of Miss Mabel Sterling, who came from Baltimore for the holiday n.

. W. B. Dayton, of St. Marys, has ned from a visit with his daughter, Hamilton, wife of Dr. Mamilton, at onald College.

s. Baker, of Halifax, is visiting Mrs. ge Taylor.

ss Helen Richardson returns to her es at Edgehill next week.

s. W. H. Steeves entertained the es' Club on Tuesday evening when Ross Thompson was the prize win-

s. Hilyard is this afternoon enter- ng a party of ladies at the motion re theatre and afterwards at 5 ck tea.

s. Bull has returned from a pleasant with friends in Woodstock and d Falls.

. and Mrs. Harry G. Chestnut were haperones at the New Year's dance drive to Oromocto, when a party of g people enjoyed a pleasant even-

. and Mrs. George Harrison are this ing entertaining the Mixed Club.

rs. Mansel Shewan is leaving in a days for Montreal to spend a month ng her old home.

iss Nora Thompson, was, on Tues- evening hostess at a delightful dance- party, when about fifteen couples of younger set enjoyed an exceptionally ant evening.

. Purvis Loggie has returned to his ies at McGill after spending the holi- season here with his parents, Col. Mrs. Loggie.

rs. Lawson was hostess on Tuesday noon at a tea, when Mrs. Walter rison and Mrs. Harry Harrison, of John, were the guests of honor.

he Monday Club met this week with Sterling, when Miss Valvire Steves the prize winner.

r. Royden Barbour has returned to studies at Toronto, after spending holidays home.

r. Hubert Osborne has returned to onto to resume his studies.

edericton, Jan. 7—The board of ed- ion held a more than usually long ion yesterday. All the members present except the lieutenant-gov- r. Several recommendations by the f superintendent, relating to changes the law and regulations, were ap- ved and will be dealt with by the rney general.

he case of "breach of faith" on the of a teacher was complained of a school board. The committee ap- ted to deal with the matter rec- mended the suspension of the teach- license for one month. The report approved.

ervice in the Normal School, as well hat of inspectors and local superin- dents, is to be recognized as qualify- for teachers' pensions.

on. John Morrissy, minister of public ks, this morning awarded contracts two bridges in Queens county. The tractor rebuilding the Enniskillen ion bridge was awarded to W. R. vcett, of Temperance Vale, while the rit bridge will be rebuilt by Robert bes, of Gibson. The contract price each case is in the vicinity of $3,000. nother meeting of the government be held next week in Fredericton, ning on Monday evening.

WOODSTOCK

Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 7—Mrs. Alex. arpe will receive her friends at her me on Broadway on Tuesday and dnesday afternoons, Jan. 12 and 13.

Ray Fewer left on Thursday for Chat- m, where he is attending St. Thomas lege.

Miss Ruth McGibbon was the hostess a small and informal party on Wed- day evening, in honor of Mr. Ray wer.

ap McGibbon, who has been spend- his holidays with his parents here, returned to Fredericton to resume studies at the U. N. B.

Mrs. Pauline Winslow, of Ottawa, nt New Year's in town, a guest of brother, Mr. J. N. W. Winslow.

Miss Dorothy Carr, who has been nding the winter with her grand- her, Mr. James Carr, left on Monday Acadia College.

Miss Betty Doane, of Essex (Conn.), the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles nes, Main street.

Miss Edith Nevers, of Houlton (Me.), nt the week-end in town, the guest her friend, Miss Alice Sprague.

Miss Marie Pirrie, of Grand Falls, s the guest this week of Miss Faye mber.

Miss Milicent Carter, of Andover, has n visiting Miss Marguerite McLauch-

Dr. A. M. Fisher, of the Royal Vic- ria Hospital, Montreal, who has been ending the holidays here, returned to ontreal on Tuesday.

Mrs. Shaw Allen and Mrs. B. Cun- ngham, of Reno, Nevada, are visiting ends in town.

Miss Mildred Riordan, of Fredericton, s been the guest for the past two eeks of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. niel Riordan.

Dr. D. L. Shaw, of the Royal Victoria ospital, Montreal, is visiting friends in wn.

Mrs. McColl, of North Vancouver (B.), has been the recent guest of her ter, Mrs. S. McKibbin.

Mrs. Frank Baird, who has been quite with pneumonia, is to the delight of r friends, improving.

Mr. Frank Wolverton, who spent the ristmas holidays with his parents, Mr. d Mrs. James Wolverton, returned to fts College, Boston, on Monday.

Miss Margaret Dibblee left last week visit her sister, Mrs. Hugh Bruce, in John.

