FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

Saturday, Oct. 29.

Next in importance to Christmas, Thanksgiving ranks as the greatest household festival of the year. The fact of its falling on Monday will afford to many the opportunity of spending the holiday with out of town relatives and friends. For those who remain in town the piece de resistance will be the family dinner, where gathered around the festive board will be the young and old, to enjoy the dainties set before them, at the same time asking for a continuance of their present peace and prosperity. May the weather god smile propitiously upon them.

Already society is settling down to its customary early winter gaiety. With one or two exceptions all the prominent hostesses have returned to town, who, having refurbished their mansions within and without, are regarding with equanimity the active plans laid for the social campaign which usually begins after Hallowe'en has passed.

Several weddings of interest are chronicled this week, principal among them being that of Miss Gladys Forster, daughter of the late Mr, W. D. Forster, Esq., of St. Andrews, to Mr. Norman Foster, of Toronto, which took place in All Saints church, St. Andrews, on Tuesday afternoon. Rev. J. W. Milledge, of St. John, was the officiating clergyman. The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and cut flowers. The choir of the church was present, rendering the hymns O Perfect Love and Oh Father All Creating. Mrs. Hazen Grimmer, of St. Stephen, presided at the organ. The bride, who was given away by Mr. Thebaud, looked very lovely in a dress of white satin duchesse and wore a veil of white tulle and wreath of orange blossoms. Her bridal bouquet consisted of lilies of the valley and roses. Miss Yvonne Thebaud, the bridesmaid, was gowned in white mouseline de soie over silk, and large white picture bonnet. White carnations were carried. The bride's going away costume was of brown broadcloth, brown hat and handsome furs. The guests from this city were Miss Nancy Kingdon, Miss Portia MacKenzie, Mr. W. H. Thorne and Mr. Alban Sturdee. Mr. W. H. Thorne proposed the health of the bride at the reception held after the ceremony, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Thebaud.

On Wednesday afternoon, in St. Paul's Valley church, by the Rev. Mr. Hooper, the marriage of Miss Mary Kilgour Shives, daughter of the late Mr. Kilgour Shives, of Campbellton, and Mr. William Fraser Napier was solemnized. Only the immediate relatives and friends were present. The bride, who was given away by her brother, was gowned in a navy blue broadcloth traveling suit with hat to match, and carried a beautiful shower bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. The church was beautifully decorated by Pedersen. Mr. Percy Bourne presided at the organ. Among the numerous bridal gifts received was an exceptionally elegant chest of flat silver from Mr. Cutler, of Boston, whose son's marriage in New York to the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hamilton Fish last week was one of the great social events of the season. Other handsome pieces of silver were received from the employes of the Shives Lumber Company at Campbellton. Mr. and Mrs. Napier will reside in Campbellton.

At Andover, in Trinity church, at high noon on Wednesday, what is spoken of in the newspapers as having been "the greatest social event in the history of northern New Brunswick," took place, when Miss Ida Lena Baird, daughter of Senator and Mrs. George F. Baird, was married to Mr. Malcolm Archibald MacDonald, of Cranbrook (B. C.) Rev. J. R. Hopkins performed the ceremony. Guests from many places in eastern Canada and Maine were present. Trinity church was magnificently decorated. A special programme of music added to the brilliancy of the occasion, the solos of Mrs. George Mitchell, of Cobalt (Ont.), entrancing the large congregation. The bridesmaids were Miss Edith Edgecombe, of Fredericton, and Miss Katie Baird, of Toronto. Mrs. J. D. Pollard Lewin, of this city, was matron of honor, while Miss Muriel Baird, of Perth (Ont.), was page. The wedding presents were almost without number and very costly.

The ball given by Mrs. J. E. B. McCready, of Charlottetown (P. E. I.), at the Armories last Friday evening for the purpose of introducing her daughter, Miss Louise, was, so the Daily Examiner of Saturday last reports, "the event of the season and a delightful success in every way." H. M. S. Cornwall being in port, Capt. Ley, Commander Cochrane and a number of the officers and cadets were present, whose handsome uniforms added to the brilliancy of the scene. The drill room used for dancing was gaily decorated with flags and bunting. The handsomely appointed supper table had silver candelabras with white wax candles, shaded in pink, between which were large bouquets of pink carnations. Indeed the entire color scheme was pink and white. Card rooms were provided for those who preferred bridge to dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. McCready received their guests in the ball room, the latter wearing a handsome black Brussels lace costume over black satin. Miss McCready, standing beside her mother, made an exceedingly attractive picture, gowned in white silk princess frock trimmed with lace and point d'esprit, her arms weighted by the numerous lovely bouquets of roses, carnations and crysanthemums received during the day from her young friends. These were tied with pink ribbons and flowing over her white dress they added a charming note of color to the simple girlish costume. Colonel and Mrs. Ogilvie and Mrs. Mahon were present, the latter being the guest of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Blanchard.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dexter have sent to their friends in this city the announcement of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Ellen Owen, to Mr. Haliburton Fales, jr., on Wednesday, October 19, at Newburyport (Mass.) Mrs. Dexter was formerly Miss Edith Todd, daughter of Mr. Charles Todd, of Milltown (N. B.)

