S M. Wetmore, secretary of the SPCA left it Boston Thursday morning on a short trip. Mr and Mrs James McLean of Bridge water are guests in the city.

W J Holdsworth of Halifax is in the city. Major J M Grant was in Truro Wednesday. John E Moore went to Fredericton this week. Mr and Mrs A E Holstead of Moncton are at the

Royal. Miss Gertie McDermotteleit Wednesday for Brit ish Columbia to visit her brother.

Murray Huestis of Sussex is in the city. Wm & Stevens left Wednesday to attend tho meeting of the Barkers' Association at Montreal. Joseph Wood jr, of Halifax was at the Royal this

week. Miss Clara Sulis left Wednesday morning for Halifax where she will spend the winter with her sister, Mrs J F Fraser

Mrs George Murray left for Boston Wednesday evening.

Michael McDade returned from Moncton the mid ile of this week.

John W Sullis left on Wednesday to spend the winter in Malden, Mass. Joseph T Knight left this week for New York.

@ M Graham of New Glasgow was in the city this week. Miss Viola Gillis has returned from a visit to

Ireland. Miss Winnified Fales left Wednesday by the Prince Rupert for her heme in Nova Scotia, after a lengthy visit to her sister, Mrs J G Shawan, Sum-

mer street. Rev Father Meehan of Moncton is visiting [the bishop's palac.

J L McAvity returned from Halifax on Wednes-

John Connor arrived from O tawa this week.

Justice Hannington passed through the city thi week on the Pacific express. S B Butin went to Fredericton Wednesday.

Francis H. Arnaud left Wednesday evening for Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. G DeVeber, of Gagetown, are visiting friends in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansard, on their return from their wedding tour, will reside at the Sherbrocke for the winter. Mrs Harsard was formerly Miss Burpee of St. John, and her wedding a short while ago was a very fashionable sflair .- O tawa Citizen. Mrs. Marie L. Ch: pman, of Boston, returned

home Wednesday after four months in St. John, at the Landsdowie House, Mrs. Chapman was advised to come here because of her health and she returns fully restored.

James P. Sherry, of Memramcock, was in the

Superintendent Orborre, of the C. P. R., went to St. Andrews this week.

His Lordship Bishop Kingdon went to St. Mar tins Tuesday to confirm a number of young people. The Rt. Rev. Dr. Casey, bishop of St. John, assisted by the Rev, Fathers McMurray and Poiri er, administered the rite of confirmation to fortyone young people in the Roman Catholic chapel at Hamp'on, Kings Co., on Sunday.

Messrs. W.E . O. Jones, Altred Seely and O. R. Patr'quen were smong the St. John genilemen registered at the Queen, Fred rictor, this week. Mr. Geo. H. Belyes of St. John and Mr. John Stuart of the C. P. R., were guests at the Barker House, F'ton . this week.

Mr J Davidson of Windsor, N S, passed through the city this week from New York, where he had been on mining business.

Mr Fred C Jones returned from New York Wed resday where he had been meet ng his sisters, Mrs F J Usher of Edinburgh, Scotland, and Mrs F W Wilson, of London. Eagland. Mr Simeon Jores and his daughters, Mrs Usher and Mrs Wilson, will arrive in St John next week on a visit to Caverhill Hall, their old home.

Mr John W Sulis, who has been spending some weeks in this city left Wednesday morning for Boston. He will nass the winter in Malden, Mass." Miss Viola Gillis has returned by the Evangeline from Ireland.

Miss Clara Sulis left Wednesday by the Halifa express for Ralifax. She will spend the witte with her sister. Mrs J Fred Fraser.

Mr. J N Rogers, choir leader of St Mary's church, has been confined to the house for a few days with a severe cold and i'lness consequent on vaccination. He will be out in a few days.

Miss B Baird and Miss M Nevens, who have been visiting triends in Boston have returned home.

## TRURO.

N v 13 - Mrs Foster, Hailax, and her daughter Mrs Hill, the latter en route to Sydney, were wisiting Mrs Geo Donkin, for a few days this week One of the pleasantest and most successful aftermoon tune ious ever given here, was the Misses Schurms a Tea last Wednesday afternoon The

young hostesses were assisted by their sister-in-law, Mrs Fred Schurman, w. o presided at the tea table. Those present were: Miss Larriet Laurence, Whycomagh, C B, Miss Bligh, Misses Nelson . Miss Watson, Miss Maud Archibald, Miss Sim, Miss Emma Black, Miss Longworth, Miss Craibe, Miss Leta Craig, Miss McNaughton, Miss Bigelow, Messrs A McDonald, W P McKay, Jardin', J W Murray, R Walker, W A Fitch.

Dr McKay left yesterday for a short visit to Montreal, New York and Boston.