The Woodstock Choral Society are aking preparations to give the second their series of concerts for the benefit the Belgians on Sunday evening, in e Methodist church.

Mr. Roy M. Watt, who spent New ear's in town, the guest of his parents, r. and Mrs. John H. Watt, left on onday evening for Ottawa.

Miss Helen McKibbin spent a few ys in Milltown recently, the guest of r. and Mrs. Fred. Smith.

Mr. Edward F. Berry, civil engineer, Portland (Me.), spent the Christmas lidays with his mother, Mrs. London Upper Woodstock.

The extravaganza which was put on the Hayden Gibson Theatre on New ear's night, under the direction of Miss illian Jones and Mr. Charles P. Ger- sh, was a decided success. There were orty young girls in the performance, nd they were received with hearty ap- lause from all over the hall, which was rowded. The orchestra furnished ex- ellent music, which added greatly to he enjoyment of the entertainment. erhaps the prettiest of the scenes was he rose wedding, in which Miss Mc- inney made a charming bride. Miss ertha Sprague sang with much effect The Rose That Made Me Happy, and Miss Lillian Burden also pleased the udience with a solo, I Want to Go Back o Michigan. Miss Ruth McGibbon was imply "great" in her Spanish dance. Miss McKinney and Mr. Lockwood, in heir specialty act introducing What a Wonderful Love That Would Be, was ood, as well as the specialty in which Norman Loane took the leading part, and, as usual, received great applause. The scene, Fairyland, was repeated, and this scene was beautiful. The maidens, bearing lighted candles, beautifully grouped, the pretty colored lights and the graceful dancing of Misses Lillian Jones in the fairy dance, was certainly a lovely sight. Miss Lillian Burden sang In the Candle Light, and Miss McKinney and Miss Irma Jones sang When It's Night Time in Burgandy, very sweetly, and the chorus, In Drowsyland, was also good. Miss Dorothy Carr, in her make up as Miss Sally Smith, took the house by storm. The young ladies taking the principal parts were Misses Ruth McGibbon, Helen Lynott, Bertha Mooers, Jean Tilley, Lillian Burden, Hazel Atherton, Gretchen Smith, Bertha Sprague, Estella McKinney, Irma Jones, Elizabeth Ketchum, Ruth Dibblee, Mary McLean, Mary Balmain, Thelma Stairs, Dorothy Carr, Mary Dickinson, Marguerite McLaughlan, Mildred Smith, Edith Holmes, Edith Smith, Gladys Hidden, Georgie Plummer, Mary Fewer, Ruth McManus, Dorothy Dickinson, Gretchen McGibbon, Rowena Ketchum, Dorothy Jones, Audrey Jones, and Marjorie Thorne.

Allison Glenn, of Grand Falls, was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Alexander Sharpe, this week, on his way to Bridgetown (N. S.), where he is to join the staff of the Bank of Montreal.

Miss Alice McPhail entertained a number of her young friends at a dance on Monday evening, at which Miss Milicent Carter, of Andover, was the guest of honor.

Mrs. Wesley Vanwart, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. George Balmain, returned to her home in Fredericton on Monday.

Woodstock, N. B., Jan. 10—A fatal accident occurred Saturday afternoon by which a child named Charles Mullin was almost instantly killed by being knocked down and trampled upon by a runaway horse.

The little tot, with his two others, was playing on the sidewalk in front of his home when the horse came dashing wildly around a corner dragging an overturned sleigh. Horrified spectators yelled to the children, and two of them just escaped but the youngest was knocked down and dragged some distance. His head was terribly bruised besides other injuries, and he died while being carried to his home.

The horse was being driven by two ladies who were thrown out some distance from the scene of the accident, which happened on Frankville avenue. The horse was later found near the railway tracks with its leg broken and was shot.

A special passenger train left Woodstock about 10 a. m. this mornig for Perth with C. P. R. employes to attend the funeral of Conductor Thomas Craig, who was injured at Benton on Thursday last, and died later, in the Woodstock hospital.

HAMPTON

Hampton, N. B., Jan. 7—The Hampton Red Cross Society after a short holiday has resumed its meetings which are held alternately at the Village and Station on Tuesday afternoons. The first meeting in the new year was held at the home of Mrs. R. G. Flewwelling at the Village on Tuesday, the 5th, with a good attendance. The next will be held at the residence of Mrs. William Langstroth, Wayside Inn, Hampton Station.

Miss Bessie Sprague, of Medicine Hat, is visiting her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. T. Wm. Barnes.

Mr. Joseph C. MacInnis, who has undergone several surgical operations in the General Public Hospital, St. John, is reported to be now suffering from appendicitis and is in a precarious condition.

