

LOCAL NEWS

Enlisted in Battery.

Paul B. Williams, of Fredericton, enlisted in St. John yesterday in the 9th Siege Battery.

Police Court.

An Indian was arrested on the St. Marys Reserve last night by Chief Solomon Brooks. He appeared in court this morning and was remanded.

Fiscal Year Closed.

The fiscal year of the Province closed today. The annual statement of receipts and expenditures must, according to law, be published in the Royal Gazette before the end of the year.

Customs Officer Dead.

Mr. Joseph J. Melanson, examining officer and appraiser in the customs office at Bathurst, died suddenly from heart trouble on Monday afternoon. He was fifty years of age and leaves a family of two sons and one daughter.

At the Gem.

Today a V. S. L. E. Blue Ribbon Vitagraph feature in four exciting reels, entitled "The Juggernaut," with Anita Stewart and Carle Williams. The colossus of modern railway dramas. It's a thriller.

At the Gaiety.

Today a Metro production, "Sealed Valley," with Dorothy Donnelly, a five reel filmization tale. It's a western. Also the Gaiety's Topical Review, latest war news. Concert orchestra as usual.

Engagement Announced.

Sackville Tribune: Capt. and Mrs. L. H. Lockhart, of Dorchester, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Myra Pearl Lockhart, to Dr. Louis Fuller, of Wellesley, Mass., the marriage to take place the latter part of November.

Bombing Officer.

Capt. Gordon McR. Johnston, of St. John, formerly of the 26th Battalion, and of late bombing officer of the 5th Canadian division, has been appointed bombing officer in charge of troops in New Brunswick. The official appointment was received at the office of the New Brunswick command Monday.

Civic Moose Hunters.

Campbellton Graphic: His Worship Mayor A. A. Andrew, Coun. C. A. Alexander and Town Clerk John T. Reid, spent ten days at the Royal Fishing and Hunting camp on Pokelogan Lake, and despite bad weather had a very successful hunt. They killed a moose and about forty partridges.

Woodstock's New Industry.

The Dominion Tanneries, Ltd., a branch of the Armour Company, Chicago, which recently purchased the large tannery of J. D. Dickinson & Co., at Woodstock, N. B., has started operations. At present only 30 men are employed. A large shipment of hides is expected shortly, which will be stored, and in the near future the plant will be worked to full capacity.

Once Resided Here.

The death occurred at his home in Amherst, N. S., on Sunday of Mr. David P. Kent, a well known citizen of that place. He was in his 60th year and had been in failing health for some time. The deceased for many years carried on business as a well-borer and was once a resident of Fredericton. He was a man of splendid physique, weighing about 350 pounds. Mr. Thos. R. Kent, mayor of St. George, N. B., is his son.

The Late Mrs. Elizabeth Delaney.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Elizabeth Delaney took place this morning. Very Rev. Dean Neales conducted the service at the residence of Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum, Waterloo Row, at nine o'clock. The remains were taken to Amherst, N. S., by C. P. R. Rev. H. E. Dibblee will conduct the funeral service at Christ Church, Amherst, at ten o'clock Wednesday morning. The deceased was the wife of the late James M. Delaney, at one time collector of customs at Amherst. Mr. W. C. Miller, of Halifax, is a nephew.

Fight With Wild Cat.

Mr. Thomas F. Allen, superintendent of the Tobique Salmon Club, and Mr. Andrew McAskill, one of his guides, recently had a thrilling experience with a wild cat, according to the Victoria County News. They espied the feline while canoeing down the Tobique, and Mr. Allen brought it to the ground with a rifle shot. When they started to pick up the game it came to life and sprang for Mr. McAskill's throat. Mr. Allen, however, was quick to act, and another shot from his rifle gave the animal its quietus. Mr. Allen says that wild cats of a savage type are very numerous on the Tobique this season and are destroying the deer.

For Sick Soldiers.

For the purpose of looking after the welfare and material comfort of the 236th Highlanders who may be sick or sent to hospital, and to provide reading matter, games, etc., for the recreation rooms in the three barracks in which the different units of the battalion are to be quartered, Lieut. Colonel P. A. Guthrie has appointed Capt. W. S. Godfrey, the chaplain, as chairman of a committee of ladies, wives of the married officers of the battalion. Associated with Capt. Godfrey will be Mrs. P. A. Guthrie, Mrs. C. G. Geggie, Mrs. E. Alban Sturdee, Mrs. J. D. Black and Mrs. Percy F. Godenrath. Reading matter and comforts for the sick will be collected and distributed and the committee will also provide literature, indoor games, etc., for the boys. Those having magazines, books, games, etc., that they would like to contribute, may leave the same at Capt. Godfrey's office in the Armouries.

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CORP. FRED WADE
REPORTED WOUNDED
BUT STILL ON DUTY

Penniac Man, One of Original Draft From 71st York Regt.--Sniper In Highland Battalion--Private Capewill Returns.

