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Last week was a week of teas small and great, as this week will be one of skating parties if the frost holds.

On Monday atternoon of last week, Mrs. James Duffus gave a small tea for Mrs. Huddlestone, who has been well entertained during her stay here. On Tuesday Mrs. Stephen's large at home was the event of the day, and passed off most charmingly. Mrs. Stephen received in a handsome toilette, and her tea table was quite one of the prettiest of the day. Among the guests were all the representatives of the town and garrison, and some very smart gowns were worn.

On Wednesday there were two small teas given in Morris street houses, both very pleasant and cheery. One was in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Huddlcstone, while the other was almost altogether composed of the unmarried element, this latter being a new fashion in teas, which was originated last year by Mrs. Norton-Taylor, and is a very pepular form of entertainment in Upper Canada.

On Friday Mrs. Montgomery Moore's weekly day was well attended, and Mrs. Moren gave a small tea at her house on Pleasant street, which was as pleasant and well done as all her parties are. There were a goodly number of people present for

King is well remembered here and also his wife, who was a daughter of the late T. C. Kinnear, and half sister of Mrs. Hamilton Smythe.

In Halifax society proper there is also a new engagement, on which congratulations are now being received. The happy pair, by the way, actually succeeded in taking the public by surprise, as the nnouncement was quite unexpecte'. The wedding will t ke place after Eacter.

I hear that as was the case 1 st year, the officers of the garrison have obtained the rick on Monday and Tuesday afternoons for hockey practice. The prospects for the hockey season never looked brighter, and the garrison will put up a better team than ever before. The fadies are also to recommence play as scolas the rink season opens and though they have not yet attained a very high degree of proficiency, they have certainly learned to appreciate all the points in a good game, and are most enthusiastic on the subject. The private afternooes will be Tuesday and Friday, and a committee will shortly take them in hand. The troubles of last year regarding the presence of children on band days will be avoided this season, as last year they kept away several good subscribers.

The Ethel and Lillian Tucker company which opens an engagement here on Monday evening certainly comes well recommended by the press of New Brunswick and Eastern Maine. Miss Tucker will be pleasantly remembered here as a bright pleasing society actress whose repertoire contained only the very best plays and whose support was unusually strong for a popular price company. This season Miss Lilian Tucker is associated with her talented sister and her ingenue roles are said to be charmingly original and clever. Mr. William Richards, according to advance notices is still with the company; and another important young member is Mr. Cecil Owens an Englishman and, the son of + clergyman, who though still very young has travelled extensively in Australia, China, India and other countries where he played leading business with first class companies. Miss Mary Horne is a charming speciality artist who wins numberless admirers everywhere by her chic, dainty grace, sweet voice and winning mat ner. The company will p'ay "In the Ranks," "Captain Letterblair" "The Queen's Money" and many other well known plays and Miss Tucker will probably repeat some of last seasons