Several aged residents are confined to their beds by various forms of illness and some are reported to be apparently near their end. Among them are Mrs. Harriet Cassidy, for two generations the esteemed housekeeper of Mr. T. Wm. Barnes and his parents before him. The old lady has had an attack of pneumonia with heart complications, yet she maintains her cheerful disposition, taking an interest in what is going on in the community and especially so in the doings of the young people and children at this Christmas and New Year season. She is eighty-seven years old but retains all her faculties, but it is not thought possible that she can recover from her present illness.

Mr. William Lawton, well known in St. John as well as at Hampton, is lying in a very critical state at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. T. C. Donald, with little hope of recovery. He spent some time recently in the hospital but with little improvement.

Mr. Andrew Ruddick, who resides on Tourist avenue, Hampton Village, has been removed to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Geo. H. Barnes, post office building, Hampton Station, and is in a feeble condition.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Scovil and Miss Helen Scovil, St. John, spent New Year's day with Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Scovil at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Wilson.

Mr. W. J. Brown, Rockland Road, St. John, spent New Year's day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown, Station Road.

Mrs. Douglas Hooper, Grand Falls, is spending the Christmas and New Year season with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Fowler. Mr. Douglas Hooper came down and stayed over the week-end, returning home on Monday.

Masters Jack and Donald Humphrey, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Humphrey, St. John, spent the New Year with their aunt, Mrs. F. M. Humphrey.

Misses Ronald and Harry Evans spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Evans, the former coming from Moncton, the latter from Macdonald College.

Mr. Clarence Conway came home from St. Dunstan's College, Charlottetown (P. E. I.), to spend the holidays.

Miss Annie Cochrane is spending a few weeks with friends in Boston and vicinity.

The Hampton curlers got to work on their club contests directly after the New Year opened, but the mild weather of the past two days has spoiled the rinks until the temperature again gets down near zero.

CAMPBELLTON

Campbellton, N. B., Jan. 6—Miss Violet Knapp, who has been spending her vacation at her home in Sackville, has returned to town.

Major A. E. G. McKenzie and Mrs. McKenzie were in town last week, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Malcolm.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Bray have returned from Ottawa, where they were visiting their son, Mr. R. P. Bray.

Miss Duffy has returned from a visit with relatives in Fredericton.

Master Whitney Stevens has returned from a visit with relatives in Bathurst.

Miss Marion Winton, who has been spending the Christmas vacation at her home in Jacquet River, has returned to town.

Mrs. J. J. Sinclair, of Moncton, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Parker, has returned home.

Miss Nellie Montgomery left last week for Woodstock to spend the winter with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Swift and family have returned from Moncton, where they spent the holidays with Mrs. Swift's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nixon, John street.

Miss E. Condon, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Condon for the past two weeks, has returned to her home in Moncton.

Messrs. Robert and Arthur Coleman, of Dalhousie, spent last week in town, guests of Mrs. Harry Wilson.

Mrs. Robert Fair, of Pt. La Garde, is the guest of Campbellton friends this week.

Miss Margaret Fair, of Medicine Hat, who is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Fair, Pt. La Garde, is in town this week and is receiving a very warm welcome from her many friends.

Miss Jean Burgess is visiting relatives in Apohaqui.

Miss Hayes, of St. Leonards, is in town, the guest of Mrs. S. Mann.

Mr. Daniel Dewar, who has been spending his vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Dewar, has returned to Little Sydney.

Masters Edgar and Alonzo McIntyre are spending the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McIntyre.

Last week Miss Hazel Mowat entertained a number of her friends at a delightful skating party. The guests included Miss Mary Graham, Miss Isa Cameron, Miss Tessie Lingley, Miss Estelle McKenzie and Miss Lilian Mowat; Messrs. Robert Shives, Austin McDonald, Edgar Graham (Vancouver), A. F. Fraser, M. Mowat, A. K. Shives, Hugh Carr, A. Mowat.

Mr. Chester Dean, of St. John, spent New Year's with friends here.

Miss Doris Metzler, of Moncton, was in town this week, the guest of Miss Greta Metzler.

Dr. and Mrs. Martin have returned from a trip to Rimouski.

The Rev. Mr. Mitchell, of Sussex, occupied the pulpit of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church last Sunday.

Miss Agnes Crockett, of Moncton, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. O. Crockett last week.

A very pretty wedding took place at St. James' Presbyterian church, Oxford (N. S.), on Monday, December 28, when Miss Mary O. Peel became the bride of Mr. John G. McColl, editor of the Campbellton Graphic. After a short honeymoon in Nova Scotia Mr. and Mrs. McColl will reside in Campbellton.

