

## LOCAL NEWS

### Signs of Winter.

Many flocks of wild geese have passed over the city during the past week, heading south.

Down Puffs, Comfortables and Blankets at Edgcombe's.

### At the Gaiety.

Metro presents Mme. Petrova in The Vampire, five reels. Also one of the Gaiety's famous weeklies, showing latest war news. Concert orchestra.

### Bridal Reception.

Mrs. James E. Palmer will receive at her home, 326 Saunders street, on Thursday, November 9th, from four until six o'clock.

### K. of P. At Home.

Castle Hall, 474 Queen Street, will be formally opened Thursday night by the Fredericton Lodge, No. 6, which will be "at home." There will be an entertainment and informal dance.

### The Late Eliza Boone.

The funeral of the late Eliza Boone took place this afternoon from her late home in Margerville. Rev. Mr. Ainsworth conducted the service, and interment was made at Burton.

### Fire Fighting Apparatus.

Among recent apparatus purchased for the fire department is a Bresnan nozzle, costing \$15, and an axe-shield and an axe-handle holder costing \$1.50 each.

### At the Gem.

Today, a Lubin 6 reel picture, a V. L. S. B. feature, Dollars and the Woman, from the famous story, "Dollars and Cents," with Ethel Clayton and Tom Moore. A great picture from start to finish.

### Fees of City Solicitor.

The fees of Mr. R. B. Hanson as city solicitor were passed last night by the City Council to the amount of \$104. These were chiefly in connection with Canada Temperance Act cases, and covered a considerable period of time.

### Late Recruits.

The latest recruits enlisted at the Fredericton recruiting office are John Edwards, 22, Brooklyn, N. Y., for the 236th Highlanders, and Robert Com, 17, Newcastle, for the Army Medical Corps.

### Up to Date Farmer.

A well known Kingsclear farmer paid a visit to St. John a few days ago and returned by the evening train. Going to the telephone he called up his home and ordered the automobile to be sent for him. Fifty minutes after delivering the message he was at his home.

Lumbermen's Dry Goods, Blankets and Camp Spreads, at Edgcombe's.

### Given Stiff Sentence.

Private John Cook of the 236th Battalion, who was handed over to the military authorities by Police Magistrate Limerick after being arrested on the charge of drunkenness, has been sentenced by the military authorities to fifteen days' imprisonment with hard labor. He will put in the time at Partridge Island, St. John.

### Seriously Ill.

Miss Elizabeth Rainsford, an aged lady, is seriously ill at the home of her brother, Mr. William Rainsford, Kingsclear. Miss Rainsford is a daughter of the late Capt. Charles Rainsford, of the original 104th Battalion, and a cousin of Mr. H. B. Rainsford, of this city. She is 89 years of age.

### St. John High Won.

St. John High School won the N. B. Interscholastic football championship for 1916, and permanent possession of the silver loving cup by defeating Rothesay Collegiate School at St. John yesterday afternoon by the score of 5 to 0. Donnelly scored the only try and converted it himself.

### Hotel Men and C. T. A.

A St. John liquor firm was convicted in the police court this morning of a first offence against the Canada Temperance Act, and two local hotel men were convicted of second offences. A second offence case against another hotel, which is being defended, was adjourned until tomorrow. It is reported that as a result of Scott Act activity some of the hotels of the city may be closed. A meeting of hotel keepers at which this was discussed was held recently, according to rumor.

### Guy Fawkes Day.

Rev. Mr. McLeod, pastor of the Gibson Methodist Church, preached to a large congregation in the Fredericton Methodist Church Sunday night. The day was the anniversary of the discovery of the Gunpowder Plot, and the sermon was appropriate to the occasion. Members of the various Orange bodies and the P. A. P. B. attended the service. The pipe band of the 236th MacLean Highlanders furnished music.

