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Dress Making

Miss Annie E Gray is prepared to do dress making at the Payson House (Lower Flat) Richmond Street.

Notice of Sale

Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the terms of a warrant issued by the Secretary of the Municipality of Carleton County and according to the provisions of Section Eighty five (85) of Chapter twenty one of the Acts Third George V., 1913, of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of New Brunswick, entitled "An Act to Consolidate and Amend Chapter 170 of the Consolidated Statutes, 1903, respecting Rates and Taxes" the said warrant being dated the Fifteenth day of November, A. D. 1915, there will for default in the payment of School taxes be sold at public auction in front of the Court House in The Town of Woodstock in the said County of Carleton, on Saturday the Twenty fifth day of February A. D. 1916, at the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon of the said day to the highest bidder therefor so much of the Real Estate assessed in the name of The Sussex Boot & Shoe Company lying and being in the Parish of Aberdeen in the County of Carleton aforesaid, as will be sufficient to pay the sum of Twenty four Dollars and seventy seven cents being the amount assessed for County School taxes against the said The Sussex Boot & Shoe Company for the years 1905, 1906, 1907, 1908, 1909, 1910, 1911 and 1912 together with the further sum of Ten Dollars and Forty five cents costs and expenses to the date of issue of said warrant and the further sum of fifty cents for the said warrant, making in all the sum of Thirty five dollars and seventy two cents, now unpaid, and also for costs and charges attending this Notice and Sale hereunder and recovery of said assessment. The said Real Estate assessed in the name of The Sussex Boot and Shoe Company to be sold as aforesaid, being described as follows.—All that certain lot of land situate in Glassville in the Parish of Aberdeen, County of Carleton and Province of New Brunswick, viz. Beginning at a post standing on the North Westerly angle of a lot number 109 granted to Samuel Foster Junior, thence South 72 degrees and 30 minutes east sixty six chains and seventy five links, thence north seventeen degrees and thirty minutes east fourteen chains and eighty seven links, thence north seventy two degrees and thirty minutes west seventy chains and fifty links to a post standing on the easterly side a reserved road, thence south ten degrees and thirty minutes west fifteen chains to the place of beginning containing one hundred acres more or less and distinguished as lot number 130 in block four being same land deeded to The Sussex Boot and Shoe Company by Edward Foster and wife by deed registered in Book S Number two of records on page 786 and following pages.

Dated at Woodstock in the said County of Carleton this Twentieth day of November, A. D. 1915.

John R. Tompkins, Sheriff of the County of Carleton.

Red Cross Work

The Florenceville Red Cross Society recently shipped to St. John headquarters: 50 pair of socks and 24 hospital shirts.

The ladies wish to thank Miss Agnes White, Waltham, Mass, for 1 pair socks; also Mrs. H. Kinne, Mrs. Alex Kinney, Mrs. Fred Kilpatrick, Mrs. Hugh McCain, Mrs. Peter Haughn, Mrs. A. Hayward, Mrs. Chas Boyer, for knitting.

Mrs W L MCCAIN, Pres Mrs R B HAGERMAN, Sec.

Y M C A Work for Soldiers

A. S. McAlister of Halifax, National Secretary of the Y. M. C. A. for the Maritime Provinces, visited here on Tuesday to make arrangements for work to be carried on in connection with the men of the 104th quartered here.

The Y. M. C. A. had a staff and equipment at the service of every Battalion which has been organized in Canada since the outbreak of the war. Today 25 men are overseas, 12 of whom are with our boys in the trenches. 75 more are doing work in various mobilization centres in Canada.

Red Cross Society

The Red Cross Society wish to acknowledge the following with thanks:— Proceeds tea at Carleton Hall \$31 93 Mr. Hoiman McMullin 20 00 Mr. John A. Lindsay (2 monthly payments) 1 00 Mrs. H. V. Dalling 3 00 SARAH A. HARTLEY Treasurer.

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PERSONALS

The Rev John Ives, Millerton, was in town last week.

The many friends of Miss Elizabeth Johnston will be pleased to know she is recovering from her severe illness.

C M Marsten and son, H C Marsten, of Medutic, were in town last week on business.

Mrs John Shaw of Bristol, spent last week at Upper Woodstock guests of Mr and Mrs Stephen G. Shaw.

J. Mauns Ailken, manager of the Royal Bank of Lethbridge and Mrs Ailken, who have been visiting Mrs Ailken's brother and sister, returned home on Tuesday.

Walter Sprague, eldest son of Dr and Mrs Sprague, who has been in the service of the Bank of Montreal at Swift Current, Sask, has been transferred to Rossland, B C.

The Reception and tea which was given on Wednesday Dec 1st by the working Girls Circle of Kings Daughters, was well patronized: \$10.10 was realized for the Disabled Soldiers Fund.