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DEC. 8 .- The very Junior Bachelor's) dance came off last Thursday evening and despite much adverse criticism the promoters of the evening have every reason to congratulate themselves on its complete success. The chaperones were : Mrs. D. B. Cumnings, Mrs. H. C. Blair, Mrs. H. W. Crowe, and Mrr. C. A. Armstrong, and it is needless to say that those looked well after the comfort and enjoyment of the young people present who were enjoying all the delights of their first "subscription" ball. It was a pretty sight as the whole party moved in the mazes of the dance, the demoiselles for the most part arrayed in white muslins and airy soft fabrics, with here and there a dash of color to brighten the flect. Miss Ina Blair and Miss Jennie Flemming, were spoken of as being superlatively lovely, the former in a lovely frock of nile green India silk with pale pink trimmings; the latter in an equally becoming toilette of nile green nun's cloth with trimmings of white chiffon and ribbons. The Meisrs. Lambert and McNutt furr ished mnsic, and excelled themselves being frequently erthusiastically encored, It was a happy and well satisfied crowd of young people that dispersed shortly after miduight. Among those present were: the Misses Minnie McKenzie, Gertrude Cummings, Josie Somerville Maud Crowe, Gertie Donkin, Maud Shaffner, Edith Leckie, Lens Sh finer, Ads Cook, Blanche Mc-Kenzie, Bessie Turner, Leta Craig, Mabel McCurdy Jennie Flemming, Helen Fowler, Gertie McIntosb, Ethel Dwyer, Jessie Snook, Mame Snook, Minnie Snook, Georgie Blair, Katie Gladwin, Jean Crcelman, Ida Jamieson, May Jamieson, Susie Lintor, Lulu Archibald, Edith Smith, Alice "Hains' Gladys Dimock, Mabel Murray, Messrs N. E. Murray, H. Donktn, A. Crowe, and W. A. Butchardt, which four young gallants composed the very caple committee. Besides there were present; Win |Gladwin, Arthur Dwyer, Lewis Harding, Geo. Snook, Willie Rennie, Percy Page, John Hay, Bert Smith, Ashley Smith, Frank Dickie, Clarence Dickie, Leslie Smith, Charlie Harris, Charlie Thomas, Harry McCurdy. Dr. and Mrs. F. S. Yorston appeared out on Sundsy last attending service at St. Andrews and the First presbyterian. Mrs. H. W. Crowe is entertaining two evenings this week, large parties for whist last night (Tuesday) and again tomorrow night. The guests last night were : Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Wetmore, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wetmore, Mr. and Mrs. J. J Tayor, Mr. and Mrs. Moorman, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Armstrong, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cummings, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dickie, Dr. and Mrs. Yorston. Dr. and Mrs. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Black, Mr. and; Mrs. W. R. Compbell, Mr, and Mrs. A. C. Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bla'r, Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Blair, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Sumner, Mr. and Mrs. Hemeon, Mr. and Mrs. E. Philips, Hon. F. A. and Mrs. Laurence, Mr. and Mrs. Lovitt, Mr. and Mrs Fred Prince, Capt. and Miss Yui l, Mrs. Henry Dimock. Windsor; Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Blanchard, Mrs. Vernon, Miss M. Crowe, Miss Black, Miss Shand. Mrs. Ered Prince and Dr. D. H. Muir were the fortunate prize winners. A very elaborate supper was served about twelve, which was discussed at great length. Miss Florence Nelson takes charge of the organ at St. Johns, on Sunday next. The present incumbent Dr. W. K. Vincentl eaves for the old country the last of the week. Miss Emma Snook gave a small but very pleasant evening last Friday in honor of her guest Miss Hornsby. Those present beside the house party were : Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Gourley, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Prince, Miss Yorston, Misses Bligh, Misses Bigelow. Messrs. Hornsby, Williams, Cotton, B'glow. Though impromtu the evening was a thor. oughly pleasant one, cards and supper being followed by a carpet dance.

G. P. Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Campbell, Mrs. Bret Black, Mrs. C. E. Bentley, Mrs. C. Bent, Mrs. Rufus Black, Mrs. D. B. Cummings, Mrs. Albert Black, Mrs. H. V. Kent, Mrs Henry Blair, Mrs A. C. Patterson, Mrs. W. K. Campbell, Mrs. Norman Layton, Mrs. F. A. Laurence, Mrs. Wm. Cummings, Mrs. Henry McRobert, Miss Bent, Miss Dazgett, Miss M. Crowe, Misses Sutherland, Misses Leckie, Miss O. Smith, Miss McKay, Miss Nora Black, Miss Shand, Miss Patillo, Miss Yuill, Bible Hill; Miss Jean Crowe, Miss Thomas, Rev. Ernest Underwood, Dr. D. H. Muir, Messre. W. P. McKay, W. Crowe, G. A. Hall, F. W. Cutten, G. H. Williams, W. McKenzie.

Miss Bailey left for St. John last Friday from which port she was a passenger per City of St. John for the o.d country.

Dr. W. S. Muir leaves on Thursday, tomorrow, for Scotland.

Miss Lander en route to her southern home in W. Virginia was a guest of Mrs. Gourley at Brockfield House for a few days this week.

Miss Margaret Leckie has returned from a visit with Halifax friends.