Miss May McIntyre, of Newport (R. I.), has arrived home to spend the winter.

On Tuesday evening of last week Mrs. Frederick O. Condon entertained at a delightful bridge party in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Condon, of Moncton. The rooms were prettily arranged for the occasion. Bridge was played at six tables. The prizes were won by Mrs. Harry H. Wilson and Miss Jean McLatchey. Among the guests were Mrs. Charles Alexander, Mrs. A. Martin, Mrs. H. F. McLatchey, Mrs. Harry H. Wilson, Mrs. S. J. Trites, Mrs. F.W. Napier, Mrs. R. K. Shives, Mrs. James W. Morton, Mrs. S. H. Lingley, Mrs. H. H. Lunam, Mrs. L. G. Pinault, rMs. A. Gorman, Mrs. F. E. Blackall, Mrs. Thos. Malcolm, Miss Jean McLatchey, Miss Hazel Lingley and Miss Elizabeth Morton. Mrs. Condon was assisted in serving by Miss McLatchey, Miss Lingley and Miss Morton.

Mrs. H. G. Millican has returned from Nappan (N. S.), where she was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Coates.

Mr. Louis Corbett, of Petit Rocher, was in town last week, the guest of his son, Mr. Kenneth Corbett, I. C. R. freight agent.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. White are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl at their home last week.

Misses Kathleen and Annie Benn, of Douglastown, who have been spending their vacation in town, guests of Mrs. William Gorston, have returned home.

Mrs. Norman McKay and children, who have been visiting friends in New Mills, have returned home.

Mrs. Charles Smith has returned from a visit with relatives in Moncton.

Master Frank Harquail has returned from Dalhousie, where he was visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. James Harquail.

Miss Mollie E. Wall, of St. Stephen, is spending her vacation in town, the guest of her father, Mr. Jas. Wall.

Mrs. T. M. Moore, of Chandler, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jasper Davison, has returned home.

Miss Emily Green has returned from a visit to her home in Miquasha (Que.)

Miss Pauline Tippett, of St. John, is the guest of Campbellton friends.

Dr. J. A. Roy spent part of last week with friends in Sydney.

Miss Daisy Ferguson, of Jacksonville (Fla.), is in town and will spend the winter with her mother, Mrs. Stephen Ferguson.

Miss Nan Synott has returned from a visit to her home in Chatham.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Betts and children have returned from a visit with friends in Newcastle.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Stewart are rejoicing in the arrival of a baby girl at their home last week.

The many friends of Mrs. D. C. Firth will regret to learn of her illness at her home here.

On Tuesday evening of last week Mrs. Robert Keith entertained a number of young people at her home in honor of Mr. Bertram Burgess, who has left Campbellton to reside in Fredericton. During the evening he was presented with a set of military brushes. Among the guests present were Miss Doris Mowat, Miss Enid McKenzie, Miss Freda Davison, Miss Josephine Dickie, Miss Hattie McDonald, Miss Ethel Lingley, Messrs. Ingram McKenzie, Gilford Bruce, Edmund Gallagher, Richie Henderson, Murray Fairley, Glenford Mowat and Lindsay Mowat.

Miss Eileen LeBlanc, of Dalhousie Convent, is spending her vacation at her home here.

Miss Neita McDonald, who has been spending her vacation at her home here, left this morning for Acadia, Wolfville.

Miss Dorothy Wheeler, who has been spending her vacation with her parents at Dawsonville, has returned to town.

The many friends of Mr. John Mair will regret to learn that his condition is considered serious.

Mr. John Dewar, of the Royal Bank of Canada, Rexton, spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Dewar.

On Wednesday evening of last week Miss Ethel Lingley entertained a number of her young friends at a very enjoyable skating party in honor of Mr. Bert Burgess. During the evening Mr. Burgess was presented with a traveling bag. Among the young people present were Misses Hattie McDonald, Enid McKenzie, Doris Mowat, Freda Davison, Josephine Dickie, Messrs. Glenford Mowat, Tristrim White, Edmund Gallagher, Ingram McKenzie, Richie McKenzie, Gilford Bruce and Lindsay Sullivan.

Miss Julia McFadden has returned from a visit in Moncton.

Mrs. Bedford Harper, of Sackville, is in town visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. H. Lunam, and her sister, Mrs. D. C. Firth.

Mrs. Thos. Wran and little daughter, Edith, are visiting relatives in St. John.

Miss Gladys Gillis, who has been visiting her parents in Chatham, has returned to Campbellton.

Mrs. Roy Campbell, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Swetman, Moncton, has returned home.

