

# The Quality

# Drug Store

## E. W. MAIR

WOODSTOCK, N. B.

### Local News

#### Card of Thanks

Mrs. LeRoy McIntyre and Mrs. Charles Davis wish to thank their friends for their kindness during the illness and death of their husband and brother, the late LeRoy McIntyre.

Messrs. E. R. Teed, G. E. Balmain, F. O. Creighton and E. W. Mair visited the different parishes in county last week, organizing for the Y. M. C. A. fund. The leading men in the different parishes stated that there would be no difficulty in collecting the amounts allotted to the districts.

Carleton Lodge, I. O. O. F., attended the United Baptist church in a body on Sunday and heard a splendid sermon by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Wilson. Although the Uniform Rank is not permitted to parade in uniform during the war, all the members presented a fine appearance in the regulation dress suits.

A knitting competition was held at the home of Mrs. F. B. Armour on Saturday evening. Mrs. Ada Poole carried off the first prize and Mrs. W. E. Balyea the second. Mrs. Godfrey Newham and Mrs. J. R. Brown tied for third prize. The hostess furnished refreshments before the party dispersed.

Mrs. David Bagley, has gone to Presque Isle where she will visit relatives for some weeks.

Messrs. C. S. Estey, John Fulton and Hugh Tweedie, of Wicklow, F. I. Wilmot Watson, of Woodlawn, H. M. Estey, Cook Boyer, Mr. Fiske, E. McCain, B. McCain, of Florenceville were in town last week to attend the Farmers' Association. Mr. C. S. Estey and Mr. Watson were callers at "The Dispatch" office.

Mrs. Clarence Hamilton, and niece Miss Margaret McAlpine, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wallace, Houlton, Me., have returned home.

### PERSONALS

Major F. A. Good and Mrs. Good, of Fredericton, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Comben.

Mrs. J. K. Palmer of Houlton was in town last week owing to the illness of her mother Mrs. Edward Williams.

W. S. Carter, chief superintendent of education, accompanied by Inspector F. B. Meagher, visited the schools here last week.

Miss Hazel McCain, of Florenceville, has been appointed superintendent of Women's Institute work in New Brunswick.

Mrs. G. L. White and Mrs. E. Campbell, of Centreville, spent a day in town last week guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Gibson, of Centreville, were in town last week to attend the funeral of Mr. Gibson's brother the late John C. Gibson.

Mrs. J. R. Tompkins, Mrs. Willard L. Carr and Mrs. W. Jack Dibblee, have, during the past week, become life members of the Red Cross Society.

At the regular meeting of the Women's Institute Wednesday, the members were addressed by Dr. Kierstead on the food problem.

Mrs. Thomas W. Murphy of Medford Mass., arrived in town on Wednesday to attend the funeral of her father, the late John C. Gibson, which took place on Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Thomas Marsheill, of St. John, came to Grafton last week to see her sister, Mrs. (Dr.) N. Ayer, who is very ill. She is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. John Shea.

The 65th Battery is rapidly filling up with young men under the amendment to the M. S. A. Those who have been previously drafted under the Act are not eligible for the battery and have to join up with the Depot battalion in St. John.

Mrs. Hedley Holmes and daughter, of Lakeville Corner, were in town last week to see Mrs. Holmes' mother, Mrs. Amos Hudlin, who is quite ill. Miss Holmes was the guest of Miss Ethel Hudlin.

### The Story Hour

The Story Hour for Children at the Library has amply justified that have been made for its success.

For ten successive Saturdays a very attentive and appreciative audience of little people has collected at the story room. The attendance has averaged a hundred with not less than eighty as the minimum.

As the undertaking has been more or less of an experiment a wide range of stories has been given by a number of people interested in children's literature.

The interest among these children seems to be largely for adventure and nature stories. The method of presenting of course affects the interest but generally speaking the popular stories are those with a definite plot or series of plots affecting one character, without too much detail with Nature Stories the interest is greater if told from the insect or animal's point of view.

With Children the long introduction or description is not popular; they prefer to get at once to the story. The attention usually is more easily held in the told than in the read story, though such stories as Hiawatha and Dickens' Christmas Carol etc., are preferable read.

The experiment of telling a story for the purpose of instruction purely was tried when Dr. G. F. Clark told the story of Peter Peterkin, the boy who neglected his teeth. It was an admirable story delightfully told and held the attention throughout. The best comment on its efficacy is the fact that many little people sat with tightly closed lips until the story teller had left the room. Stories of this character would be valuable for introducing health subjects generally.