A number of the soldiers of "D" company were entertained at a "smoker" in the parish hall last evening. Refreshments were served by the ladies and a very pleasant evening was spent.

George A Shea, who formerly conducted a foundry here, and for the past few years has been doing business in Houlton, Maine, suffered a paralytic stroke at his home a few days ago, and is in a critical condition

Sergt Robin J W Goss, who has been training for a lieutenancy at the Royal Military College, Kingston, Ont in the 36th Sydney Field Battery, now located in Fredericton, will spend Christmas with his mother, Mrs J S Merrithew at Richmond Corner.

At the regular meeting of Working Girls Circle of the King's Daughters held on Tuesday evening, Nov. 30th, the members passed a resolution expressing their sincere sympathy with the family of Mrs. H. R. McLardy in whom the club suffered the loss of a firm friend and indefatigable worker.

On Monday evening Nov. 29th the Grafton Literary Society met at the home of their venerable president, Mrs. John A. Shea, to celebrate her 79th birthday and presented her with a beautiful bouquet, one flower for each year of her life. This was followed by the usual literary program and afterwards refreshments were served.

Rev J J Ryan, the new pastor of St G. trude's church, took charge of his parish on Sunday. During his remarks, after first reading the letter from his Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, appointing him rector of this parish, he referred to the kind welcome given him by his congregation and the citizens as a whole and to the soldiers, for whom the gallery of the church has been reserved he advised them to always remember their church and home, to be temperate in all things, and bring credit on their uniform.

Major Laughlin Honored

St. STEPHEN, Dec. 3.—Last evening about sixty-five of the friends and Knights of Pythias brethren of Dr. W. H. Laughlin, senior Major of company "D" of the 104th, now stationed at

Woodstock, entertained the major at a smoker in Knights of Pythias hall at Milltown, and presented him with a beautiful gold ring. The presentation was made in a neat speech by Past Chancellor R. W. Whitlock, the senior past chancellor of Border Lodge, K. of P. Addresses were delivered by R. W. Grimmer, M. P. P., and others.

The Major expressed his appreciation of the friendly feeling that prompted the gift and would always have a warm "spot" for his many friends on the St. Croix. He felt it a duty and a privilege to serve his king and country and was ready and willing to go to the front when duty called.

On Tuesday evening last the members of the Encampment of Knights Templars of this town waited on Major Dr. Laughlin on his arrival from Woodstock and invited him to a smoker in the Masonic hall at Milltown, and handed him a beautiful gold wrist watch through Past Commander Andrew Mungall. Major Laughlin acknowledged the gift in a few well chosen remarks.

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John R. Tompkins, Sheriff of the County of Carleton.

DIED

CORBETT—At Woodstock on Wednesday Dec. 8 Mrs. Robert Corbett leaving her husband and infant child.

Miss Lena Reynolds of St. John is the guest of her sister, Mrs. N. P. Grant.

J. W. Ellsworth arrived home on Saturday from a business trip through the Maritime Provinces.

Mr and Mrs A G Bailey returned on Saturday from Fredericton where they were attending the funeral of Mrs Bailey's brother.

Major Laughlin returned on Friday noon after a few days spent at his home in Milltown, N. B.

The Misses Alice and Ruth Thompson, who are attending school in Houlton, recently spent a few days at their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Bailey went to Fredericton on Tuesday, called there on account of the death of Mrs. Bailey's brother.

Mrs Frank Kilburn of Presque Isle, and Mrs. George Bull of Monticello, Me., are the guests of their sister, Mrs Williamson Fisher.

Lieut Nicholson of "D" Company, who has been in the Fisher Hospital for some days, has quite recovered from a serious cold.

Mr. and Mrs. George W. Boyer of the Victoria Hotel, Woodstock, N. B., were registered at the Victoria, St. John, Wednesday, and have been paying visits to numerous friends and relatives in the city. The present proprietor of the Woodstock hotel, who succeeded his father, the late Thomas J. Boyer, has sustained its reputation which, for first class service, has gained the deserved popularity of the public at large for more than thirty five years.—St. John Globe.

At the annual meeting of Woodstock Lodge, No. 11, F. & A. M., held Thursday night the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: E. W. Jarvis, worshipfulmaster; H. A. Seely, treasurer; E. L. Hagerman, tyer. Mr. Jarvis will make up his staff of officers and submit the list at a later meeting.

Rev. H. D. Warden of Green Road was in town on Wednesday.

Chas McGinley of Johnville was in town Wednesday on business.

Rev. Samuel Howard spent a few days in St. Stephen last week.

Miss Dorothy Lyons of Houlton, is the guest of Mrs. Perley Hartley.