Mr. Clifford Shirley, of Moncton, spent New Year's in town with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Shirley.

Mr. Edgar Graham, of the Royal Bank of Canada, Vancouver, who has been visiting his father, Mr. D. F. Graham, returned to Vancouver last Saturday evening.

Miss Frances Fish, who has been spending the holidays at her home in Newcastle, has returned to town.

Mr. Jas. McLean, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLean, has returned to Mount Allison to resume his studies.

Mr. Jas. Joudry, who has been spending the vacation at his home here, has returned to Mount Allison.

BATHURST

Bathurst, N. B., Jan. 7—Miss Ruth Tingley, who was a guest during the holidays of Mrs. F. A. Wightman at the Methodist parsonage, has returned to her home in Dorchester.

Mr. Charles Payne and little son, of Halifax, spent New Year's day here, guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ellis.

Mr. Carman Wightman, who spent the Christmas holidays with his parents, Rev. F. A. Wightman and Mrs. Wightman, has returned to Sackville University to resume his studies.

Miss Tilla Melanson has returned from Campbellton, where she spent a week with friends.

The engagement is announced of Miss Gladys Emogene Bean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. Herbert Bean, of Ashland avenue, Buffalo, and Mr. Angus Ethelbert McLean, son of Mr. Angus McLean, general manager of the Bathurst Lumber Company, and Mrs. McLean.

Mr. F. A. Hourihan returned on Saturday from Pembroke, Carleton county, where he spent the Christmas season, and resumed his duties as principal of the Grammar school on Monday.

Miss Loretta McManus has returned to Ottawa to continue her duties in the civil service department, after spending the holidays with her mother, Mrs. F. J. McManus.

Miss Ella Hinton is making a visit to friends in Boston.

Miss Lou Gilker, of Campbellton, is visiting here, and is a guest of Mrs. P. J. Leger.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rive, of St. John, are visitors in town this week, having been called on account of a serious accident which occurred in Caraquet, when Miss Marie Estelle Rive was badly burned. Miss Rive is at present a patient in the J. H. Dunn Hospital, and her many friends in Bathurst wish for her a complete recovery.

Mr. Daniel Connolly returned recently from a visit to Mahone (N. S.)

Miss Lydia Matthews has returned from a visit to her home in Chatham.

Mr. Basil Howard, of Campbellton, spent New Year's day with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Howard.

Watch night services were held in St. George's church and in the Methodist church on New Year's eve, both of which were well attended. Special music had been prepared and very impressive sermons were delivered by Rv. J. A. Cooper and Rev. F. A. Wightman.

Miss Agatha Laplante has returned from a visit to friends in Chatham.

Mr. Joseph E. Connolly returned on Wednesday from Millinocket (Me.), where he had been making a visit to friends.

Miss M. McIntyre, of Campbellton, is a guest of Mrs. J. P. McTomney this week.

The officers appointed at the regular meeting of the Children of Mary Society on Sunday afternoon were as follows: Miss Mary Lannigan, president; Miss Ella Riordan, vice-president; Miss Lydia Roy, secretary; Miss Martina Doucet, treasurer; Miss Bee Melvin and Miss Mary O'Donnell, librarians.

Miss Maria McKenna has returned from a visit to Petit Rocher.

Miss Ella Riordan has returned from Riordan, where she spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Riordan, and will resume her studies at the Sacred Heart Academy.

On Christmas eve, Miss Bessie Bishop and Miss Marion Hinton called at St. George's rectory, and on behalf of the congregation of St. George's church, presented the pastor, Rev. J. A. Cooper, a purse containing $35. The reverend gentleman, who was taken entirely by surprise, appreciated very much the kind thoughtfulness of his parishioners.

For the pastor, Rev. W. McN. Matthews, and the congregation of St. Luke's Presbyterian church, the keenest sympathy is expressed in the loss of their church on Sunday night by fire. Services will be held for the present in St. Luke's Sunday school hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. J. Melanson, of Jacquet River, were visitors last week of relatives here.

CHATHAM

Chatham, N. B., Jan. 7—Mr. and Mrs. A. B. McKinnon have returned to their home in Gaspe after spending a week with relatives.

Mrs. Edward Logie and two children, of St. John, are the guests of Mrs. Robert Logie, Princess street.

The many friends of Mac Marquis, who was brought home from Acadia University some time ago on account of his serious illness, will be pleased to learn that he is able to be about again.

F. Lloyd Swim returned to Acadia University on Tuesday morning.

H. Max Phinney returned to Fredericton Monday morning to resume his studies at the U. N. B.

Mrs. J. M. McLean, of Strathlorne (N. S.), arrived in town Monday night and will spend some few weeks the guest of her father.

