

## LOCAL NEWS

**At Bebbington's.**  
An abundance of nice roses, carnations, tulips, etc., today to sell, also plants for the garden at J. Bebbington & Son's.

**Drop in Flour.**  
Bread flour declined in price yesterday 50 cents a barrel, the retail price of the best brands being now \$14.10 a barrel.

**In Forestry Battalion.**  
Two recruits were signed on here yesterday for the forestry battalion. They are Clayton T. Garhart, 24, Liverpool, N. S.; James F. Myhrall, 31, Fredericton.

**Col. Bridges' Appointment.**  
A London despatch says: Col. J. W. Bridges of the Medicals (formerly of Fredericton) has been appointed Assistant Director of Medical Service, replacing Col. G. S. Rennie.

**At the Gaiety Today.**  
Marguerite Clark is being featured at the popular Gaiety theatre today in Mark Twain's famous story "The Prince and the Pauper," produced by the Famous Players Film Company.

**At the Gem Today.**  
The Secret Kingdom, nine episode, "The Swamp Adder," two parts, "A Universal Comedy, A Joy Ride, entitled "At the End of a Perfect Day," "Under the Bed," another good comedy. The Tornado 101 Bison feature.

**Baby Daughter.**  
Lieut. and Mrs. A. S. Machum of St. John, on the arrival of a baby daughter at their home in St. John yesterday morning. Lieut. Machum is in England with the 104th Battalion. Mrs. Machum was formerly Miss Walker of this city.

**Two Still Alarms.**  
The fire department responded to two still alarms this afternoon. One was for a fire at the residence of Mrs. H. G. C. Ketchum, Waterloo Row, and the other for a fire at the residence of Miss Lehr, Charlotte street. There was little damage in either case. The motor truck made a quick response.

**Bullet Broke Window.**  
A stray bullet smashed a window in a car of the express for Newcastle last night as it was nearing the Marysville station. The missile passed close to Sheriff J. B. Hawthorn. It is supposed that someone was very careless with a revolver. The train was near the first crossing in Marysville.

**Preparing for Entertainment.**  
The 236th Highlanders are energetically preparing for Monday next when they will give entertainments at the Exhibition Barracks, the Officers Square and Queen Street Barracks. Headed by the bugle band a large fatigue party marched out both morning and afternoon today to obtain young evergreen trees for decorative purposes.

**A Great Success.**  
The White Elephant sale being carried on at the Edgecombe store by the Sir Howard Douglas chapter of the I. O. D. E., is turning out very successfully. So far the sum of \$235 has been realized. The members of the chapter have been most energetic in carrying on the sale and have reason to be proud of their work.

**P. Z. Caverhill Resigns.**  
Mr. Peter Z. Caverhill, head forester, who has been in charge of crown land classification has resigned to the minister of lands and mines. In doing so Mr. Caverhill expressed his keen regret at severing his connection his connection with the department and gave as his reason the fact that the New Brunswick climate was unfavorable to the health of his wife.

**Children's Home Opened.**  
The Children's Home conducted by the Children's Aid Society of Fredericton is being opened today. Seven or eight children already in the charge of the society are being placed in the home today. Mrs. Thomas Troop is to be the matron in charge. The building is the old Aberdeen Mill hotel in Woodstock Road and was placed at the disposal of the society by Fraser Limited, the owners.

**Pleasant Event.**  
Mrs. T. C. Allen was the hostess at a very enjoyable tea from four to six o'clock yesterday afternoon in honor of the wives of the members of the government and legislature. She was assisted in receiving by her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Allen, while Mrs. Charles Holden and Mrs. George Taylor presided at the tables. Others who assisted were Mrs. J. Alex. Thompson, Mrs. C. P. Holden and Misses Kathleen Holden and Grace Winslow.

**Orders Cancelled.**  
Orders have been received at the office of the New Brunswick command to the effect that none of the forestry units in the Maritime Provinces will go under canvas this summer. Just recently orders were that the forestry units were to proceed to Aldershot camp, but these have been cancelled for some unknown reason. It is likely that the forestry units will proceed to England instead. The training of a unit of this kind amounts to little, as practically all the members are well up in lumbering.

**The Closing Chapter.**  
A few years ago, it will be remembered, the announcement was made with a great flourish that the Provincial Government had disposed of a large tract of land near McGivney Junction to the Federal authorities, and that a large military camp was to be established there. It seems that the necessary legislation to turn over the property was enacted by the old Government at that time. Nothing further was heard of the matter until yesterday when Hon. Dr. Smith introduced a bill into the House to repeal the former act. It seems that the Federal Government does not want the property and the Government is taking the necessary steps to recover it.

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## MARYSVILLE GENERAL STORE CLOSED TODAY

One of Institutions of Town—  
Nashwaak Pulp & Paper  
Company Changes  
Policy.

The Marysville General Store closed yesterday in pursuance of a notice given by the Nashwaak Pulp & Paper Co. This establishment was started by the late Alex. Gibson about thirty-five years ago and since that time has been one of the institutions of Marysville. Upon the Alex. Gibson Company being formed the store was taken over by it and continued. The Partington Pulp & Paper Co. did the same upon acquiring the property of the Gibson Co. The Nashwaak Pulp & Paper Co. which purchased the Partington Co.'s interests decided to do away with the store. Mr. E. B. Staples and Mr. H. P. Lint have been connected with the store under all regimes. What their future course of action will be is not known.

The Nashwaak Pulp & Paper Co. also has sold the tenement houses on the east bank of the Nashwaak to the Canadian Cottons Ltd. It is reported that the store also is to be taken over by that company and will be reopened by that company.

### Police Court.

One soldier who was arrested for drunkenness last night was up for trial this morning and remanded until 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

### Arrived Home.

Sergt. Major H. T. Brewer arrived home from Montreal this morning. While in Montreal Sergt. Major Brewer had a slight operation performed on his throat by Dr. Craig at the Montreal General Hospital. The operation was successful and he is already feeling better.

## ENGINEER AND CHAIRMAN WALK OVER RAILWAY

Dissatisfaction Expressed by  
People on Gagetown-West-  
field Section of the Val-  
ley Railway.

Mr. C. O. Foss, chief engineer of the St. John & Quebec Railway returned last night from an inspection of the Gagetown-Westfield section of the railway. He was accompanied on his inspection by Hon. W. P. Jones, chairman of the commission. The entire distance was covered by engineer and chairman on foot and a thorough inspection made. It was discovered that there were many complaints and much dissatisfaction on the part of the people through whose land the line runs. Much of the dissatisfaction resulted from promises made verbally but not fulfilled. Compensation also was the cause of much of the dissatisfaction.

### To Go to Florida.

Mr. Ross Thompson of this city, who was formerly chief engineer of the St. John & Quebec Railway, has severed his connection with the railway. It is reported that Mr. Thompson will follow his profession in Florida, where Mr. A. R. Gould of Presque Isle, Me., who began the construction of the St. John & Quebec Railway under the former government, is interested in a new railway.

### On Strength of Kilties.

Pte. Nathaniel McIntyre, 19, of Elm Hill, enlisted with the 236th Highlanders today.

### Y. M. C. A. Campaign.

The Y. M. C. A. solicitors finished their whirlwind two days' campaign yesterday. The committee reported last night that the sum subscribed was already over \$5,000, which was more than they expected, and that subscriptions were still coming in.

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