

LOCAL NEWS

At the Gaiety.

Today and Tuesday Mme. Petrova in "Playing with Fire," a Metro feature. It's a dandy.

Reported Seriously Ill.

R. L. Kaine, of McAdam Junction, is reported in the casualty list as seriously ill. He is with an infantry unit.

In Casualty List.

Lieut. Franklin S. Rankin, of Woodstock, serving with the Canadian Engineers in France, appears in the casualty list as wounded.

A Week-end Visit.

Mr. Frank McInnes, C. E., formerly of Boston, who is now located in St. John, spent Sunday in the city, the guest of Mr. D. Lee Babbitt. His many old friends were very glad to see him.

Flour Still Soaring.

Bread flour advanced today 20 cents a barrel and the retail price of Five Roses and similar brands is now \$9.70 per barrel. It is expected that the ten-dollar mark will soon be reached.

Have Joined Units.

Lieut. Ross Malcolm has received an appointment with the 242nd battalion, Montreal. Jack, Malcolm joins the Motor Transport Corps at Ottawa. They are sons of Thomas Malcolm of Campbellton.

To Play at St. Stephen.

The pipers of the 236th Highlanders are to play at the St. Stephen Fair this week. The Fredericton Brass Band also has been engaged to play at the fair.

Engagement Announced.

Mr. and Mrs. David H. Ryan, of Newcastle, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Miss Mabelle L. to John T. Hogan, of Brownville Junction, Me., formerly of Blackville. The wedding is to take place the third week of this month in St. John.

Is Now Recovering.

Private Addison Clark, of this city, who was taken seriously ill with appendicitis at Valcartier some days ago, is recovering. He will come home on leave as soon as his health will permit. He has transferred from the 140th Battalion to the Army Medical Corps, and will not go overseas for some time.

Successful Raid.

Policemen Sturgeon, Hughes, Murray and Pace raided the Victoria Hotel, Queen street, under a Canada Temperance Act warrant Saturday night. The search resulted in the seizure of three bottles of ale and gin. This is the second successful raid on the Victoria within a short time.

Linen Shower.

Mrs. John Kilburn gave a linen shower on Friday for Miss Merene Kilburn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hedley Kilburn, of Central Kingsclear. Miss Kilburn is to be married tomorrow at her home to Mr. Irving Young, of Brookway, York county, now resident engineer on the Valley Railway at Hampstead.

Apples for England.

Judging from present indications, Canadian apples will be in brisk demand in the British markets. Statistics recently prepared show that the British apple crop of 1916 is below that of 1915. The Canadian dealer will likely get a good price for his apples on the other side. The demand will undoubtedly be brisk.

Another "Convert."

A despatch from Bath to the St. John Standard announces that "Brother of R. L. Simms, Opposition candidate, 1915, leaves Grit ranks." It turns out that the alleged convert is Mr. J. R. H. Simms, barrister, of Bath. This is the same Mr. Simms who wanted to oppose Hon. Wendell P. Jones for the Legislature a few years ago, but failed to get his papers filed in time. He has been a Conservative all his life.

Kitchener Sunday.

Hundreds of people heard the open-air concert in Wilmot Park on Sunday afternoon. A special programme had been arranged to mark "Kitchener Sunday." There were appropriate selections by the Fredericton Brass Band and by a special chorus of fifty male voices. Lieut. Col. Guthrie made a short recruiting speech in which he referred to the late Lord Kitchener and what he had done for the British Empire and the Allied cause.

Awarded Gold Medal.

Rev. Dr. Roberts, the Canadian representative of Henry Eckford, the well known English seedsman, returned last week from Sherbrooke, P. Q., where he has been attending the fair. He had an exhibit of sweet peas grown on Government House grounds, this city, and was awarded a gold medal for the same. His exhibit was a splendid one, and attracted much attention. Rev. Dr. Roberts leaves this evening for Halifax to attend the Nova Scotia Exhibition.

To be Buried Here.

The remains of Howard Allen, who died at Hartford, Conn., on Friday, as the result of a fall, arrived here this morning. He was aged 39 years, survived by a widow and one son residing in Hartford. Relatives here are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Allen, two brothers, Messrs. Wesley and Benjamin Allen, and five sisters, Mrs. Henry Davenport, of Gibson; Mrs. David Campbell, of this city; Mrs. Joseph Bolster, of Gibson; Mrs. John O'Hara, and Mrs. William Gibson, of this city. The funeral will take place at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, from the residence of the parents of the deceased, Regent street.

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SHOW TENDENCY
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Shippers Paid \$2.35 per Barrel at Keswick on Saturday--Price Quoted Here Today is Two Dollars.

Local shippers today are quoting \$2 per barrel in the city for potatoes. On Saturday cars were loading at Mouth of Keswick at \$2.35 per barrel, which is a record price for this time of the year. This price is said to be due to keen competition among the buyers, and is not expected to be reached again for some time.

The potato crop in Ontario is said to be much below the average, and as a result there is a great demand from there. An average of six carloads per day came in over the St. John and Quebec Railway last week for shipment to Upper Canada. Five carloads arrived this morning.

Failure of the potato crop is reported from some districts of New Brunswick. In Carleton county it is reported to be rather below the average, but in the eastern part of York county many fields are reported to be better than last year.

Digging has not yet begun in the majority of districts. Some of those who are following the potato situation claim that prices will drop when the potato harvest really begins.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. F. W. Emms returned on Saturday evening from a week spent in St. John.

St. John Times: Frederick Bowlen, and Miss Kathryn Bowlen, of Fredericton, have returned home after visiting Miss Harrington, of Germain street.

ROLL OF HONOR

UNVEILED AT GEORGE
ST. BAPTIST CHURCH

Forty-Six Names of Adherents and Members Who are Serving King and Country--Unveiled by Sergt. Major Brewer

The roll of honor of the George St. Baptist Church was unveiled at the service yesterday morning. It contains the names of forty-six members and adherents of the church who have served in the Canadian forces during the present war.

The roll was prepared by Mr. Harry W. McPhee, and is a beautiful piece of work.

The unveiling was done by Sergt. Major H. T. Brewer, who has five sons in the service. Rev. J. B. Daggett made an appropriate address to mark the unveiling.

The roll of honor includes the following names:

Austin, Fred.
Anderson, Robert.
Bailey, Paul.
Brewer, J. H. LeRoy.
Brewer, Raymond L.
Brewer, William D.
Brewer, Ernest A.
Brewer, Cecil R.
Burden, Herbert.
Burden, Isaac A.
Clark, James.
Clark, Charles.
Curie, Harry F.
Dunphy, Roy.
Dickson, Bruce.
Ellick, J. C.
Foster, Judson.
Foster, Miles.
Fox, Guy.
Gregory, William.
Harris, Frederick.
Hunter, James D.
Hunter, Guy.

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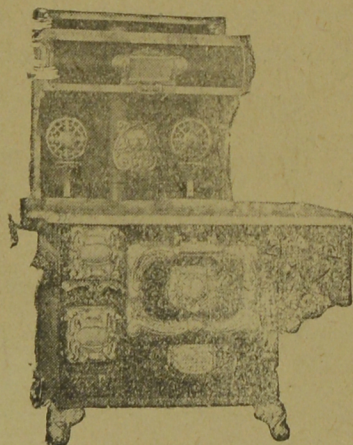
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