

## LOCAL NEWS

## GOING TO WOODSTOCK.

The Rossley Musical Comedy Company, which was here last week, returned from Newcastle today, leaving again this afternoon for Woodstock.

## WERE ON MARCH.

The fifes and drums of the 140th Battalion, marched out this morning with O Company of that battalion. Excellent marching music was furnished by the band.

## BAD BREAK IN WATER MAIN.

A bad break has been discovered in the water main at the corner of George and Westmorland streets. As a result of the break the High School has been without water today.

## COURSE IN PHARMACY.

Mr. Walter McKiehl employed at the drug store of Mr. A. W. Coombes, St. Mary's, left last night for Halifax, where he will take a short course at the School of Pharmacy, Dalhousie University.

## OFFICE MEN WANTED.

The 132nd Battalion wishes to enlist typists, stenographers and clerks for its office staff. Applicants will be enlisted at the local recruiting office.

## ST. GEORGE'S DAY.

St. George's Day was observed on Tuesday night by the members of Islington Lodge, Sons of England. An enjoyable program of songs, musical selections and speeches was followed.

## THE RIVER SERVICE.

Mr. F. W. Hatheway, agent for the Crystal Stream Steamship Company, received word this morning that the steamer D. J. Purdy would not arrive on her first trip to this city until Monday.

## COL. DAIGLE HONORED.

Lieut. Col. Daigle, commanding the 165th Battalion, was the guest of honor of the Moncton branch of Succursale La Tour, No. 44, on Tuesday evening. He was presented with a purse of gold, a wrist watch and an address.

## MARGUERITE CLARK AT GAIETY

Dainty and diminutive Marguerite Clark made a delightful impression upon the large audience at the Gaiety Theatre last evening in "Still Waters," a famous Player production in six reels. The same wonderful program will be shown for the last time today.

## GOVERNMENT BY CAUCUS.

The government supporters in the Legislature, or such of them who have no great regard for their self-respect, held a caucus last night, which lasted until a late hour. The prohibition bill, Hon. John Morrissey, Harry M. Blair, J. Malakoff Chappell and other subjects were discussed.

## APPOINTED AS CLERK.

Lance Corp. Ernest Fenety, late of the 10th Battalion, has been appointed temporarily to the clerkship in the Provincial Education Department made vacant by the enlistment of Mr. G. E. Merrithew, now company quartermaster in O Company, 140th Battalion. It is probable that the appointment will be made permanent.

## OFFICERS APPOINTED.

The officers of No. 7 Overseas Siege Battery, being raised at St. John's, are announced as follows:—Officer commanding, Major L. T. Allan; second in command, Capt. S. E. M. Roscown; staff, Lieut. H. A. West, Lieut. G. FitzRandolph, Lieut. H. McDonald and Lieut. L. D. McLaren, Capt. Roscown and Lieut. FitzRandolph formerly resided in Fredericton.

## DAYLIGHT SAVING.

The City Council will meet this evening and will consider the daylight saving bill, among other matters. The daylight saving plan will not work out satisfactorily unless it is generally adopted. As some opposition has developed to it here, the city council should hesitate before taking any action. St. John has adopted the scheme and perhaps it will be as well for the authorities here to wait a year and see how it works out there. Some years ago, when the city council adopted a change of time, a big rumour was kicked up. At the following civic election the aldermen who made this notion to turn back the hands of the clock, was defeated.

## KHAKI WEDDING.

A khaki wedding took place at the Brunswick Street Baptist Parsonage yesterday afternoon at four o'clock, when Private Harold L. Bunker (of O Company, 140th Battalion, was married to Miss Lillian B. Wood, formerly of Stanley. A large number of relatives and friends gathered at the Parsonage to witness the nuptials, and to wish the young couple entering upon the union of matrimony every blessing and prosperity. The bride was very daintily attired in a travelling costume. The groom's home is at Waas. The happy couple left on the evening train for a brief honeymoon.

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RESIGNS FROM STAFF  
OF HIGH SCHOOL

Expected That He Will Join the Overseas Forces—Question of Truants Receives Attention From School Board.

The regular monthly meeting of the School Board was held yesterday, with Dr. VanWart presiding. The other members in attendance included Mrs. Clark, Mrs. Cox, Mr. Weddall, Mr. Lemont and Mr. Shute.

A lot of correspondence had accumulated during the month and this was fairly well disposed of. Mr. Hedley V. Colpitts, for the past year science teacher in the High School, has tendered his resignation to take effect at the close of the year. It is hinted that he has his eye on "somewhere in France."

A scarcity of teachers is anticipated, owing to the numbers leaving for the front. However, several applications are on file in the Fredericton office from persons willing to undertake responsible positions along educational lines.

The secretary was instructed to solicit tenders for the required quantity of coal for the different schools. To keep the fourteen hundred little students in comfortable condition it will require nearly two hundred tons of coal.

## Truant Question.

Dissatisfaction was expressed over the numbers of truants, or children of school age, who are seen about the streets every day. The secretary will interview the truant officer or teachers with the view of compelling children to accept the splendid education awaiting their need for future satisfactory equipment. In some towns the teacher is required to get into touch with the parents of absent

PROVINCIAL CHAPTER  
DAUGHTERS OF EMPIRE  
IN ANNUAL SESSION

Sixteenth Convention Opened This Morning—Upwards of 35,000 Raised During Past Year—Reception This Afternoon.

The sixteenth annual convention of the Provincial Chapter, Imperial Order of Daughters of the Empire, opened this morning in the City Council Chamber. There was a large attendance of delegates. After the registration of delegates and the usual opening proceedings, reports were presented. That of the secretary, Mrs. W. J. Scott of this city, was lengthy and detailed. The Provincial Chapter includes fifteen primary chapters in various parts of New Brunswick, with 693 members. During the past year the order of this province raised the sum of \$38,365.41 for patriotic purposes.

## Letter of Thanks.

During the year twenty cases of comforts has been forwarded by the Order to the Canadian Field Comforts Commission in England. The following letter from Miss Mary Plummer expresses her thanks:

Moore Barracks,  
Shorncliffe, April 15.  
To Mrs. G. Clowes VanWart,  
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Dear Mrs. VanWart:—The whole shipment of twenty cases has arrived quite safely and we can't thank you enough for them. The people of

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pupils. The whole question is under advisement.

Before the meeting was adjourned, payment of the teachers salaries and a number of accounts were ordered to be paid.

## Daylight Saving

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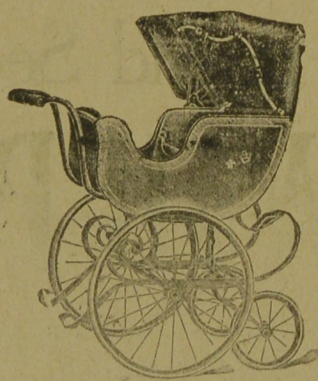
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