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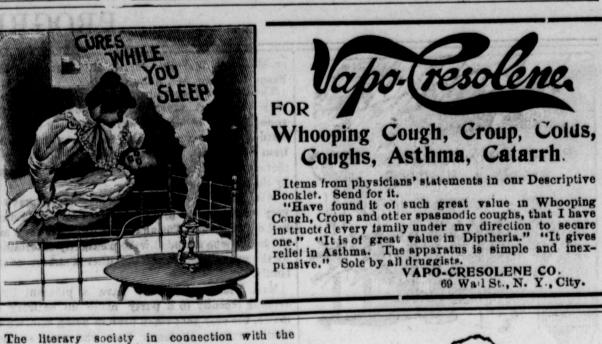
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Dec. 8,-Last Thursday the Sewing Guild were en tertained at tea by Mrs. J. F. Allison. There was a good attendance and a large amount of orders finished up. The next meeting will not be till after the Christmas holidays.

Mrs. A. W. Bennett gave a very pleasant little whist party the same evening. The guest present were Senator Wcod, Miss Wood, Mr. Herbert Wood, Miss Ethel Ogden, Miss Greta Ogden, Miss Neison, Miss Jennie Black, Mr. Walter Black, Mr. Tait, Mr. Mowbray, Mr. W. Harrison. A very agreeable addition to Mrs. Bennett's pretty parlors is the old fashioned fire place that has recently been built and the blazing logs on this cold frosty night enabled all to er joy to the full ' a clear fire, a clean hearth and the rigour of the game." A dainty supper was served at an early hour so that the last round might be finished before the turning off of the electric lights rang the curfew bell.

light.

On Friday evening the Eclectic society of M Allison ladies college appeared before the public in Beethoven hall. The platform was prettily deco rated and from first to last it was an entertainment that thoroughly entertained. There was some good music, including a whistling solo which came to s successful and harmonious conclusion, the old proverb not with standing; two well gotten up tableaux. Faith. Hope and Charity, and Bluebeard, and an amusing farce, "The Widow Sniggles and her Daughters. A very agreeable feature was the cup of hot cocos, "grateful and comforting," and sandwiches with which the audience were regaled at the close of the performance. An extremely pleasant and social tea was given by Mrs, Wells of Weldon street on Friday evening. It was a ladies party and included several teachers from the college and a number of townspeople. Another entertainment on the same day was a dinner party at Capt. Milners to celebrate the 76th birthday of Mrs. Thomas Chapman, M s. Milner'e mother. Besides the hostess there were present two other of Mrs. Chapman's daughters, Mrs. Me-Haffey, and Mrs. Frederic Harris, and of her nine. teen grandchildren nine were there.





a small tea, and the tea table was quite surrounded during the late afternoor.

For the next few weeks there will be very little gaiety as most people will be quite engrossed in preparations for Christmas. In spite of the many charitable societies of the town, there must be a number of children whose Christmas will be anything but a merry one, and it would be a good work to look them out, and provide them at least with a few sweets and a warm garment apiece in honor of the day. There is a deal of sad childhood in this city in winter, if work is scarce, and Christmas is before every other, a festival for children .

Mrs. Wickwire's dance on Wednesday evering was a very successful one, and was, of course, most beautifully done. The Leinster band, for the first time here, p'ayed for dancing, and acquitted itself admirably; not orly it it an excellent band, but it also plays dance music with that desirable swing which makes all the difference to the darcers. Dancing was in the drawing room and supper in the dining room the smoking and card room being upstairs. People danced mest energetically, and some very pretty gowns were worn, quite the handsomest being Mrs. Huddleston's write satin trimmed with exquisite lace. Miss Wickwire was looking part'cularly well, and among the married ladies Mrs. Cotion looked char.ning. The latter, by the way, were in the minority, as there were a very large number of girls present. The dance was a late one, and, altogether, mest successful. The next dance on the cards is to come of in Christmas week, and is to be a large one.

The engagement is announced of Capthin Sir Robert Arbothnot, R. N., and Miss Maclesy, daughter of Colonel Macleay of the Seaforth Highlanders. Eir Robert Arbothnet has many friends in Halliax where he served for some years as a midshipman, before succeeding to the baronetcy.