### Stanley Cases Adjourned.

The cases arising from a disturbance at the dance held in connection with the Stanley Fair were adjourned yesterday afternoon until Monday next, Nov. 13th. In the case against Sandy Fraser the witnesses examined yesterday afternoon were the defendant, Jas. Thoburn, Matthew McGivney, Dennis Crotty, John Crotty and Ray Forbes. When the case is resumed on Monday Clarence C. Bouselle, whom the defendant is said to have knocked down, is to be a witness. William Murray, who is charged with creating a disturbance at the same dance, acknowledged the offence. The case against Elbridge Fraser is to come later.

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## JOHNSTON MEMORIAL ROOM TO BE ENDOWED AT VICTORIA HOSPITAL

Sir Henry and Lady Johnston of Edinburgh to Make Bequest--Other Gifts Offered to This Institution.

The monthly meeting of the Victoria Hospital Trustees was held yesterday with President VanDine in the chair.

The Treasurer's financial statement and the Superintendent's report were considered. Sixty patients received treatment in October and thirty-four were discharged. There were two deaths, and in the Dow wing eleven cases received treatment.

A letter was read from Dr. R. H. McGrath, secretary pro tem of the medical staff, informing the trustees that Dr. Holden was elected chairman of the staff for 1917, and Dr. McGrath, secretary pro tem during the absence of Dr. Weaver overseas. Dr. S. F. A. Wainwright was elected staff representative on the trustee board.

### Goes to Military Hospital.

Miss G. E. Bascombe, who has been assistant superintendent for the past six months, has resigned in order to take a position at the military hospital in this city. She came to Fredericton from the Southern States.

### To Endow Room.

Mr. Hawkins submitted a letter from Mr. A. R. Slipp, M. P. P., who is the representative of Sir Henry Johnston, of 33 Moray Place, Edinburgh. Sir Henry is desirous of doing something to further the interests of Victoria Public Hospital, and he has intimated to Mr. Slipp his wish to equip and furnish a room in the hospital in memory of his son, who lived for a time in

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## GR. WM. McCORMICK OF THIS CITY IS REPORTED WOUNDED

Left Fredericton With 23rd Field Battery in 1915--Private Roy Horncastle With the 2nd Battalion in France.

Word has been received here of the wounding of Gunner William McCormick, of this city. The telegram states that he was admitted to hospital on October 28th. Gunner McCormick is a son of Mr. W. J. McCormick, of this city, and prior to enlisting was an employee of J. S. Neill & Sons, Ltd. He also was a member of the 71st York Regt. In the autumn of 1914 he enlisted in Fredericton in the 23rd Field Battery and went overseas with it in the following February. He had not been previously wounded.

### Private Roy Horncastle.

Private J. Roy Horncastle has sent service cards to friends in this city stating that he was well and would write soon. A few weeks ago there was a report current that he had been killed in action, letters from other soldiers at the front containing that information. Private Horncastle's card is dated October 19th, and effectually disposes of all stories of his death. He enlisted in the west, but transferred to the 12th Battalion at Valcartier as a bandsman. Like the majority of the Fredericton men in the 12th Battalion band, he transferred to the ranks and went to France. He is now with the machine gun section, No. 2 Company, 2nd Battalion.

St. John Times: Miss Edith Smith, of Fredericton, who has been the guest of Miss B. Hatfield, Broad street, returned home Friday evening.

## Mantel Clocks

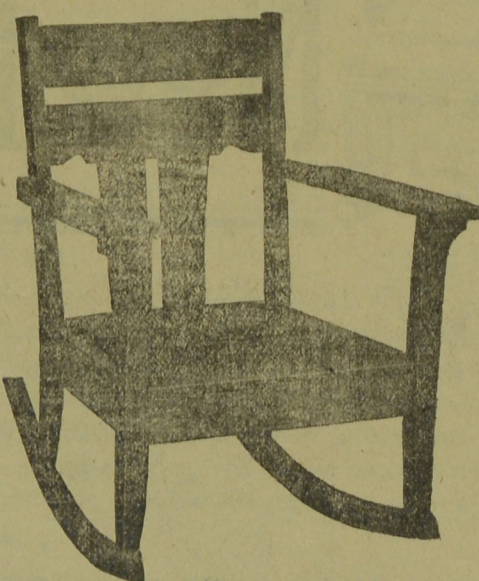
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