
and King, are here, visiting her parents, Mr and Mrs
Nelson Campbell, Mr and Mrs Thos Dyer of St.

John are visiting Ald and Mrs Maxwell.

Mr Willard kitchen left on Friday for Prince

Edward Island. Mr Daniel Jordan Q O of Sackville is among the

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Mr and Mrs F C Lee have sold their handsome residence in Calais to Mr Adam Gillespie. Mrs draw Clinch of St George is the gue:t of Mrs

Wm Cleland, Calais, Me.
Collector Graham is visiting Mr and Mrs Harry
Pethick in Ontario, Mrs Graham had preceded her
h usband.

Mr James McKensie and family have rem mr James scalenate and family have removed to Milltown and their house on Union street will soon be occupied by B w Whitlock and sisters.

The many friends of Mrs John Prescott of Calsis will be pleased to bear she has arrived home from Washbuston much improved in health.

Vashington much improved in health.

Messrs J W Scovil and C E McIninch returns

Saturday from a successful bunting trip.

Thomas Fairhead, jr., returned last week from British Columbia, where he has been for the past

ree years. Mrs CB Eaton is quite ill at her sisters, Mr Mrs CB Eaton is quite ill at her sisters, Mr.
Parrington, North Street Calais.
Mr and Mrs George Downes will spend the winter at the home of Mr and Mrs F L. Ham.
Mrs C M Gove of St. Andrews has been visiting
at the home of Mr and Mrs C H Grimmer.
Mrs Guy Clinch of St. George is visiting Mr.
Cleland, Calais.

Cleiand, Caists.

Mrs G R Raymond of St-Andrews has been visiting Mrs Hasson Grimmer.

Mr and Mrs Wm Hall of Montreal are spending s

short time in town.

Mrs McGregor and Mrs Purvis of St John arrived here on Saturday to visit friends in Calais for

nest of Mrs Henry Todd.
Mrs Gilbert Chaffee of Indian Island has b sending a few days in town.

Mrs W D McLaughlin and her young son, Clar

TO QUEB A COLD IN ONE DAY

Black.

Mrs C W King has returned from Cambort, Mass., where she has been visitis daughter, Mrs Geo Clibbs.

Mr and Mrs F Eaton extertained the St whist club on Thursday of last week.

illnes.

Mrs Arthur Ridgewell arrived here on Tuesday from Plaster Rock, Victoria county, to spend several weeks with relatives.

The Harmony club enjoyed, a delightful evening at Mrs H B McAllister's on Monday. The next meeting will be with Mrs Hasen Grimmer and will be devoted to the composer Nevin.

Miss Cora Maxwell is residing with Mrs Walker Moore for the winter.

home in Portland, Me.

Mrs Wm Woods has returned from an extended
vasit with Rev Harry Woods at Caribou, Me.
Miss Oile Stickney and Miss Molly Acheson of
Calais leave shortly for a visit to New York.

Mrs G F Cox and Mrs C B Kingston have return-

Mrs G F Cox and Mrs C B Kingston have returned from a visit in Portland.

Mrs Walter Dixon gave an old ladies tea party recently in honor of her mother, Mrs Cochran Some of the oldest ladies on both sides of the river were invited. Among the guests were Mrs Roberts, Mrs Murchie (mother of mavor Murchie of St Strophon), Mrs Fr.ser, Mrs Kastman, Mrs Malone, Mrs Nichols, Mrs Stevenson, Mrs Lipstit, Mrs Clenden ning, Mrs Msrsball, Mrs Sahlin and Miss Sahlin.

Mr and Mrs Frank Beckett returned this week from a pleasant visit in Boston and other cities.

Miss Black of New York is the guest of Mr and Mrs John Black.

Mrs John Black.
Mrs A D Taylor left on Monday for New York
taking her young son, Newton to receive special
medical treatment.

Mrs Ward of Skowhegan, Maine, is the guest

she intends to visit several weeks.