The marrige will shortly take place in England of the eldest daughter of Colonel Croker-King ard



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The week past and present has been, and is being very gay. Mrs. T. G. McMullen entertained two large at home parties vesterday in the afternoon

It was not exactly "a hot time" at Monday evening's concert in Amhers!. On the posters the management guaranteed that the Academy of Music would be well warmed, but the atmosphere was cold enough for the thermometor to get down off the nail. Presumedly it was from circumstances over which they had ho control, as the contingent from Sackville speaks in warm terms of the kindness they received and the hospitality with which

they were entertained. Madame Harrison charm ingly gowned and in splendid voice, appeared to great advantage, showing unmistakable evidence of the training she has been taking abroad. Her exceptional y high notes are sweeter and clearer than before, and those in the middle and lower register much improved. While Mrs. Harrison has added to her repertoire she shows too great a predilection for songs she has given many times before. As old songs have been classed with old. books and old friends, probably some of these have been sung by request, but many in her audience would not object if the "ivory gates and golden" were nailed up or taken off the hinges and it is high time that the "gentle lark" was skied and a bird of some other feather brought out.

Miss Sadie Foster of Dorchester has been the guest of Mrs. H. A. Powell. On Friday Mr. Charles McD onald of Halifax

passed through Sackville on his way to Edmonton, Alberta. Miss S. Freeman is visiting Miss Bliss at Mt. Whatley.

Miss Emily Roach of Nappan was at the Ladies College on Sunday.

Mr. Frank Roach is the guest of Mr. Macey Wheaton, upper Sackville.

Mrs. Charles Pichard returned on Saturday from a short visit in St. John.

Mrs. Thomas Pichard is slowly but surely im proving and has been able to walk a few steps. Mr. Leonard Crane of Bayfield is expected shortly in Sackville to take charge of the clothing department in Charles Pichards store.

Capt. Frith Atkinson has been seriously ill with two doctors in attendance but up to date is well on the road to recovery.

Mr. Martin Lane left last week for Montreal Mrs. Lane is still here with her friends.

Miss Winnie Fawcett goes this week to New York to take up Hospital work again.

Mrs. Puebe Ogden, who has been in failing health for the last year has left her old home to live with her daughter Mrs. Capt. Bulmer on Bridge Steet. Mrs. Bulmer has recently moved from Mr. Sangster's cottage Salem Street to her present residence. Their is rejoicing at the rectory at the arrival on

Sunday night of a Master Wiggins who is a lively young gentleman thrugh at present he weighs only eight pound.

M -. John Fairley has gone up to Bolstown from which it is inferred that Miss Lily's health is not improving.

Mrs. Borden and her two young ladies are visit. ing in Moncton and St. John. Mr. McGenney is still unable to resume his duties

in consequence of continued lll health. Rev. E. O. Taylor who lectured last Thursday

and Friday in Middle Sackville under the auspices

most charmingly, while Mr A. R. Libbits wa most realistic as the Prince. Miss Partridge recited The Lotus Eaters, the characters being taken by Misses Neill, Sterling, Tibbits.

FREDERICTON.

A series of living pictures and tableaux were also given which were all highly enjoyed by an apprcciative audience. Light refreshments were served during the evening under the supervision of Mrs. E. B. Winslow. The entire programe was well carried out and reflects great credit upon the ladies who worked so industriously to make it a success. The colored lights were most effectively manipulated by Mr. G. N. Babbitt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G Beckwith contemplate a pleasant trip to New York and will spend Xmas with relatives the e.

Messrs. Hastings and Larders of New York have been spending a few days in the city.

Judge and Mrs. Steadman leave on Tuesday next for Orlando, Florida, where they will spend the winter months, their many friends trust that the change will be exceedingly beneficial for the judges health. Mr. Fred Tweedie has returned from a vist to

his nome in Chatham. Mrs. McKinley of Picton, N.S., is here visiting

her daughter Mrs. T. G. Loggie." Auditor General Beek is spending this week in St. John.

Mrs. W. W. Clark of St. John is here visiting her daughter Mrs. Steeves.

Mr. Bert Cowan of Toronto is spending a day or two in town.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Reid of Marysville are happy in the possession of a young daughter. Mr, James Dever of this city has also had an in crease in his household in the person of a young son.

The many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Sharp of Marysville regret exceedingly to learn that they have decided to remove to Montreal early in January and will make their future home there. Mrs. John Herring of Jersey City who has been several weeks here with friends has returned home. Mr. Franklyn McNally of Richport is spending a few weeks here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. James McNally Brunswick St.