A very pleasant break in the social quiet that has prevailed for so long was Miss Maud Archibald's dance of last evening, given in honor of her guest, Miss Sim. Those privileged to be present erjoyed a delightful evening, and it was well unto the small hours, ere final adieus were said. Among those invited were Dr and and Yorston, Mr and Mrs Edgar Fullon, Mr and Mrs Will Yorston, Mr and Mrs C A Armstrong, Miss Yorson, Misses Bligh, Miss B Nelson, Miss Jeane Crowe, Miss Archibald, Miss Bigelowe, Miss Hanson, Miss Watson, Miss Sadis Logan, Miss Jarvis. Miss Schurman, Miss Cummings, Miss Nora Blanchard Miss E Black, Miss Emma Snock, Miss Thomas Messrs F L Murray, E Conrad, H Murphy, M Schurman, C R Coleman, G Hanson, A Mahon, F Dickie, K Irvine. E R Stuart, G Wilson, C Fraser, A McDonald, R Hanson, E Vermon, A Crowe. The Misses Shaw, Windsor, are visiting their

aunt Mrs E Bligh. Mrs H Welmore, leaves to morrow for a long visit wi h hom : faiends in Woodstock. Mrs Fred Davidson entertained a few tables o

whist, very pleasantly last night. Mrs Vernon has invitations out for a large whistf party for Thursday ovening.

### ARNAPOULS

Nov 13 - Vr and Mrs FC Whitman and family are at "The Hillsdale" for the winter.

Mrs (Dr.) Gray and daughter, of Mahone Bay, are the guests of Mrs Cunningtam. Miss Ethel Leavitt returned from Halitax on

Miss MacLeod, of Winnipeg, has been the guest of Mrs Leavitt for a few days. Mis RS Miller has returned from her visit in

Mrs Aug Harris and Miss Wheelock, who have been in Halifax, are home again.

A very pretty wedding took place in the Presbyterian Church on Tuesday morning, when Miss Margaret J MacLeod, of Tatamagouche, was united in marriage to Rev Wm A Cunningham, of Mahone Bay. In the absence of the pastor, Rev J R Douglas, the Rev E D Miller, of Yarmonth, performed the ceremony, after which the happy couple drove to the residence of the bride's urcle, Mr J H MacLend, where a wedding breakfast was served, after which they took the 1.30 train for

Mr and Mrs George A Hawksworth intend spending the winter in Yarmouth, and have leased the Rev E D Millar's residence in that town for

Mr and Mrs S Riordan arrived home Wednesday. Mrs Riordan wil be "at home," at the Queen Hotel, on Friday, the 8.h.

### BABY'S HEALTH.

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He was a practising physician, prescribing drugs daily in his treatment of disease and believing in their efficiery. What he m ant was that more harm was done by the common practice of flying to the med eicine chest or the apothecary's shop fo very little ailment, and by the ] tensla ving opium, chloral and jother 'habits' so in duced, than could be counteracted by the good effected in [the legitimate] use of remedies by properly educated physicians. And truly he had much to justify him in this gloomy view.

An American physician who has endeavored to investigate the use of narcotic in his state has published some startlin figures as to the consumption of opium If his results can be relied upon there is i this country av app illing number of slaves to the opium habit, most of whomgouda th less began by taking of an occasional dose on their own responsibility to relieve ; pain

or induce sleep. But all the harm of self drugging is not in the formation of those habits. Many, who have never taken a dose of narcotic medicine knowingly, nevertheless seld om which they think, or have been told, is good for kidney disease or gout or rheumatis m or dyspepsia or biliousness, or some other ailment which they think, or have been told they are suffering from. They may or may not have guessed the cause of their bad feelings, but the chances are ten to one that the drugs they take so recklessly will do no good, if they do not do actual harm.

Dangs are poisons, which cannot but work evil upon the system if taken in a haphazard fashion by those ignorant of their action on the delicate machinery of the living body. Laxatives and liver remedies, nervines and tonics, quinine and iron, all are useful-life saving, at the proper time and in the proper dose; but taken in the quantities that they are, in season and out of season, for some reason or no reason, they are pernicious destroyers of

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The Defense, a Haytian min-of-war was lying in the barbor of Port au Prince. One day a mess cook, for some reason, cleaned about a peck of knives and forks on the gun-deck, and being suddenly called away, and not wishing to spend time to go to the galley, he seized the mess pot full of knives and forks and stuck it in the muzz'e of the ten-inch gun, putting the tampion in after it.

About an hour afterward the admiral came aboard, and as the gun was loaded with blank cartridge, they used it to fice a

It happened that the gun was aimed to ward the town, and almost pointblank at the Grand Hotel. The guests assembled on the porch to witness the ceremonies, when they were saluted with a rain of knives and torks, which s'uck against the wooden walls like quills on a porcupine.

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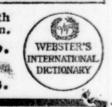
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