Miss Mary Peters, of Moncton, who has been the guest of Mrs. M. S. Benson for the past week, has returned home.

Miss V. C. Wright has returned home from Moncton, where she spent the holiday with friends.

Mr. Millet Salter, who has been visiting his sister, Mrs. J. D. K. McNaughton, returned to Halifax on Monday.

Mrs. Thos. Stone, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Leonard, returns to her home in St. John Monday.

Miss Ruth Bauld, of Halifax, is spending a few days in town, the guest of the Misses Brankley.

Miss Catherine Fisher went to Sackville yesterday, where she will enter Mount Allison Ladies' College.

Miss Gwen Watters returned to Sackville yesterday to resume her studies at the Mount Allison Conservatory of Music, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Watters.

Mr. M. R. Morrow and the Rev. Mr. Le Moines, of Halifax, spent the week-end in town, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. V. McCabe.

Miss Catherine Fisher entertained a large number of her friends to a tobogan party Monday night at Woodburn. A delightful time was spent on the slide, after which the party repaired to the house, where a dainty supper was served. Among those present were Misses Doris Brankley, Allison Brankley, Ruth Bauld, Greta Godfrey, Frances Goggin, Gwen Watters, Floss Heckbert, Bertha Snowball, Alice Marven, Dorothy Logie, Mary Burchill and Heloise Neale, and Messrs. L. Bailey, W. Godfrey, N. Tyler, L. Beveridge, W. Snowball, C. Heckbert, R. Weldon, E. Martin and W. Massey.

Miss Heloise Neale entertained a few of her friends on Tuesday evening to a driving party, after which the young people returned to Miss Neale's home, where dainty refreshments were served. Th rst of the pleasant evening bing spent in dancing. Among those present were Misses Mary Burchill, Girlie Snowball, Frances Goggin, Floss Heckbert, Doris Brankley, Cora McLoon, Grey Loggie and Helen Loggie, and Messrs. L. Beveridge, Carl Heckbert, L. Bailey, R. P. Donald, T. Miller and W. Massey.

BORDER TOWNS

St. Stephen, Jan. 6—New Year's day passed very quietly and pleasantly. There was a number of pleasant gatherings and entertainments. Among those who entertained dinner parties were Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Todd, Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Lawson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Laflin.

Mrs. Gilbert W. Ganong gave a very delightful thimble party and musical at her home last Thursday afternoon from 3 until 6 o'clock in honor of Miss Marion Straghn, who is spending a few weeks with Mrs. John B. Robinson.

On New Year's night Mrs. Charles Huestis gave a skating party at the curling rink for the pleasure of their daughters, Misses Florence and Dorothy Huestis, and some fifty young friends. The party was chaperoned by Misses Etta, Nellie and Alice DeWolfe and Miss Alice Ryder. At 10 o'clock, when the last band was skated, the gay young skaters returned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Huestis, where a dainty supper was served.

The Saturday Evening Club are entertained this week by Mrs. W. F. Todd.

Mrs. Waldo Lowell, of Fredericton, has been the guest of Mrs. Frances Lowell in Calais, who recently gave a very delightful tea in honor of her guest.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lawton Whitlock, who have been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Whitlock, in Calais, have returned to their home in Manchester (Mass.)

Mr. Grant McNeill, who is a medical student at Queens College, Kingston (Ont.), has been enjoying the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson McNeill.

Miss Frances Eaton, of Smith College, Northampton (Mass.), is home for the holiday season.

Miss Winnifred Rent, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. James McBride.

Miss Ramona Osborn, who is a student at Radcliffe College, has been spending the vacation weeks in Calais with her mother, Mrs. Alice Osburn, and her aunt, Mrs. Julia Gillmor.

Dr. and Mrs. M. F. Ronan, of Antigonish (N. S.), were Christmas guests of Mrs. Ronan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Graham, in Milltown.

Mr. Allan Haycock spent Caristmas with his mother, Mrs. Ella Haycock. They have recently returned from Chamcook, where they were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haycock.

Miss Florence Newnham, who has been spending the Christmas vacation with her parents, Ven. Archdeacon and Mrs. Newnham, returned to Boston on Monday.

Miss Myrtle Ganong and Miss Jean Goucher left on Monday to resume their studies at Acadia College.

Mr. Hardy Ganong, who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. E. M. Ganong, has returned to Halifax.

Mr. Hugh McBride arrived from Winnipeg on Monday to remain a few days.

