

LOCAL NEWS

Going Some.

Mr. William Walker, who lately returned from a trip to the Miramichi woods, plans leaving next week for the Southern States to spend the winter.

Going to Ottawa.

Mr. J. Bacon Dickson, who was lately appointed private secretary to the Lieutenant Governor, will accompany His Honor to Ottawa this evening to attend the opening of Parliament.

Antimony Goes Up.

Antimony metal has advanced to forty-five cents a pound. This metal is now being mined in large quantities at Lake George, York county.

Returning Home.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Davidson and children, who have been visiting relatives here, leave on Tuesday evening for home, in Didsbury, Alta. Mr. Davidson is manager of the branch of the Royal Bank at that place.

Social Event.

Mrs. G. E. Coulthard entertained at luncheon on Saturday in honor of Miss Mabel Sterling. Mrs. W. C. Crockett entertained at bridge on Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. D. C. Davidson, of Didsbury, Alta. Mrs. A. J. Thompson was the prize winner.

Pulpit Exchanges.

The usual exchange of pulpits among the evangelical churches of the city, concluding the week of prayer, took place yesterday. Large congregations attended the services.

Winter Headdress.

Members of the 36th Field Battery have made their appearance in fur caps, the regulation winter headdress of Canadian troops. The caps, however, were not furnished with the scarlet busby-bags, which are the distinctive artillery badge.

Rifles for the 104th.

Three cases of rifles arrived this morning for C company of the 104th Battalion, which is quartered in this city. Lieut. A. H. Tweedie of C company is to leave Saturday for Halifax, where he will take a course in the Royal School of Infantry to qualify for the rank of captain.

Condition Critical.

The condition of Mr. Frank G. Edwards is reported today to be critical and he is not expected to live through the night. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Edwards, are here. His sister, Mrs. Dawes Gilmour, who has been at Spirit Lake with her husband, Lieut. Gilmour, has been summoned to his bedside.

The Best Month.

The discount period on electric light bills expires today and there has been a big rush at the office of the secretary, Mr. L. S. Morrison. December is easily the heaviest month of the year for the Gaslight Company. The short days make it necessary to consume more current, and stores being open during Christmas week also makes a substantial difference.

Being Stamped Out.

The diphtheritic germ has had a very busy season during the last few months. From every section, however, success is reported in combating the disease. News from Benton and vicinity is to the effect that it has been thoroughly stamped out. As the dread disease was of the worst type, credit is reflected upon the very competent manner in which it was dealt with.

A Good Report.

"I want to compliment you," said a resident of St. Marys to the Mail this morning, "on your splendid report of the recent meeting of the York County Council. You gave a detailed account of the proceedings, and embellished it with pictures of the most active spirits at the board. It was the most interesting report of a York County Council meeting ever published. Let me congratulate the Mail on its enterprise."

Wedding at St. John.

The marriage of Lieut. Paul Emil Mathias Rosenorn, of Copenhagen, Denmark, and Miss Johanne Ernestine Augusta Carstens, also of that city, occurred on Saturday at the residence of Rev. J. A. McKeigan, pastor of St. David's church, St. John. Rev. M. Mackeigan officiated. The groom was attended by Adj. Wetmore. Lieut. Rosenorn is attached to the new siege battery at Partridge Island and has been in this country several years. His bride came from Montreal on the day of the wedding. Lieut. Rosenorn is well known in Fredericton. He was chief engineer of the Fredericton & Grand Lake Railway for some time.

May Not Curl This Year.

The St. John Globe says: "It is rumored in local curling circles that two of the best curlers in the game, Messrs. John S. and Douglas Malcolm, may not be seen on the ice this winter. They have, it is reported, withdrawn from the Thistle Club, with which they have been identified for many years, and so far as known have not sought admission to either the St. Andrews or Carleton clubs. Both are keen curlers. Mr. J. S. Malcolm has a better record in games won than probably any other Maritime Province skip, due very largely to his individual skill and to his tremendous energy. When asked today whether or not he intended to curl this winter, Mr. Malcolm declined to make any statement."

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GOOD BEGINNING
MADE IN RECRUITING
FOR PRESENT WEEK

Six Men Sworn in This Morning--J. T. Hanning to Join Royal Flying Corps--Fourteen Enlisted Here Last Week.

The present week has begun well as far as recruiting is concerned. Six men were sworn in this morning at the local recruiting office. Four were for the 15th Battalion, one for the 104th Battalion and one for the Royal Flying Corps. The latter is Mr. J. Talmage Hanning of this city, who expects to leave shortly for England to join the Royal Flying Corps there. The men enrolled since noon Saturday are:

Lawney O'Brien, 18, Waasis.
J. E. Kearman, St. Mary's.
William McDonald, 22, Pinder.
Fraser Nearney, 19, Pinder.
Walter Brooks, 24, Hartfield.
James Brebner, 44, Cabano, P.Q.
The last four named are for the 15th Battalion and the others for the 104th. Private Brebner has been in the employ of Fraser Limited for a number of years.

Four recruits were forwarded to Sussex this morning to join the headquarters of the 104th Battalion.

LOCAL MEN JOIN BATTERY.

Two local men were enlisted last week in the 36th Field Battery. They are Ralph McKenzie, son of Mr. Johnston McKenzie, who resigned his position at Riverside, Albert county, where he was teaching school in order to enlist, and Walter F. Blair, who had a position with the C.P.R. Major P. A. Guthrie, who, with Capt. L. P. D. Tilley, conducted a recruiting campaign in Madawaska and Victoria counties last week, left

T. B. KIDNER WILL
TAKE PART IN DISABLED
SOLDIERS' REEDUCATION

Notified to Proceed From Calgary to Ottawa--Former Director of Manual Training For Province Of New Brunswick.

Word has been received here that Mr. T. B. Kidner of Calgary, has been instructed to report at Ottawa to take charge of the Technical Training Department in the scheme for the re-education of disabled soldiers. Mr. Kidner's instructions were to the effect that he was to secure an indefinite leave of absence from his present position.

Mr. Kidner for several years past, has been director of manual training in the public schools of Calgary. Previous to taking that position he was director of manual training for the Province of New Brunswick and instructor in that branch at the Provincial Normal School. He has numerous friends in New Brunswick who will be pleased to learn that his ability has been recognized so signally in the matter of his appointment at Ottawa.

It is understood that the schools for the re-education of soldiers disabled in the war in Europe, will be established in the dominion capital.

"WEE NEILLY" TO BE HELD.

The "Wee Neilly" or annual match between the young and old curlers in the Fredericton Curling Club probably will take place Thursday. Tonight there will be a meeting to settle the question.

for Charlotte county this morning. The campaign in Victoria and Madawaska resulted in fifty-six recruits coming in. Next week a campaign is to be conducted in this county.

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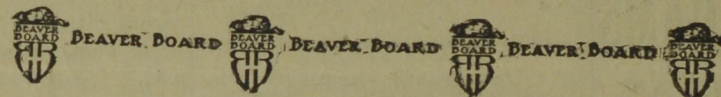
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