

PLENTY OF ACTIVITIES IN POLICE CIRCLES

**Woodstock Woman is
Charged With Having
Contraband Liquor in
Possession — Indian
Accused of Murder,
Remanded Until 24th.**

The offices of the Provincial Police on York Street buzzed this morning with reports from all over the province. Mrs. Roy Crouse, of Woodstock, whose car, heavily laden with illicit liquor was seized by Constable Tozer, some days ago, was brought before Magistrate Aughterton yesterday and charged with having contraband liquor in her possession, lawyer for the prosecution established the ownership of the car and the fact that it was carrying illegal liquor. The case was remanded until the 17th.

Frank Lolar, accused of having slain another Indian in a drunken brawl, was remanded, when brought up yesterday, at Perth, until the 24th, owing to lack of complete evidence.

From Andover came the report that Steve Lennon, of Fort Fairfield, accused of having stolen \$20. from a Grand Falls merchant, on July 5th., and arrested by Provincial Constable Ayer, was this morning sentenced to two years, suspended sentence under a \$500 bond. Lennon's case was not intended to be aired, until the Fall session of the Court, but he elected a speedy trial.

CITY AFFAIRS

Government Meeting

A meeting of the provincial government will be held in this city on Thursday evening of this week.

Golfers at St. John

The ladies team of the Fredericton Golf Club are playing a return match with the ladies of the Riverside Club at St. John today.

Here from Portland

Master Gerrard Shea of Portland, Me, is spending his summer holidays with his aunt Mrs. Eben Staples, George St.

Returned from Toronto

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Levine, who were called to St. John by the serious illness of Mrs. Levine's sister, returned today.

Bananas Drop

Bananas in some local groceries have recently dropped in price from fifteen to ten cents per pound. Perhaps the time will come soon when they will again be sold by the dozen.

Returned from Toronto

Mr. H. A. Watson, of this city returned recently from Toronto where he had undergone treatment for sciatic rheumatism. His sister, Miss Rebecca Watson, accompanied him home.

Underwent Operation

Mrs. E. C. P. Salt, wife of Commissioner Salt of the Provincial Police who underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Fraser Memorial Hospital yesterday is resting comfortably today.

Back from West

R. T. Baird, who sold out his business here last fall and went to Vancouver with the idea of locating there returned to Fredericton on Saturday. Mr. Baird says to make a success of lumbering on the Pacific Coast you must go at it in a big way and it needs a large amount of capital to do it.

Is Recovering

Miss Dorothy Niles, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Niles, Devon who received injuries to her legs when struck by a car on the Fredericton-Devon highway bridge some time ago, and who has since been confined to her home, is progressing quite favorably and will soon be able to be out again.

NEW STANDARD OF MARKING CUTS PUPILS IN FIRST DIVISION

**Only Nineteen Qualified For First Division in
High School Entrance, Results Made Known
This Morning From Office of Board of School
Trustees—Last Year Forty-Five Passed in
First Division.**

Only nineteen pupils passed in the first division in the High School Entrance examinations, the results of which were handed out this morning from the office of the Fredericton Board of School Trustees. This decline in the number of those passing in the first division is due to the stricter barriers which have been placed on this division, a mark of 75 per cent being set as the pass mark into Division I.

Last year the number who passed in first division was 45 and in 1927, it was even higher, 64 having successfully passed in Division I. The new standard of marking, sets the minimum percentage as 75 in first division; 60 per cent in second division and 50 in third division, with no condition pupils. The effects of this new standard in the first year of its use indicates that the School Trustees are putting greater stress on more intensive study by the pupils. It is yet

to be seen whether it works out for the best or otherwise.

Last year 46 pupils passed 2nd division, while this year with the new standard marking, 81 were included in the second division, 57 wrote third division papers this year, while correspondingly last year there were 66 in the third division.

The Lieutenant Governor's medal will be given to the leader in each county. The papers of the leader in each will have his papers examined by a Provincial Board of Examiners to decide the provincial leader in the examinations. Following is the list of those who qualified for high school entrance with their division in the county of York:

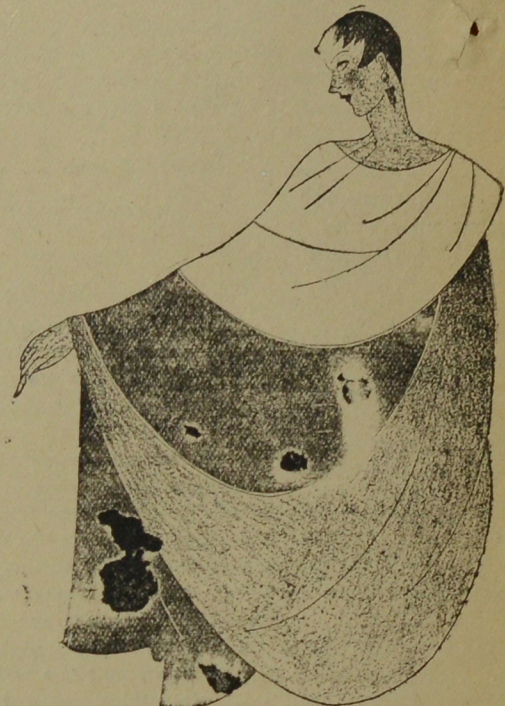
DIVISION I

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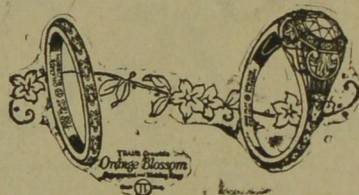
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