

## LOCAL NEWS

## At the Gem.

A great Vitaphone feature, "Thou Art the Man." A Blue Ribbon picture.

## Ill With Diphtheria.

Capt. Jago, of the 6th Military District staff, is ill with diphtheria at the Victoria Hospital.

## At the Gaiety.

Today a Metro feature, "The Dawn of Love," with Mabel Taliaferro. Extra, Gaiety Topical Review, Our Allies on Land and Sea.

## Police Court.

One drunk arrested on Sunday obtained his liberty by depositing \$8. He forfeited the deposit by non-appearance in the police court this afternoon.

## Recent Arrival.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick R. Clayden, of Trenton, are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl on Saturday. Mrs. Clayden was formerly Miss Pauline Miles, of St. Marys.

## Welcome News.

Bread flour declined in price today twenty cents a barrel, making the retail price for best brands \$11.30 per barrel. This is the first drop in flour for over a month.

## Sailors' Relief Fund.

The local British Sailors' Relief Fund will be kept open at the Bank of Nova Scotia until December 15th. It is expected that \$2,500 will be realized. Some \$1,500 has been collected already.

## The Recruiting Campaign.

Brig. General McLean has left Winnipeg for Toronto, where he will continue work in connection with a recruiting campaign for the N. B. Militias.

## Late Mrs. Annie Doherty.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Annie Doherty took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. Solemn service was conducted at two o'clock at St. Dunstan's Church by Rev. Father Carney. Interment was made at the Hermitage.

## Late Dennis E. Murphy.

Dennis E. Murphy, well known in Fredericton, passed away yesterday at his home, King street, aged fifty-eight years. He had been ill for some time. Two brothers, Michael, of Fredericton, and John, of Pennsylvania, survive. He had been living in recent years at Bear Island, where he had bought the farm formerly owned by Mr. John Sinnott. The funeral took place this afternoon with service at St. Dunstan's Church by Rev. Father Carney. Interment was made at the Hermitage.

## Ready in January.

The new C. P. R. shops at McAdam will be completed and ready for use early in January next. The stores building, blacksmith shop and coaling plant are finished except for minor fittings, and the power house is so far advanced in construction that the roof is being laid. Installation of boilers, machinery and fittings in the power house will begin next week. When the McAdam repair plant is completed, the C. P. R. will have an up-to-date plant of high efficiency.

## Scott Act Raid.

Another Scott Act raid took place on Saturday afternoon. All members of the force except Chief Finley took part. Long's Hotel was the object of the raid. Two bottles of whiskey were seized. They were taken from the pockets of an employee of the hotel. One bottle was full, the other partly full. The police state that liquor was being sold from the bottles. Scott Act activity continues. A case will be before the police court tomorrow and another on Thursday.

DRAFT FROM 140TH  
BATTALION MADE RECORD

In Trenches Twenty-Nine Days Cut  
From Canada--Lt. R. B.  
McFarlane Writes.

Miss Allie McFarlane this morning received a letter from her brother, Lieut. R. Bruce McFarlane, of this city, who left Canada with the 140th Battalion. The letter states that Lieut. McFarlane, with Lieut. Allan W. G. Good, of Fredericton, and Lieut. William McGinley, of St. John, were occupying the same dugout on the Canadian front in France. The dugout was thirty feet underground. The officers and men from the 140th Battalion who were drafted to France made a record getting into the trenches, as only 29 days elapsed from the day of sailing from Canada until they were on the firing line.

Lieut. McFarlane's letter states that the officers and men of the 140th in his draft had been through one small scrap--fortunately without casualties.

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DISCOVERY IN THE  
PARISH OF STANLEY

W. H. Griffin of Cross Creek Makes Important Find of Silver and Lead Bearing Quartz--Capitalists Interested in Property

What are believed to be valuable deposits of silver and lead have been discovered at Winding Hill, near the Southwest Miramichi River, in the Parish of Stanley, and steps are now being taken to develop the property. The find was made by Mr. William H. Griffin, the well known guide, of Cross Creek. Samples of the ore have been taken out and experts who have examined them are much enthused over the outlook.

Winding Hill is a large hardwood ridge located about midway between Taxis river and the Southwest Miramichi. Mr. Griffin has a sporting camp located near by and discovered the ore while on a hunting trip.

Mr. Patriquin, who was formerly connected with the antimony mines at Lake George, has been at Winding Hill for some days, making a search under a license issued by the provincial government.

It now transpires that the visit of Mr. N. A. Timmins, the Montreal mining magnate, to New Brunswick last week was in connection with the find at Winding Hill. Mr. Timmins visited the locality and saw samples of the ore. He was greatly pleased with it and promised to assist in the work of development.

Several local capitalists have already become interested in the property, and are determined to have a thorough investigation made. They are

TWO SNOW-PLOUGHS  
AND ONE "SCARIFIER"  
BOUGHT FOR CITY

Ald. McLellan and City Engineer McKnight Get Some Pointers in Ottawa And Montreal--Permanent Pavement Considered

Ald. R. W. McLellan, chairman of the Roads and Streets Committee of the City Council, and City Engineer Geo. McKnight, returned on Saturday after a week's visit to Montreal and Ottawa. The direct result of their visit has been the purchase of two new snow-plows and a "scarifier." These pieces of apparatus are to arrive by Saturday next. Both Ald. McLellan and the City Engineer were much interested in what they saw in the city departments of Montreal and Ottawa, and believe that they have secured information which will be of value to Fredericton.

## The New Apparatus.

The snow plows which have been purchased will cut a path from five to nine feet in width, being able to cut a wider path than the plows which have been in use here for some years past. They are equipped with knives at the front which enable them to cut into hard snow, and a special shaped runner on the inside prevents the plough from being thrown out of its course by hard snow. Two horses are required to draw the plow. This plow was devised by the Ottawa street department and is manufactured in that city. The cost of manufacture is \$48, and the plow can be delivered in Fredericton for about \$60. It is claimed to

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confident that both silver and lead exist at Winding Hill in paying quantities.

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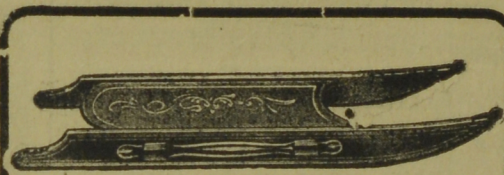
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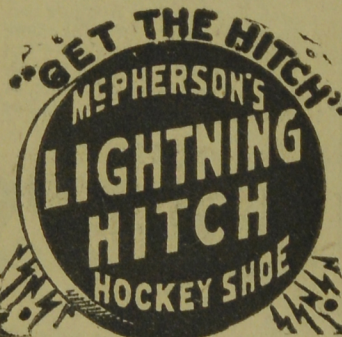
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