Other story tellers who contributed Mrs. A. B. Connell Miss Bessie Jones Mrs. T. F. Sprague Miss M. D. Clark Mrs. Carleton Miss Marion Rankin Mr. John Lindsay Mrs. Chas Jones Mrs. C. Comben Mrs. Gariand Foster

#### THE STORIES.

- Koots—the story of a little bear.
- Napoleon and the Young British Sailor (Campbell)
- Life History of a Cabbage Butterfly
- Little Black Sambo
- The Blue Rose
- King Midas or the Golden Touch
- Three Little Pigs
- Parting of Marmion and Douglas (Scott)
- Glooscap Legends of Micmacs
- The Princess and the Pea
- Aladdin's Wonderful Lamp
- Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves
- The Nightingale
- Thumbelina
- Three Bears
- Selections from Eugene Fields poems
- Wanpee or the Star Maidens
- Dick Whittington and his Cat
- The Promegranate Seeds
- St. Christopher
- The Brave Tin Soldier
- The Apple Blossom
- Jack the Giant Killer
- Patris' White Patch—the little boy who became an ant
- Peter Peterkin—the little boy who neglected his teeth
- Selections from Hiawatha
- The Princess Golden Hair—Russian folk tale
- How the Elephant got his Trunk
- Pandora's Box
- Robinson Crusoe
- Little Red Riding Hood
- Adventures of Ulysses
- Wesie—How Glooscap was conquered by the baby
- Jack and the Beanstalk
- Arachne and Athene or the Spider's Web
- Why the Sea is Salt
- How the Rabbit fooled the Elephant and the whale
- Br'er Rabbit and the Tar Baby
- Tom Thumb
- Father Domino (Seton Thompson)
- The Rabbits Adventure with the Otter and the Woodpecker Girls
- Selections from Hilleys Poems.

### Vegetable Gardening For Home Folks

The Dominion Department of Agriculture has just issued for free circulation, and which can be had on postage free application to the Publications Branch, Ottawa, a twelve-page circular, written by the Dominion Horticulturist, entitled "Vegetable Gardening at Home and on vacant Lots," and intended as a guide to cultivators of such lots. It tells how to prepare the soil and how to plan the garden, having regard to the location; suggests arrange-

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ment for a small garden, quotes examples of what was done with vacant lots last year; lists and describes the best varieties of vegetables, and pays special attention to the protection of the growing plants from insect pest and disease.

### Red Triangle Fund Campaign

Messrs. E. W. Mair, E. R. Teed, F. O. Creighton and G. E. Balmain, County Chairmen, have during the past week visited the up river parishes organizing for the drive to be made on May 7, 8 and 9.

The response they met with was all that could be asked for and strong committees were formed for the different parishes as follows:

Brighton—Coun. W. D. Keith, chairman; Rev. Stanley Helps, secretary; C. E. Baker, treasurer; and a large committee of helpers.

Peel—B. L. McIsaac, chairman; P. R. Semple, secretary; C. P. Furlong, treasurer; together with a large committee.

Aberdeen—Messrs. John McIntosh, Perry Fitzgerald, and Couns. Lamont and Jerrah form a committee to handle the whole matter and have guaranteed the allotment.

Kent—Coun. G. W. Perry, chairman; E. Watts Tompkins, secretary; Dr. Commins, treasurer; and an able committee consisting of C. F. Gallagher, Vince Giberson, Dudley Day, L. A. Noble, John Rogers and others.

Wicklow—Couns. Carey Estey and Rennie Tracey, assisted by Chas. Giberson, Rev. W. J. Hurlow, and a number of others.

Wilmot—G. E. Wilson, chairman; Chesley Stevens, secretary; W. M. Bruce, treasurer; and a large committee consisting of Couns. Carvell and Anderson and others.

Simonds—A committee consisting of A. D. McCain, T. A. McCain, A. R. Foster, Couns. Perry and Shaw, with Mr. Furlong, manager Bank of Nova

Scotia, Florenceville, as treasurer and others.

The organization of Wakefield, Richmond and Northampton will be completed within a day or two.

The cordial support of all the people, both in town and county, by generous contributions for our splendid boys overseas is asked for. It is up to all of us to do our duty in this way and do it now.

Owing to the illness of her sister, Miss Hester Hume, Mrs. Thomas Duncan arrived here from Boston on Monday. She was accompanied by her son-in-law Mr. Henry McKay.

Mumps have broken out among the boys of the 65th Battery at Woodstock and they are now under a quarantine for 21 days. Many Fredericton boys are in this unit and have telephoned their parents here of their predicament. —Gleaner.

## RELIABLE INSURANCE

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### Notice To Stallion Owners

Notice is hereby given to stallion owners that they must submit their stallions for inspection at the nearest inspection point named below:— The following are the inspection points and dates of inspection:—

#### CARLETON COUNTY—

WOODSTOCK	MAY 7	Gallagher's Stable
HARTLAND	" 8	Clark's Hotel
LAKEVILLE	" 9	Morse's "
CENTREVILLE	" 10	Burt's "
EAST FLORENCEVILLE	" 11	Hotel
BATH	" 13	Giberson's Hotel

#### VICTORIA COUNTY—

PERTH	" 14	Dionne's Hotel
GRAND FALLS	" 15	Curless "
PLASTER ROCK	" 16	Queen "

J. F. Tweeddale, Minister of Agriculture, FREDERICTON, N. B.