His Honor Judge Barry of Fredericton, was a guest at the Carlisle on Tuesday.

Miss Thelma Stairs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Stairs, is ill with typhoid fever.

Mrs. J. S. Merrithew of Richmond was the guest of her brother C. D. Johnston.

Dr. T. F. Sprague attended a meeting of the Provincial Board of Health in St. John last week.

MARRIED

MCINTOSH—WRIGHT—Woodstock, Nov 24, at the Baptist parsonage, by Rev F L Orchar, Angus McIntosh and Mrs Hepsy Wright, both of Fort Fairfield.

HENDERSON—MCDUGALL—At the home of the officiating clergyman, Rev H D Warden, Green Road, on Tuesday November 30th, Miss Ethel McDougall and Mr Newton Henderson, both of Debec.

Successful Recruiting Meeting

There was held a very successful recruiting meeting at the Hayden Ginson Theatre on Friday evening, addressed by the chairman, Donald Munro, recruiting officer for the county; Capoin Tilley, chief recruiting officer for the province; Sergeant Norman Knight, Driver Arthur Greer, who left Woodstock with the First Canadians and was wounded by shell at Langensark, and Hon W P Jones, who has a son in the firing line. The appeal of Sergt Knight was most touching, and ten recruits volunteered, with more to follow.

So far as the records are available, the ten volunteers to night make a total of 650 volunteers that have left this town, many of them, of course, boys from other parts of Carleton county, since the war commenced, a record few towns in the Maritime Provinces can beat.

The Theatre was crowded with an interested audience. The Woodstock band rendered several appropriate selections during the evening.

The following signed the roll of honor, with more fully expressing their intention of volunteering in the near future; Wilfred Rolston, Victor Santell, Frank E McLardy, Stanley Courtney, Gregory Riordan, Fred Hannigan, Wm Waugh, M Burpee, Concluded on page 4

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Mrs A B Carvell

Mrs. A. B. Carvell, 81 years of age died at her home in Lakeville, Saturday night, after an illness extending over some months. She is survived by four sons, Frank B. of Woodstock, Carleton's federal representative; Harry and Robert, of Lakeville, and Louis of Boston; two daughters, Bertha, at home and Bessie of Boston. The funeral was held Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Carvell was a woman of many sterling qualities which endeared her to all who knew her. She was a member of the Methodist church, and prominently identified with all good work in the community where she spent nearly the whole of her life.

Welcome to Arthur Greer

Arthur Greer, who left here with the First Canadians, arrived home at 10.30 Tuesday night.

After having his horse wounded at Langensark, he shot the animal, got on the back of a horse running wild re-entered the fight until his horse was killed by a shell and he had his leg frightfully mangled by the explosion. He was recommended for the D. C. M. but the presentation has not yet been made. He has since then been in an English hospital, and on two occasions it was decided to amputate his leg, but it was not done as hopes were entertained of saving the member.

On his way to Woodstock, he showed the wound in his leg to friends who are satisfied that the leg can be saved. No one ever received such a reception in this town as was given to Private Greer. Thousands thronged the station house to welcome, as one speaker put it, "the first citizen of Woodstock." An escort from "D" Company carried Mr. Greer from the train to the handsomely decorated auto owned by A. D. Holyoke, chairman of the reception committee, who introduced Hon. W. P. Jones, who welcomed Mr. Greer home, in the absence of Mayor Sutton, and he was followed by Donald Munro, recruiting officer for the county, and T. C. L. Ketchum, in brief speeches.

The young hero was helped to his feet and he heartily thanked the citizens for their kind reception. He denied that he had been decorated with the D. C. medal. He felt that he was not worthy of the honor conferred upon him, and he had received a telegram from his mother which made him anxious to get home as soon as possible.

The procession then formed as follows:—Woodstock Band, Boy Scouts, in charge of George Ransom, Chief Scout Master; auto containing Mr. Greer, Mr. Holyoke, Mr. Munro, Mr. Ketchum and Captain Maxwell of the 104th Battalion; auto containing Col. Dibble, Jas. W. Gallagher and other members of the reception committee; the Prentice Boys Band; "D" Company of the 104th Battalion, 300 strong, made a splendid showing as they brought up the rear. Bonfires blazed on the square as the procession passed through the town. This is the second wounded Woodstock soldier to be welcomed home. Wm. Sutton, who had a distinguished record in the Princess Pats, had a hearty reception rendered him on Saturday night previous.

John R. Hay, who has been acting as telegraph operator at Andover, left Wednesday for Truro. Mr. Hay spent the early part of the Week with his parents here.

A number of friends of Miss Kathleen McLean met at the home of Mrs. A. McLean on Wednesday evening and tendered her with a novelty shower. Miss McLean received many gifts.