Corp. Fred Wade, of Penniac, appears in the casualty list today as wounded, but on duty. He is one of the original draft of the 71st York Regt., which left Fredericton in August, 1914. He was sergeant in the 12th Battalion while the latter was a reserve battalion. From it he was drafted into a killed battalion at the front and has been with it for upwards of a year. His skill as a marksman soon gave him an appointment as sniper and shortly afterward he was placed in charge of a number of snipers.

In civilian life Corp. Wade had a wide reputation as a hunter of big game. He also was well known as a hockey player. In the season of 1914 he played in the Nova Scotia League. Prior to that he was with the Marysville Crescents. He was a sergeant in A Company, 71st York Regt.

Private Alfred Capewill, of this city, who has been invalided home, arrived at Halifax on Saturday last with a large party of returned soldiers.

Successful Sportsmen.

Mr. J. H. Byers, of Philadelphia, Pa., and Mr. H. Davies, of Johnstown, Pa., are at the Barker House. They came out of the Miramichi woods today after having a successful hunting trip with Mr. Fred Russell as guide. They got one moose and one deer. Major C. W. Heinman, of Winchester, Mass., is at the Queen. He is going to the Miramichi for his second hunting trip.

CHILDREN'S AID SOCIETY TAKES CHARGE OF SOLDIER'S CHILDREN

Unfortunate Case Dealt With Yesterday--Society Met Last Evening And Dealt With Number of Matters.

A meeting of the executive committee of the Children's Aid Society was held in the Mayor's office last evening, at which a report from the agent, Miss Jean Cooper, was heard and other work of the society planned. In the absence of Chairman Spurden, Mr. G. N. C. Hawkins presided. Others present were Dr. W. C. Carter, Judge Limerick, R. W. McLellan, R. B. Wallace, Mrs. John Harvey, Mrs. A. C. M. Lawson, Miss Jean Cooper, Miss E. L. Thorne.

Report was made on the two children of a soldier, now under the care of the society. Five children of another soldier, who were without adequate protection and without the necessary clothing and food, were reported as having been taken in charge by the agent, who had provided temporary places of shelter for them.

The secretary was authorized to advertise for homes for several children of ages ranging from 17 months to 9 years, who are now in locations not considered suitable.

Plans were made for a campaign for members in order to increase the number of people having an active interest in the affairs of the Association.

The annual meeting of the Association will be held on Monday evening, Nov. 20th.

An Unfortunate Case.

Yesterday afternoon the police went to a residence at Forest Hill and took away five children, who have been

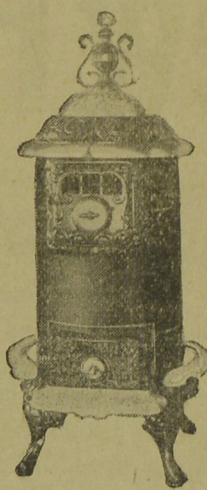
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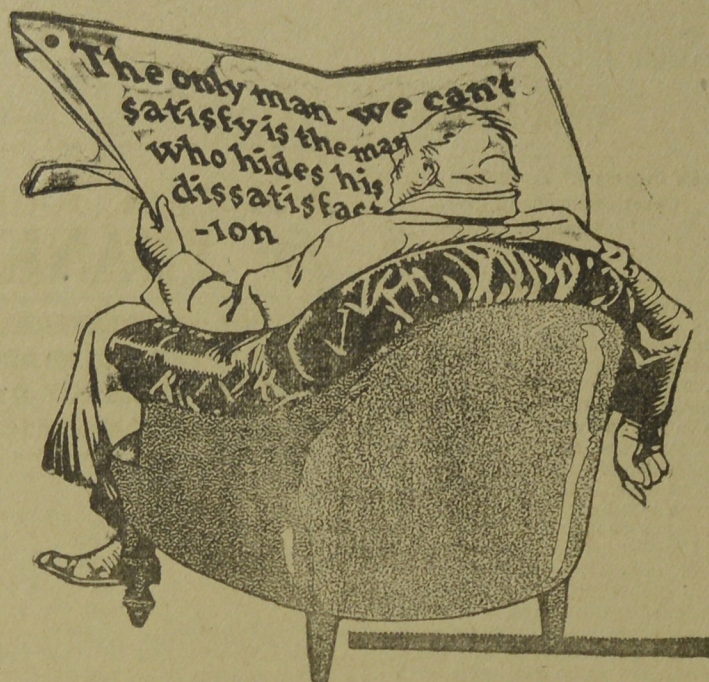
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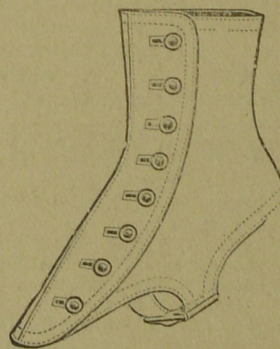
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