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The second of the series of assemblies took place though not quite as large a gathering as the first, it was very enjoyable.

Miss Josie Troop has returned from a visit of through serious illness. some weeks to Boston.

Mr. James Keator, of the Bank of Montreal, Mon- ing his holidays with relatives here. treal, spent Christmas with his family in this city. McGill College, Montreal, is home for the vaca ion. | not return alone. by many old friends.

Mr. Hazen Drury spent a few days in St. John

guest of Mrs. George McLeod, Orange street.

her husband, Dr. Donald, pastor of St. Andrew's from the choir of the church. church. Her remains were brought to St. John for Andrew's church on Monday last.

Next week promises to be very gay, the young to look forward too, but another on Thursday even- tuture ing at the residence of Mrs. John Vassie, Mecklen-

This afternoon Lady Tilley has a large "at home" | panied by an address. at Carleton House, the guests being invited from duties of hostess by her niece, Miss Toller, of Ot- St. John.

tawa, who is spending the winter with her. the holidays with his relatives in this city. He re- vacation. turns to the west next week when he will be accom-

the Misses Cushing. Mr. Arthur P. Tippett has left for England on a business trip, the first of the week.

The members of the Union club have issued invitations to a large number of their lady and gentlemen

Mr. W. Malcolm McKay has returned from a trip

friends for an at home on the 11th. Miss Evelyn Black-Barnes, who has spent the last few months with the Misses Nicholson, leaves today for her home in England. Miss Nicholson accompanies her to Halifax. The many friends she has made while in St. John will wish her bon voyage.

Invitations have been issued for a dance to be given Monday evening next at the Pugsley building. Miss Mabel Hil son was in town on Wednesday, the guest of her friend Miss Milliken.

TERPSICHORE.

Mr. Harry Scammell returned from Montreal Mrs. J. Ross and children, who have been visiting

at Mrs. P. Campbell's returned Thursday morning

Mr. Fred Howard was in Chatham for a few days

Miss Mammie McClearn is in Fredericton, the guest of her friend, Miss Mammie Coleman, at the

Miss Grace Orr is spending the holidays at her

Miss Maggie Campbell, who has been confined to the house through illness during the past fortnight,

Mr. Frank Holstead has returned to the city, after a few days stay in Moneton.

Miss Nellie McCormick arrived home last week, after an absence of three months in Norton, Mass. Mrs. Russell and Miss Fannie Russell left Friday week to visit friends in Boston.

Messrs. Fred and Arthur Wetmore returned to the city this week, after spending a few days at their home in Fredericton. Mr. and Mrs. P. S. MacNutt went to Moncton on

Monday to visit Mrs. MacNutt's sister, Mrs. Mr. H. Sterling left Sunday night for a trip to

MEADOW SWEET.

Mrs. McKenzie and her family are here from Pugwash, N. S., on a visit to her father Rev. Dr.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hooper, and their children are spending this week with relatives in Fredericton. Mr. J. Willard Smith, left on Sunday night, for a trip to Norfolk, Virginia.

Mr. Walter H. Livingstone, and his daughter Jessie left on Monday night for a visit to New York. Miss Ethel Smith who has been spending some months with friends at St. Catherine's, and Toronto,

has returned home. Mr. W. Walker Frink has been presented with a very valuable diamond pin accompanied by an address, by the members of the Salvage Corps, and

Fire Police, on the occasion of his retiring from his her parents, Paridise Row. position as Captain of their company. Mr. Charles Lawton, who has been living in

Boston for some time has returned home, and will Mrs. T. Wilder Daniel has been staying with her daughter, Mrs. Schofield, Chipman's Hall, since

her own house was damaged by fire, about ten days Mr. C. D. Jones, spent part of this week in

Mrs. R. P. Foster of Sackville is now here, on a

street, East.

sician at the General Public Hospital, was given a beautiful clock by the nurses, who also presented Miss Hegan, the Matron, with a handsomely bound volume of Burns' poems; and not to be outdone in generosity, the medical staff of the Institution presented the nurses with a handsome Bell piano,

Mr. Fred Stone has returned from College at Worcester, Mass., to spend the holiday season with his parents. Mrs. Donnelly who was here from California

some months ago, on a visit to her friend, Mrs. Charles F. Kinnear, has returned with her children to St. John, and intends residing here. She has taken a house on Adelaide Road. Mr. and Mrs. Simeon Armstrong have returned

with his mother, Mrs. George M. Armstrong, Mr. C. A. Phelan of the Canadian Railway Co., has gone to Toronto to spend a vacation there with

Mrs. M. J. McGill, wife of Superintendent McGill of the Nova Scotia Central Railroad, who has been

visit to her mother, Mrs. J. Fred Lawton, King Mr. Harry Daly left on Thursday night's train for Wish to All, a pleasure trip to New York. On Christmas Eve, Dr. Addy, the resident phy-

which has been placed in the Nurses' Home.

to St. John, from Pennsylvania, and are stopping

Choice Spruce Gum at Moore's Drug Store.



here for some weeks visiting friends, returned on Wednesday morning to her home in Bridgetown,

Mr. W. B. Vincent, who has been for some months at the Pugsley Building on Tuesday evening, and in the United States, has returned to St. John, and intends passing the winter here.