Mr. Edgar M. Robinson, the general superintendent of the Boys' Y. M. C. A. in New York city, and his young son, Donald, have been recent guests of his mother, Mrs. John B. Robinson.

Miss Winnifred Smith, who spent her Christmas vacation here with her aunts, the Misses Grimmer, has returned to Woodstock.

Miss Annie Nicholson, who is taking a course of nurse training in Hartford Conn.), is at home for a short holiday and is most cordially welcomed by her young friends.

Mrs. Stephen B. Hunt announces the engagement of her daughter, Marion, to Mr. Kenneth Young, now of Toronto, but formerly of this town. Mr. Young is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Young, who are residing this winter in Winchester (Mass.), as has been their custom for several seasons.

Miss Mabel D. Snyder arrived today from Apohaqui to spend a month with her sister, Mrs. John N. Wall.

Dr. Frank I. Blair, who has been suffering from a severe cold, is recovering and is now able to attend to his patients.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McWna have been spending the New Year holidays in Fredericton with friends.

Miss Emily Milliken entertained a party of lady friends at dinner on New Year's day, as it is her annual custom.

Miss Mildred Todd is entertaining a few friends at her home this evening.

Mrs. William McVey has given invitations to a large auction bridge party at her handsome home on Thursday evening.

Miss Arthuretta Branscombe has been spending a day or two in St. George with Mrs. Thomas R. Kent.

Miss Georgie Young, who is a student at Smith College, is spending a few days here, the guest of her cousin, Mrs. F. P. MacNichol, and is receiving much social attention during her stay.

Mrs. V. A. Waterbury, of Boston, was in town during the week and was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Frederick E. Rose. Mrs. Waterbury is now in St. Andrews, and will leave at an early date for her home in Boston.

ST. ANDREWS

St. Andrews, Jan. 7—Miss Miriam Mowatt left on Monday for Providence (R. I.)

Mr. Raymond McCarthy left on Monday evening to resume his studies at Memramcook.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Williams and Mrs. Crosset, of Eastport, have been recent visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kirnin's.

Miss Bessie Mallock has gone to Moncton, where she has secured a position on the teaching staff.

Mr. John Morris returned to Montreal on Wednesday. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. A. W. Mason, with whom he had been spending a few weeks.

Mrs. Frank Kennedy and little niece returned from Boston on Saturday.

Mrs. F. Barnard entertained at dinner on New Year's day.

Mr. F. P. McColl left for New York on Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith, of Fredericton, were week-end guests of Mrs. Smith's parents.

Mr. Jack Wren has returned to Mt. Allison.

Miss Broad, who has been spending the holidays in town, the guest of her father, Mr. Wallace Broad, returned to her studies at Macdonald College on Monday.

Miss Leora Stinson was hostess at a very pleasant whist of five tables on New Year's night, when the prizes were carried off by Miss Katie O'Halloran, Miss Edith Hewitt, Mr. Robert Clark and Mr. Corcy.

The Misses Hilda Hewitt, Katie O'Halloran and Rhoda Stickney have returned to Deer Island to resume their teaching duties.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McKelvie, of Edmonton, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son Dec. 27.

Mr. George Cockburn was a passenger to Halifax on Tuesday to resume his studies at Dalhousie.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. McColl were at home to their friends on New Year's day from 4 to 6 o'clock and were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. G. D. Grimmer and Mrs. Velona Waterbury presided at the tea table and were assisted in serving by the Misses Kathleen Cockburn, Hazel Grimmer, Freda Wren, Gwendolyn Jack, Miriam Mowat and Laura Shaw.

Miss Freda Wren returned to Montreal on Monday.

Miss Nellie Stuart is visiting her brother, Mr. Frank Stuart, in Montreal.

AMHERST

Amherst, Jan. 6—Miss Alice MacKinnon, of Sydney (C. B.), is spending a week in town with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. MacKinnon.

Mr. and Mrs. Blair Andres, have returned from Londonderry, where they were spending the holidays with Mrs. Andres' mother.

Miss Florence Barteaux has returned from Advocate, where she was spending the holiday season with relatives.

Mrs. Wigle, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. T. N. Campbell.

Miss Mabel Crandall, of the Western Union office, has been transferred to Sackville, where she will have charge of the office in that place.

Miss Bertha Murray and Miss Keith Matheson, left on Tuesday for Toronto, where they will take a course of training in community work.