The engagement has been announced by Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Slocum of their daughter, Miss Gertrude Slocum, to Mr. W. Herbert Adams, of New York city. Mr. Adams is the son of Mr. Samuel Adams, of New York, and is a graduate of Columbia College.

On Wednesday Mrs. Harold Beverly Robinson gave a very delightful tea at her residence, Wentworth street, for her guest, Miss Mabelle Houghton, of Geneva (N. Y.) Mrs. Robinson received her guests gowned in a pink embroidered crepe de chine trimmed with lace empiecements, ornaments diamonds. Miss Houghton wore an exquisitely smart blue silk costume draped with ninon de soie and trimmed with real lace. Her jewels consisted of a beautiful string of pearls, from which hung a magnificent sunburst of pearls and diamonds. In the dining room, which was decorated with pink crysanthemums, Mrs. Leonard Tilley and Mrs. William Allison presided, the former gowned in black ninon over white satin, black hat. Mrs. Allison's gown was of old gold satin veiled with black marquisette, black and white hat. They were assisted by Mrs. Harold Schofield, who served the ices and who was gowned in a handsome white embroidered crepe de chine costume, black velvet picture hat. The young ladies who helped with the refreshments were Miss Mary L. Harrison, Miss Katie Hazen, Miss McMillan, Miss Elise McLean. The guests included Mrs. George West Jones, Mrs. Charles Easson, Mrs. Charles Coster, Mrs. Guy Robinson, Mrs. Norman Guthrie, Mrs. Harry B. Robinson, Mrs. Philipse Robinson, Mrs. W. Henry Harrison, Mrs. Roy Campbell, Mrs. Stanbury, Mrs. Geoffrey, Mrs. F. E. Sayre, Mrs. R. Keltie Jones, Mrs. Alex. Wilson, Mrs. Fred Schofield, Mrs. Charles Bostwick, Mrs. F. Caverhill Jones, Miss Mary Trueman, Miss Frances Hazen, Miss Warner, Miss Kathleen McInerney, Miss Gertrude de Bury, Miss Portia McKenzie, Miss Elizabeth Millar, Miss Jenetta Bridges, Miss Jean Trueman, Miss Janie Stone, Miss Alice L Fairweather, Miss Nancy Kingdon, Miss Natalie Jewett, Boston.

On Wednesday evening Mr. Fred Taylor entertained at the Cliff Club at dinner for Miss Mabelle Houghton. Others present were Mrs. H. Beverly Robinson, Miss Katie Hazen, Miss Frances Hazen, Mr. Heber Vroom, Mr. Cyrus Inches.

Mrs. William Allison gave an out-of-town luncheon at Kingshurst, Rothesay, yesterday for Miss Houghton and her hostess, Mrs. Robinson.

Mrs. Harold C. Schofield was hostess at bridge last evening at her residence, Canterbury street, for Miss Houghton and Mrs. Robinson.

Mrs. H. H. McLean gave a very pleasant informal tea last Friday for Mrs. Norman Guthrie and Mrs. Guy Robinson. Among the guests were Mrs. Guthrie, Mrs. Guy Robinson, Mrs. Harold C. Schofield, Mrs. H. Beverly Robinson, Mrs. William Vassie, Mrs. J. Verner McLennan, Mrs. W. Henry Harrison, Miss Mary L. Harrison, Miss Barnaby, Miss Lou Girvan.

Mrs. Arthur Hazen received on Wednesday and Thursday of this week for the first time since her marriage, at her residence, Chipman Hill. The interior decorations of the drawing rooms and dining room were very beautiful, the floral part of which consisted of pink and white carnations and white crysanthemums. On Wednesday Mrs. Harry Puddington, gowned in blue satin veiled with embroidered ninon de soie, and trimmed with lovely lace, blue hat, presided at the tea table, assisted by Miss Ena MacLaren gowned in blue satin, with black overdress of chiffon cloth, blue and black hat; Miss Norah Stewart in heliotrope silk, braided, black picture hat; Miss Bertie Hegan, white cloth with trimmings of Irish lace, white fur hat with white osprey in front. Mrs. Hazen's costume, which was very lovely, was of blue satin veiled with opalescent chiffon, the bodice trimmed with bands of burnished gold embroidery; yoke and sleeves of embroidered net. Miss Laura Hazen, who assisted the hostess in receiving, wore pale blue silk with silver sequin garnitures, yoke and sleeves of lace. On Thursday Mrs. Hazen was gowned in the same handsome costume. The drawing room was presided over by Mrs. G. West Jones, who wore a very smart grey silk and chiffon costume, black hat with willow plumes, ornaments diamonds, and Mrs. William Hazen, gowned in black peau de cygne with real lace trimmings, black and white toque. Miss Mary Blizard, who was present on both days, was gowned in white satin with black chiffon overdress. Others assisting on Thursday were Miss Katie Hazen in wisteria cloth with smart hat to match; Miss Clara Schofield, old rose silk with lace trimmings, old rose hat with willow plumes. Miss Lou Girvan, heliotrope voile de soie, black satin hat.