Mrs. E. W. Cassedy is confined to the house Mr. Bev. Stevens, of St. Stephen, has been spend-

Mr. John S. Currie left on Tuesday evening for a Miss Agnes Warner, who has been attending | trip to Bangor, and dame rumor says that he will

Mr. J. Hegan arrived from Minneapolis last week Mr. Joseph O'Shaughnessy, formerly of this city, to spend a few weeks in the city, and was welcomed | but who now resides at Missoula, Montana, is now

making a visit here to his friends. The marriage of Mr. R. F. (lark of this city took this week, the guest of Mrs. James Straton, Hazen | place in Halifax on Wednesday morning to Miss Mary Emily Harris, daughter of Mr. Herbert Mr. Maule Drury, of the Bank of Montreal, Chat | Harris. The ceremony took place at the residence ham, also spent Christmas in the city, and was the of the bride's father and was performed by Rev. Joseph Coffie assisted by Dr. Temple, D. D. and Invitations were issued by Mrs Robert Thomson | Rev. P. C. L. Harris of British Columbia, brother for a large atternoon "at home" one day this week, of the bride. Miss Harris wore a pretty co-tume but in consequence of the death of Mrs. Thomson's of white silk, and lace veil, trimmed with orange mother, Mrs. Wm. Donald, which occurred at blossoms. After the wedding breakfast, Mr. and Staten Island on Saturday last, it has been postpon- Mrs. Clark left for St. John. The presents were ed. Mrs. Donald's sudden death was a great shock | very numerous, and included a handsome escritoire, to her many friends in St. John. She having lived given by the teachers of the Brunswick street and in this city for many years during the life time of Methodist Sunday school, and an elegant bracelet

> Mr. Harry Scovil, son of Mr. E. G. Scovil, is now interrment, the funeral services taking place at St. here from Chicago, making a short visit to his

Mr. James W. Hall left on Wednesday night for people have not only the ball on Tuesday evening | East Boston, Mass., where he intends residing in

Mr. P. N. Snider, manager of the C. P. R. teleburg street, which I hear is to be on a very large graph office was presented by the staff on Christmas eve with a very handsome banquet lamp, accom-

Mr. R. C. Boxall, C. E. of Sackville, has been 4.30 to 6.30 o'clock. She will be assisted in her spending some days with his numerous friends in

Mr. Thomas Stothart lett on Wednesday morning Mr. Wm. Cushing, of Indianapolis, is spending for Kingston, Kent Co., where he will spend his

Mr A. W. Macrae left on Thursday morning for panied by his mother and sisters, Mrs. G. B. and a trip to St. George. Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Look, who have been visiting

friends here, have returned to their home in Boston.

Mr. O. C. Dia, er left for Montreal Wednesday

St. John-North.

Miss Bertha Shaw left last evening for a few months' visit to Arizona. Mr. Fred Watson leaves on Sunday evening for Minneapolis, where he will look after the interests of Mr. Fred Breen in the coming races with Hagen.

Miss Blanche Wisely is home from Sackville for The Hayford-Butcher assembly met last week at the home of Miss Jennie Carpenter.

Dr. E.J. Broderick spent Christmas in Fredericton.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Keltie spent Christmas up the Miss E. Lynch is home from the Sacred Heart

convent for the holidays. That the children of the Industrial school appreciate the earnest endeavors of Mrs. Stevenson in their behalf is substantially proven by their making her, each Christmas, the happy recipient of some valuable present. This year they presented her with a

Mr. George May is here an a visit from Boston. Miss Agnes Tonney returned home last week

after a few months' visit to Boston. Mr. Bert Roberts, who is attending the pharmaceutical college in Boston, is spending his Christmas holidays in New York with his brother Samuel.

It has been customary for many years for the Hilyard family to meet at the home of their mother ach Christmas. This year there was a very happy eunion, the only thing to mar their pleasure being the absense of one whose bright and cheerful presence on former occasions had always been a twofold source of pleasure. Messrs. Edward, Arthur, Herbert, William and Fred returned from New York, Toronto and Fredericton for the festive occasion. On Monday the services of that reliable and well photographer, Mr. Climo, were secured and some handsome pictures of the family group taken.

Capt. J. and Mrs. Pratt, of St. Anlrews, spent Christmas with Mr. Pratt's parents, Main St. Miss Nellie Craigie left on Tuesday morning for New York, where she will continue her musical

PEANUTS.

Mrs. R. Armstrong of St. Andrews, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Patterson, Rockland Road. Lieut. Col, Bremmer of Halifax, is visiting St. John, this week.

Mr. James McMurray of Digby, N.S., is visiting Miss Grace Robertson has returned to Sussex. Miss Violet Kinnear of Sussex, has been visiting

Miss Maggie Sutherland of Richibucto, is visiting

Dr. March returned from New York, last week. Miss Ollie Fairweather of Sussex, is visiting

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