Mr. Wm. Whittaker of St. John is being warmly gree ed by his many friezds here today.

Mr. W. P. Flewelling has been appointed Deputy Surveyor General, fi ling the position formeriy occupied by the late Andrew Inches Erq.

Senator and Mrs. Temple left this morning for St. Andrews for a short trip.

Mrs. Geo. Botsford and daughter Miss Bessie Botsford leave for their home in Boston on Monday next.

Mrs Oswald Smith, of Ricibucto, who has been spending the past two months here with her niece, Mrs. W. C. Crocket left for home Saturday.

Mrs. James Gib: on of Marysville entertained a party of friends on Monday. Those from the city included Mrs. C. H. B. Fisher, Mrs. Wm. Lemont, Mrs. F. P. Thompson, Mrs. M. S. Hall.

The Musical and Literary club met last evening with Prof. and Mrs. Dixon, and had a delightfully pleasant evening. The party breaking up about midnight.

Mr. Charles McNally, who is taking a theological course at Newton Centre, has been obliged to come home for a time on account of ill health. Mr. Geo. Hoegg returned home Saturday evening from a visit to his parents at Portland Maine. The members of the curling club were entertained at an oyster supper last evening by President Log. gie and Vice Presidents J. B. Hawthorne and G. Y Dibblee. Toasts and addresses were the order of the evening and were indulged in hy Mr. E. H. Allen, H. Ruter, Dr. Bridges, R. S. Barker, A. R. Slipp, B. C. Foster, and R. F. Randolph. President Loggie p:oposed the Queen. The very felicitous party disbanded soon after midnight. Senator Baird of Porth is in the city today. Mr. W. H. Thorne of St. John paid a flying visit to the celestial this week. Mr. Louis Long and Walter McKay have entered the Bank of Nova Scotia as junior clerks. Miss Louie Tweedie daughter of Provincial Sec-retary Tweedie of Chatham is in the city and on Mouday will enter the Vic'oris hospital to take a Course of training as a nurre-Mr. I. Edgar Golding, Mr. McLean, and Mr. Chs. Knodel 1 of St John are among the visitors to the celestial this week. Vernon Dykeman en tertained about forty of his friends at a birthday party on Monday evening. Mr Redmond of Glasgow Scotland is visiting old

friends in the city this week.

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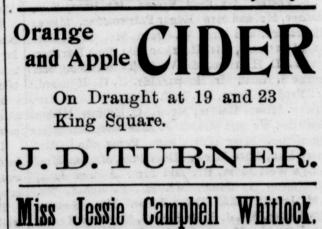
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from four to six and in the evening from seven to nine.

On Monday from half past four to seven Mrs. G. A. Layton was receiving her friends at Bavens. worth. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Lee Russe land Miss Reade who presided in the dining room. The table was laid in pirk and white, pink carnations and smilax. In the drawing room the disposal of potted palms and a profusion of yellow chrysanthemums gracefully arranged the whole effect softened by the light of numerous candelabra, completed a very charming tout ensemble. Miss McKay, Miss Anna Sutherland and Mr. Walter McKenzie did some brilliant execution on the piano during the afternoon.

Among Mrs. Layton's guests were, Mr. and Mrs. Mooran, Mr. and Mrs. M. Dickie, Prof. and Mrs. Lee Russell, Dr. and Mrs. Langille, Mr. and Mrs.

of the division, was the guest of Mr. Willard Hicks. The late t account oi Mrs. B. Eaton Patterson, who has returned to Kingston on-the-Hudson, is much more favorable.

Miss Maggie Trueman of Point de Bute has been visiting Miss McLeod of the Ladies college and Mrs. Pichard Trueman on Weldon street.

Miss Edith Trueman has recently returned from Montreal where she has had her eyes successfully treated by Dr. Buller This famous physician after a professional trip across the Atlantic and a wedding trip at home has resumed his duties and is again beseiged by those 'who sit in darkness'.

Mr. John Fawcett of Upper Sackville had rather a bad face on Saturday. He was fortunately not seriously hurt and hopes to be sufficiently recovered from the shaking up to eelebrate his birthay next week.

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