Mrs. H. Beverly Armstrong was another bride who received this week for the first time since her marriage. Mrs. Armstrong was very charmingly gowned in mole colored broadcloth with lace trimmings. She was assisted in the drawing room by Miss Celia Armstrong, who wore a pretty blue silk costume with Irish lace trimmings. In the dining room Mrs. John M. Robinson presided. She wore blue silk and lovely black picture hat. With her were Miss Avis Armstrong in white silk and black hat, and Miss Muriel Robertson, Rothesay, who wore black and white.

Mrs. J. D. Pollard Lewin will receive on Thursday and Friday, Nov. 3rd and 4th, at her residence, 133 Princess street.

Miss Elizabeth Millar was hostess at a bridge on Thursday at the Golf Club for her guest, Miss Jewett, of Boston. Miss Millar was gowned in a becoming brown costume with hat to match. Miss Jewett wore a beautiful blue embroidered gown and black velvet hat. Miss Houghton, of Genoa (N. Y.), who was present, had on a handsome green velvet costume and wore a small green hat to match. The bridge, prizes were won by Mrs. Lamboard and Miss Grace Fisher. Other guests at bridge were Mrs. Harold Schofield, Mrs. H. Beverly Robinson, Mrs. J. Lee Day, Miss Janie Stone, Miss Ena MacLaren, Miss Fenety, Miss Winnie Raymond. For tea the guests were Mrs. Fred Foster, Mrs. W. Henry Harrison, Miss Elise McLean, Miss Edna Austin, Miss Winifred Barker. The rooms were beautifully lighted with wax candles and the bright open fire gave the apartment a charming air of sociability.

Mrs. James W. Robertson, of Digby (N. S.), is the guest of Mrs. Charles McDonald, Cliff street.

Mrs. H. H. McLean, Miss Elise McLean and Capt. Weldon McLean will leave on Monday for a trip to the Pacific coast. Capt. McLean, who is in Montreal, will join his mother and sister in that city.

Mrs. Karl Brown, of Epswich (Mass.), is the guest of Mrs. Gershon Mayes, West End.

Dr. and Mrs. John B. Travers, Lancaster Heights, are in Charlottetown, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. B. McCready for Thanksgiving.

Mrs. H. H. Pickett is entertaining for her children on Hallowe'en. The guests are expected to wear one of their named spooky costumes.

The stork last Thursday left a little daughter at the residence of Mrs. Thane Jones, of Woodstock. Mrs. Jones was formerly Mrs. Fraser, a sister of Dr. George Addy, of this city.

Another visit from the stork was made at the residence of Professor and Mrs. Clawson at Collegeville (Pa.) on last Friday. This time it was a son.

Mrs. I. S. D. Landry expects to leave next week for Waterloo (Que.) to spend some time with Mrs. Lefevre, sister of the late Mr. Landry.

Miss Elizabeth Furlong expects to leave for Boston next Wednesday. After spending a short while with relatives there she will return by Montreal, at which place Miss Furlong will visit her sister, Mrs. Edward Schmidt, and other friends.

Mr. W. F. Grower and Mrs. Grower, of Chicago, are in the city, where they attended the funeral of Mr. Grower's mother at Rothesay.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher, Mrs. F. E. Hanington and Mrs. A. H. Merrill left on Thursday for a trip to Boston.

Bishop Worrell, of Nova Scotia, was in St. John this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Kessen left on Thursday for Montreal en route to England and Scotland for a si weeks' trip.

Mrs. Frank A. Godsoe has accepted an engagement as soloist in St. Stephen's church.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Emerson, Germain street, have returned home from the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Elkin returned home last Wednesday.

Mr. Henry Vivien's lecture before the Canadian clubs of this city on Wednesday evening in the Keith assembly rooms was most instructive and enjoyable.

A large crowd greeted Miss Jessie Maclachlan, the Scottish singer, at the Opera House on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Downie have returned home from a delightful trip to the Canadian west.

Mrs. Gerald W. Tarrell received for the first time since her marriage at her apartment in the Linton, Montreal, last week. Mrs. Farrell wore a French gown of pale blue and white chiffon.

Hon. James Holly, who celebrated his 75th birthday last Monday, was warmly congratulated by many friends.

Mr. and Mrs. James Harding have returned from Nova Scotia, through which province they went by automobile.

Judge Anglin has rented Mrs. Andrew Blair's house in Ottawa.

Mr. Douglas Clinch has interesting articles and hunting stories in the October number of Recreation, in the September, October and November issues of Outing and in the September number of Auters Book, a magazine published in Milwaukee. The November Field and Stream has also work by Mr. Clinch. He has returned home after a most successful trip in the north of New Brunswick.

Dr. Allen O. Earle's death occasioned a great deal of regret and many friends sympathize with his family in their bereavement.

ROTHESAY

Rothesay, Oct. 27—On Monday, Mrs. W. Howard, of St. John, recording-secretary of the diocesan board of the W. A., was guest of Rev. W. A. and Mrs. Daniel, and in the afternoon met the members of the local branch W. A. at the rectory, giving them a report of the September board meeting, which proved very interesting. The attendance was large.

Two interesting football matches were played on College Hill last Saturday afternoon between teams from St. John High School and Rothesay School for Boys, resulting in a tie. Many residents from the village were present, and these were entertained at afternoon tea by Mr. and Mrs. Hibbard.

Among recent visitors to Rothesay, was Mr. Charles Rodd, of New York, who was returning home from Moncton, where he attended the funeral of his father. Mr. Rodd was formerly a resident here, where he spent his boyhood, and was pleased to note the growth and improvements in Rothesay since then.

On Saturday afternoon, Mr. John E. Moore, of St. John, was hostess at a greatly enjoyed tea party at the Kennedy House, her guests being Mrs. Barnhill, Mrs. A. B. Holly, Mrs. P. Baker of St. John, also Misses Mazie Fleming, Marion Moore, Louise M. Holly, Catherine McAvity and Gertrude Fleming, pupils of Netherwood school.

The annual meeting of the Ellinor Home Farm committee was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Armstrong, on Tuesday afternoon, when Mr. A. C. Fairweather was re-elected president, and Mrs. Armstrong secretary.

Miss Mazie Domville, who has been home on a few weeks' visit, returned to Montreal on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Robertson are home from an extended trip to the States and Upper Canada.

Mr. and Miss Purdy gave a very enjoyable bridge of three tables on Tuesday evening. Among their guests were Mr. and Mrs. Starr, Mr. and Mrs. West, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilbert, Rev. and Mrs. Hibbard, Mrs. Foster, Miss Ethelwyn Hall, and Mr. Harold Brock.

Mrs. Kuhring, of St. John, was guest at the rectory yesterday, and in the afternoon went with Rev. and Mrs. Daniel to Hammond River church, where Mrs. Kuhring organized a branch of the W. A.

Mr. H. F. Puddington is this week on a business trip to Edmundston.

Misses MacLaren, Miss Louise Simonds, Mrs. Charles McDonald, and Miss Frances Hazen were visitors from the city who spent last Saturday among Rothesay friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thomson and Miss Mabel Thomson left on Tuesday for a visit to New York.

Mr. G. P. Trites is confined to the house this week by illness.

Miss Ada Bayard, of St. John, is guest of Mrs. and Misses Robertson, The Cottage.

Mrs. W. E. Foster and Mrs. Easson were here from the city on Tuesday, spending the day with Mrs. J. M. Robinson.

Miss Hollingworth, of Ontario, has returned to Rothesay, and the home of Mr. and Mrs. Turnbull. She is being warmly welcomed back.

Miss Edith Burpee, of Vancouver, who has been here visiting her aunt, Mrs. H. Gilbert, went to St. John on Monday, where she is guest of her aunt, Mrs. D. A. Pugsley, Chipman Hill.

Mr. Kinnear, of St. John, was an over-Sunday guest at the home of Mrs. Brock and family.

Mr. and Miss Purdy are giving a bridge tomorrow, Friday, evening.

The Ladies' Sewing Society are guests of Mrs. Thomas Bell this week, and on Friday, next week, will be entertained at The Willows, by Mrs. and Miss Domville.

Although an invalid of some months, the news of Mrs. Grower's death, on Tuesday, was heard with regretted surprise. Mrs. Grower was the widow of General Grower of the United States army, and has been a resident of Rothesay for many years, being universally beloved. Sincere sympathy is extended to her daughter, Mrs. H. F. Hall, and her sister, Miss Jones. Mr. Fred Grower and wife, of Chicago, is expected here at noon, and the funeral takes place this afternoon.

Miss Curry arrived from New York, where she spent the summer with her sister, and will remain here during the winter, with Mrs. John H. Thomson, The Grove.

On Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons, Mrs. Percy Fairweather received for the first time since her marriage. A large number of friends called, and all were charmed with her pretty home.

Rev. Mr. Whalley, of Hampton, and Miss Edith Row, of Nauwigewauk, were here on Tuesday attending the Ellinor Home meeting.

Mrs. Blanchet is entertaining at a bridge of four tables today.

Miss Mary Robertson, of Hampton, sister of Mr. J. R. Robertson, postmaster, is here, holding a position in the post office.

Miss Nan Fairweather is home from a visit to Gagetown.

Miss Barnes, of Roxbury (Mass.), is guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Calhoun.

Mrs. R. P. Foster entertained yesterday afternoon at a bridge of four tables.

Misses Annie, Mary and Elizabeth, and Master Fenwick Armstrong, of St. John, spent Saturday here with their aunt, Mrs. H. F. Puddington.

Mrs. H. A. Calhoun is home from a visit to Sackville.

HAMPTON

Hampton, N. B., Oct. 27.—A bridge tournament and supper was held in the rooms of the Masonic Temple, Hampton Station, on Friday evening last, in the financial interests of the curling club. There were eight tables and the prize winners were Mrs. N. M. Barnes and Mr. Chas. H. Smith.

Mrs. Geo. A. Ross, her daughter, Marjorie, and infant son, who had been guests for a few days with friends at Hampton Station, returned to Fairville on Friday.

Mrs. F. M. Humphrey was a guest with friends in St. John last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. Ambrose Williams, night operator at the I. C. R. station, is spending a two weeks' vacation with his brother, George, in northern Maine. His place here is filled by Mr. Wilmot.

Mr. E. G. Evans, who is in charge of government dredging on the St. Lawrence, was home for a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Morrison, of Lynn (Mass.), who have been visiting with Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Flewelling, returned home on Friday.

The engagement is announced of Miss Sarah Vaughan and Mr. Aubrey Flewelling, both of Hampton Station.

BATHURST

Bathurst, N. B., Oct. 27.—Miss Woods, of St. John's (Nfld.), has been a guest during the past week of her sister, Mrs. J. Rice, at the parsonage.

Mrs. P. J. Veniot has returned from visiting in Shediac and Moncton.

Miss Lillian Sterling, of St. John, is visiting friends in Youghall and in Bathurst.

Mrs. T. Leahy, of Moncton, is visiting relatives here.

Rev. J. M. McLean, of Chatham, was here last week.

Rev. R. McNichol, of Winnipeg, is visiting his brother, Dr. J. McNichol.

Miss Edna Wilbur accompanied her sister, Mrs. H. Willet, to Etiomosni (Sask.), last week and will spend the winter there.

Mr. R. Kennedy, of St. John, is visiting relatives in Youghall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Russell, of Shediac, are guests this week of Mrs. R. Armstrong.

Mr. W. B. Snowball, of Chatham, spent some days here during the week.

Miss G. Leahy, who has been visiting relatives here, has returned to Moncton.

Mrs. Schrauff, who has been spending some weeks with her sister, Mrs. F. Meahan, went back to New York this week.

FREDERICTON

Fredericton, Oct. 28.—A pleasant gathering of friends met last evening at "Ashburton Place," the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Edgecombe, to celebrate the twenty-third anniversary of their wedding day. Mr. and Mrs. Edgecombe were taken completely by surprise but extended a hearty welcome to the guests. Mr. and Mrs. Edgecombe were presented with a handsome silver casserole dish by the company, Miss Jean Cooper reading a witty poem to the bride and groom of over twenty years ago, in which due mention was made of sunny Italy, a country visited by Mrs. Edgecombe and daughter during the past summer. Miss Louise Edgecombe, who was the hostess of the occasion, entertained at a bridge of four tables. The prizes were won by Mrs. A. M. Gibson and Miss Stella Sherman tied and in the cut Mrs. Gibson won. The second prize was won by Mrs. J. W. McCready.

Mrs. Wesley Vanwart is in Andover, having gone to attend the wedding of Miss Baird, daughter of Senator Baird. Miss Hazel Edgecombe was also one of the guests.

The bachelors of Fredericton have issued cards of invitation for their annual ball to be given at the Queen Hotel on Friday evening, November 11, at 9 o'clock. The chaperones are Mrs. A. R. Wetmore, Mrs. D. Lee Babbitt leaves on Monday evening for Minneapolis to visit her brother, Mr. Walter McLauchlin, and from there will go to Winnipeg to be present at the marriage of her sister, Miss Jennie McLaughlin, to Mr. Fowler, of Winnipeg, the ceremony to take place in December.

Mrs. H. G. Chestnut, Mrs. W. H. Steeves and Mrs. J. Alex. Thompson.

Mrs. J. Stewart Neill has issued cards for an "at home" for Tuesday, November 1, at 4.30 o'clock.

Mrs. Harold Babbitt was hostess of the Monday Club this week, when Miss Cunningham was the prize winner. The visitors' prize was won by Mrs. R. B. Hanson.

At the Ladies' Club, which met with Mrs. Sterling on Tuesday evening, Miss Tabor was the prize winner.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Bates, of St. Stephen, are among the visitors in town.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fraser Gregory, Master George F. Gregory and Miss Murray, of St. John, and Mrs. Winter, of Chicago, arrived here on Tuesday by automobile and remained until Thursday morning.

A very jolly camping party, chaperoned by Mrs. H. H. West, have returned from Red Rock camp, Bonney River, where they enjoyed a week-end visit. The party included Miss Elizabeth Miller (St. John), Miss Grace Fisher, Miss Natalie Jewett (Boston), Mrs. West (chaperon), Mr. Kenneth Inches (St. John), Mr. Edward Fenety and a guide.

Miss Carney, of New York, is visiting her uncle, Rev. F. L. Carney, at St. Dunstan's rectory.

Mrs. Stewart Morrison is this evening entertaining at a bridge of two tables.

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 29—(Special)—John McNaughton, of Tay Falls, near Stanley, accidentally shot and killed himself Friday. He started out to assist a neighbor to cut some wood, taking along his Mauser rifle, thinking he might get a shot at a deer.

As he was scaling a wire fence the weapon was discharged, the bullet striking him in the forehead, blowing his brains out, and causing instant death. The accident occurred about forty rods from his home, and his wife, hearing the report of the rifle, was the first to rush to his assistance. Mr. McNaughton was a farmer, aged about fifty. He leaves his wife and six children.

Coroner Mullin held an inquest at Tay Mills yesterday. The verdict brought in by the jury was accidental death by shooting. The evidence showed that deceased was chasing a deer with a rifle cocked and tripped over a log, discharging the rifle and blowing the top off his skull. The funeral will take place at Tay Mills, the home of the deceased, tomorrow.

Thomas E. Hoben, who is retiring from the position of assistant superintendent of the Canadian Eastern branch railway, after many years of faithful service, was Saturday afternoon waited upon by a delegation of conductors and trainmen and a farewell address and a travelling companion presented to him.

Conductor Logan read the address and Conductor Sterling made the presentation. Mr. Hoben received a purse of gold from the station agents. He was quite overcome by the manifestation of good feeling, but made a feeling reply. It is likely that Mr. Hoben will sever his connection with the road on Monday and will leave soon for Chicago to visit his son, Rev. Allan Hoben.

Mr. Hoben was superintendent of the Canadian Eastern for twenty years and has been assistant superintendent on the Fredericton branch of the Intercolonial since 1904.

Dr. Smith of St. Martins, who has been working on the International survey, on the upper St. John, arrived here Friday evening. There were three parties on his work and two have finished. Dr. Smith says that on August 25 he met in the woods a man who had not learned of King Edward's death.

It is likely that Sergt. Hopkirk will go to St. John next week to take charge of the provisional school of infantry for the 62nd Regiment.

SHEDIAC

Shediac, Oct. 27—Mrs. J L. Newman entertained the Ladies' Bridge Club at its first meeting for the season on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. E. J. White, of Halifax, is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Smith.

Mr. Morgan Johns has returned from a trip to Nova Scotia.

Mrs. H. W. Murray is spending a few days in St. John.

Miss Mamie Dujay, who for some years has had charge of the central telephone office here, has resigned her position and left to visit friends in Nova Scotia before taking up her residence in St. John. Miss Dujay was very efficient and obliging while holding her office and the Shediac people sincerely regret her departure.

The Misses Hattie and Lulu Pierce, of Richibucto, spent a few days here recently as guests of their sister, Miss Florrie Pierce.

Mrs. E. A. Smith went to Sackville on Friday, where she was a guest at the bridge given by Mrs. C. W. Fawcett.

Miss May Harper returned from Moncton on Monday, where she had spent a few days with Mrs. H. S. Bell.

Mrs. G. L. Kinnear spent a few days in Moncton recently, the guest of Mrs. F. L. Thompson.

Miss Lena Tait and Miss Gertrude Evans have been spending the past week in St. John.

Mrs. C. Sables, of Cavendish (P. E. I.), spent a few days here this week, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. James Mugridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Hanington, of Dorchester, are spending a few days in town, guests at the Weldon House.

Mrs. A. J. Cormier left town recently to visit her daughter, Mrs. Garon, of Rimouski (P. Q.)

Miss Julia Howie has returned to Boston after having spent a month with her parents, Rev. Isaac and Mrs. Howie.

Mrs. A. J. Webster returned last week from a visit to St. John friends.

Mrs. Charles Harper recently paid a visit to Mrs. D. S. Campbell, of Sackville.

Mrs. G. L. Kinnear leaves town on Saturday to spend the winter with friends in Ottawa.

Miss May Harper left town on Friday to spend a few weeks in Riverside, Albert county.

Mrs. Lewis Avard, of Sackville, has been spending a few days in town, the guest of Mrs. Woodford Avard.

Shediac people are sorry to know that Mr. Morgan Johns, teller in the Bank of Montreal here, has been transferred to St. John. His place here will be taken by Mr. Ivor Murray.

ST. GEORGE

St. George, Oct. 27—The ladies of the Roman Catholic congregation have every reason to feel elated with their supper given in Drageorgian hall on Thursday evening, the affair being financially and otherwise most successful. Those in charge of the tables were Mrs. James O'Neill, Mrs. Henry MacGratton, Mrs. Patrick Lynott and Mrs. Lawrence Murphy, with a large number of assistants. Mrs. Mary Kain poured tea and coffee; Miss Annie Phillips was in charge of the ice cream; Misses Margaret Duffy and Josephine MacMillan the candy table, and Misses Dorothy Murray and Helen McMillan the doll. After the supper the tables were cleared away and dancing was enjoyed. The ushers were Messrs. Leo McGrattan, James Curran, Joe MacHugh and Arthur Frawley. The orchestra played a number of delightful selections during the evening. The affair netted $277.

Mrs. James Kain, Jr., St. John west, has been the guest of Miss Molle MacGrattan this last week.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Mark Mills, of St. Stephen, passed through St. George on Wednesday on a hunting trip, Mr. Walter Maxwell acting as guide.

Mrs. MacClelland, St. John, is visiting Mrs. E. D. Wilson.

Miss Amero, a late guest of Mrs. J. Sutton Clark, returned to her home in Weymouth on Monday.

Miss Fanny O'Brien is spending Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. O'Brien.

Mrs. Grant Sherman is visiting her mother, Mrs. John MacCallum.

Mrs. George Frawley is enjoying the week in Calais.

Miss Fanny Murphy has returned from St. John to spend the winter.

Rev. Father Horan, of Calais, has been the guest of Rev. Father Carson, assisting in the forty-hours devotion which commenced on Sunday and closed on Tuesday.

The community was saddened on Monday to hear of the sudden death of Rev. F. M. Young, of Parrsboro. The body arrived in St. George on Thursday morning's train. Members of the Masonic order were in waiting at the station and the funeral cortege proceeded to the cemetery where a short service was held. Members of the family and a delegation from Minas Lodge accompanied the body.

Mr. Leo MacGratton is on a trip to Nova Scotia.

Miss Sweeney and Principal Machum are to spend Thanksgiving in St. John.

Miss Jean Kelman entertained a few friends on Wednesday evening. They were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith, Miss Foster, St. John; Messrs, Machum and Magowan.

ST. ANDREWS

St. Andrews, Oct. 27.—Mrs. W. D. Forster was a guest of Mrs. F. Howard Grimmer for a few days last week.

Mrs. J. T. Duston, of St. Stephen, enjoyed a week's stay among relatives here.

Miss Marjorie Welsh, of Deer Island, spent a few days here last week the guest of Mrs. Samuel G. Field.

Miss Nora Gaynor returned on Friday from a pleasant visit in Montreal.

Mr. John E. Algar, of St. Stephen, spent Friday and Saturday in town.

At the residence of Mrs. Charles S. Lambert, Lord's Cove, Deer Island, a pretty wedding took place on Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, when her daughter, Miss Annie L. Lambert, was united in marriage with Mr. Lyman Chambers, of St. George, Rev. A. C. Brown performing the ceremony.

Mr. John Wade was the subject of very many congratulations on October 19, it being his ninetieth birthday.

Mr. Harry Gove, of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Fredericton, has been transferred to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Harold Stickney are in Boston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Todd, with Mr. and Mrs. Fred L. Ham, of St. Stephen, spent Tuesday in town, coming in their automobile.

Mr. Thomas Williamson is able to be out, although he is carrying a broken arm, the result of a fall on Monday last.

Mr. Richard Shaw, telegrapher in C. P. R. employ, is enjoying his vacation of one month here, at his home.

Mr. W. D. Manzer, of Fredericton, and Mrs. Thomas Wheeler, of Marysville, have been guests of Mrs. James McDowell.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Richardson, of St. Stephen, spent a few days the first of the week in town.

Miss Maud Crisp has returned from a very pleasant visit in Moncton with her sister, Mrs. Fred Williams.

Mrs. Millidge, of St. John, is a guest for one month of Mrs. Turner, Bocabec.

Captain and Mrs. Marshal Stinson have gone to New York to visit their daughters.

T. A. Hartt, M. P. P., enertained a number of gentlemen friends on Tuesday evening at Spruce Hill cottage, Chamcook Lake.

Miss Berna Main is filling the position of stenographer in Mr. F. Howard Grimmer's office, in the absence of Miss Bessie Burton, who is having a vacation of three months.

Miss Rebecca Morrison is visiting Mrs. S. E. Webber in St. Stephen for a few days this week.

Mrs. John S. Leighton returned to Woodstock last week.

A very quiet but exceedingly pretty wedding took place in All Saints' church on Tuesday at 3 p. m., when Miss Gladys Forster, only daughter of the late Mr. W. D. Forster, was united in marriage with Mr. Norman Foster, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. W. Millidge, of St. John, in the absence of the rector. The bride, who was given in marriage by Mr. Jules S. Thebaud, looked very lovely in a gown of white satin, with tulle veil and orange blossoms, carrying a bouquet of lilies of the valley and white carnations with asparagus fern. The bride's ornaments were a most beautiful set of aquamarines, which had been worn by her mother on her wedding day. The only bridesmaid was little Miss Yvonne Thebaud, who wore a dress of white silk mousselaine and white chiffon and lace bonnet, looking very dainty and sweet. Mr. R. C. Treherne, of Toronto, supported the groom. Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer, of St. Stephen, presided at the organ (in absence of the organist) in her customary efficient manner, the choir singing O, Father All Creating, O Perfect Love, and the Deus Miseratur. After the ceremony a small reception was held at the residence of Mrs. Jules S. Thebaud. The gift of the groom to the bride was a locket set with diamonds. The bride's going away costume was of brown cloth with hat to match. The presents were costly and numerous, consisting of silver, cut glass, rare china, linen, jewelry and cheques. The guests were Miss Nancy Kingdon, Miss Portia MacKenzie, Mr. Alban Sturdee and Mr. W. H. Thorne, of St. John; Mrs. C. M. Gove, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Grimmer, Miss Bessie Grimmer, Mrs. W. C. H. Grimmer. Mrs. W. D. Forster wore black net over dull black silk, black toque with ostrich tips and jet. Mrs. Thebaud, blue broadcloth, blue hat to correspond.

Mrs. Frank P. Barnard entertained at bridge on Wednesday evening for the pleasure of her guest, Mrs. Green, of Digby, (N. S.)

Mrs. W. D. Forster, who was here attending the wedding of her daughter, Miss Gladys Forster, left for Woodstock on Wednesday, where she will spend a few days before leaving for Montreal, from where she will sail in C. P. R. steamer Manitoba for England, November 8th. Mrs. Forster has hosts of friends here, who wish her a very happy voyage and winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Handy have been pleasantly visiting in Boston and Portland.

Mr. Duncan M. Ferguson spent a few days with his family here this week.

Judge Carleton, of Woodstock, was in town on Tuesday.

MONCTON

Moncton, Oct. 27—Mrs. S. L. T. Harrison and Mrs. Green were in Dorchester on Thursday attending the bridge party given by Mrs. W. H. Chapman.

The Misses Margaret and Lottie Gillfillam, of Amherst, spent part of the week in town, the guests of friends.

Miss Holland, of Bedeque (P. E. I.), is spending a few days in town, the guest of Miss Carrie Thomson.

Mrs. C. D. Thompson, Mrs. H. S. Bell and Mrs. James Edward went to Sackville on Friday to attend the bridge party given by Mrs. Charles W. Fawcett at her residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Willett, of Campbellton, are in the city, the guests of Mrs. S. H. Bishop.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Borden, of Sackville, spent Saturday in the city.

Mrs. F. B. Smith, of Fredericton, is spending a week in town, the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. C. Barnes.

Dr. and Mrs. L. C. Harris and Miss Mollie Harris are spending a few days in Newcastle, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Sinclair.

Mrs. Frank Mann, of Petitcodiac, is in the city for a few days, the guest of her mother, Mrs. Margaret McKay.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lingley have returned from a ten days' trip to Boston.

Mr. Patrick Gallagher has returned from Boston where he was spending a couple of weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Burpee left on Monday to be present at the marriage of their niece, Miss Rosella Burpee at Sheffield.

Mr. Harry Snowball, of Chatham, spent the week end in the city.

Mr. John Lea, of Sackville, spent Sunday in the city.

Mrs. Charles McCarthy has returned from Boston, where she was spending a couple of weeks with friends.

On Saturday afternoon a large number gathered at the links of the Moncton Golf Club when the season's playing was formally brought to a close. Prizes were offered by Dr. G. T. Smith, Dr. McCully and Mr. W. G. Jones and also by Mr. W. A. Cowperth