Mrs J M Murchle is home from a delightful visit
with Mrs Frack Tucker in New Bedford Mass.

Mr. C mpbell of H mptcn is a guest at Christ

church Rectory.

Miss Martha Young has returned from a visit in

Boston
Mrs G H Raymord has returned to St Andrews.
Miss Margory Stewart, has returned to her home
in Charlott town, P E I.
Mr. and Mrs. Fred McCullough will reside this
winter with Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Batler on Ger-

winter with Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Dates to domain street, Calais.

Mr. and Mrs. O B Heath are residing in the Dr.

W T Black tenement on Main street, where they
intend to open a select boarding house.

Miss Louie Taylor's friends will be pleased to

hiss Louis Taylor's friends will be pleased to hear that she has been particularly fortunate this year with her musical engagements and is now taking violin lessons from a noted German teacher in New Yoak city to perfect herself still more.

A pleasing event in which many St. Stephen people will be interested is the announcement of the marriage of Bertram L Moore and Miss Annie A Douglas, which is te occur on November 21st, James G. Sievens, jr., was in St. John on Tursday.

day.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Hewes at the Cove has been gladdened by the arrival of a daugh-

ter.

A A Laffin has gone to Sydney, C. B., on a busi ness trip.

The 'Ys' give a novel entertainment in Elder
Memorial hall this evening, which they hope will
be well patronized, as they wish a large sum of
money for special Christmas work.

Nov. 13.—A very pretty wedding took place at the baptist parsonage last week when Miss Jessie Goodee was united in marriage to Mr. Hatt by Rev A H Lavers. The bride was unsiteded and wore a coatume of grey with hat to match and carried a handsome bouquet of plak flowers, Immediately after the ceremony the happy pair were driven to their new home at L'Eang.

Mr. Bert Gillmor and Mr. Louis Baldwin who are attending business college in St. John, returned to the city on Monday having been in town since election.

Rev. Mr. Lavers who was called to Bo

nev. mr. Lavers who was called to Boston on account of the illness of his brother last week, is expected home the last of this week.

Rev. Mr. Manning of St. John, preached two very able sermons from the baptist pulpit on Sundantes.

Nov 15—Miss Raddick of Novahe wister with Mrs F I Blair.
A meeting of the Red Cross society was held on
Saturday last at the residence of Mrs J D Chipman
Aubrey Dewar of Milltown, has been engaged as
Aubrey Dewar of Milltown, bas been engaged as
musical director for the Calais Methodist Church
musical director for the Calais Methodist Church
was a concert to be
given at the Second Falls tomorrow (Thursday)
evening.

ST. AND RBWS.

Nov. 15—Mr Edwin Saunders came h re from "the States" last week to visit his relatives. Mr Geo F Hibbert's family have moved into their haldsome brick residence, corner King and Queen

streets.

Mrs John Spence of New York, has been visiting the home of her youth in Chamcook, after an absence of twenty years. Mrs Spence is a daughter of the late John Townsend of Chamcook.

Mrs D 6 Smith of Chatham, paid her friend, Miss Whitlock, a visit last week. From here she return ed to 88 Stephen.

G B Clinch, of the Robinson Opera Company, is visiting his family in 8t Andrews.

Mas J W Simpson is visiting friends in New Jersey.

SUSSEX. Very Rev. Dr. Quinan, of Arichat, has gone to Montreal for rest and treatment.

Frank D Soloane, the manager of the Commercia Bank here spent a few days in town last week.

R Lorway of Halifax is visiting Mr C J Surchell

Miss Kate Dodd of Bridgeport, it visiting friend in Sydney.

Mrs Kelly, wife of Mr Kelly of the firm of Kelly
& Dodge, photographers, has arrived in Sydney and
will in future reside here.

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My lady in the gilded shop Lets all the tawdry trinkets drop, And through the magic sees A deoryard sweet with mint and phlox, And pink with roffed hollyhocks, That nod to belied bees.

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