The marriage of Miss Alice Grace Cole, daughter of Mrs. Edward Cole, of Dorchester Cape, to Mr. Claude H. Marney, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Marney of this town, took place at the home of the bride on Wednesday last. The bride wore a handsome gown of white silk with pearl trimmings, and carried white carnations. The bridesmaid, Miss Lilian Patterson, of Bathurst (N. B.), was dressed in peach brocaded silk, with overdress of linon. The best man was Mr. Edgar Cole, brother of the bride. The marriage was performed by the Baptist minister at Dorchester. After a wedding trip up North and a few days in Amherst with the groom's people, Mr. and Mrs. Marney will take up their residence at Dorchester Cape.

Mrs. H. M. Sleep and Miss Sleep have returned from spending two weeks in Moncton.

Miss Nellie Gougle has returned from Halifax, where she has been visiting her sister.

Miss Vivian Murdoch and Miss Gladys Caufield left on Monday for Montreal, where they will spend a month, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes.

The dance at the St. Regis Hotel on New Year's Eve was a great success, about 150 being present. Mrs. Walter H. Tennant and Mrs. Robert K. Smith were the chaperones. The music and floor were all that could be desired. Supper was served at midnight from small tables, in the dining room of the cafe, and the lounging room.

Mrs. A. MacKinnon entertained at a small dance on Monday evening, for her daughter, Miss Dorothy MacKinnon.

Mrs. James Rodgers entertained at a dancing party for her daughter, Miss Marion, last evening. Miss Myra Townsend, of New Glasgow, who is Mrs. Rogers' guest, was guest of honor.

Mr. Jack Bell, of the Royal Bank, Toronto, has been the guest of his sister, Mrs. C. L. MacLeod, for a few days.

Mr. C. H. Bent, of the Dominion Savings Bank, is quite ill at his home in Victoria street. Very grave doubts are entertained for his recovery.

Miss Helen Marney left this week for Manchester (N. H.), where she will train for a nurse.

Mr. Joe McKay, who has been spending the New Year with Prof. and Mrs. M. M. Sterne, has returned to his home in Truro.

Mr. Louis Peck, of Kentville, has been visiting Mr. Archie Foster for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. James T. Chapman, are on a visit to Boston and New York.

Miss Dorothy Tennant has returned to her home in St. John.

Mrs. Leonard Beer and daughter, Miss Margaret, are visiting relatives in St. John.

Mrs. C. L. Fuller left for Ottawa, called there by the very serious illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. C. L. Fuller, Jr.

Miss Mollie Dingle, of St. John's, Newfoundland, spent the holiday season with Mrs. C. M. Marston, Queen street.

Mr. F. L. Milner left yesterday for Round Hill, Annapolis county, owing to the serious illness of his mother.

Mrs. J. G. Williams, of St. John, is the guest of Mrs. J. S. Coates.

Mr. Lester Lowther left yesterday for Toronto, where he will join one of the crock hockey teams of that city.

PARRSBORO

Parrsboro, Jan. 7—Miss Dorothy Tucker is visitin relatives in Boston.

Miss May Musgrave, of Halifax, is the guest of Miss Mary Hatfield.

Miss Gertrude Oxley, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. H. T. Smith, returned to Canso on Saturday.

Miss Marie Fullerton spent last week in Amherst, the guest of Miss Rugsley.

Miss Clara Kirkpatrick spent the Christmas holidays in Londonderry.

Mr. Bedford Adams was home from Mahone Bay for New Year's.

Rev. John Johnson and Mrs. Johnson, of Maccan, spent a few days in town last week with Dr. J. A. and Mrs. Johnson.

Mr. E. Holmes, of the Canadian Bank of Commerce staff, spent Christmas at his home in Truro.

Mrs. F. Lawson Jenks returned on Monday from a visit to relatives in Great Village.

Mrs. A. W. Copp went to Halifax last week, where she will spend the remainder of the winter. Miss Kathleen Copp has taken a position there.

Mr. Cyril Callow spent last week with relatives in Oxford.

Mrs. Anthony McLean came from Amherst on Saturday to visit her parents, Rev. J. E. and Mrs. Warner.

Mr. Ralph McDade, who has been employed as a railway mail clerk on the Ocean Limited, arrived home on Saturday.

Miss Marie Jeffers and Miss Janet Fullerton, who are students in the A class at Truro Academy, spent the Christmas holidays at their homes in Halfway River.

The home of Captain and Mrs. C. A. Morrison, Riverside, was the scene of a happy event on the morning of Jan. 1, when their second daughter, Glayds Ena, became the bride of Captain Edward Trefry, of Summerville (N. S.) Rev. B. J. Porter was the officiating clergyman. The bride wore a stylish costume of navy blue cloth and black hat with ostrich plumes. Captain and Mrs. Trefrey left immediately after the ceremony for Summerville.

Mrs. Varley B. Fullerton, with her little daughter, left on Wednesday for New York to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs