

# LOCAL NEWS

Shipment of silk blouses just received, special at \$2.98, all colors and guaranteed washable at Wm. R. Fraser & Co.'s.

## At the Gaiety Today.

Famous Players present the ever popular charming little screen favorite Marie Doro in one of Charles Dickens great novels—"Oliver Twist". Gaiety Concert Orchestra.

## Successful Social.

The women's Institute of Lower Kingsclear held a very enjoyable social in the Agricultural Hall last night. A silver collection was taken and totalled \$16, which will be devoted to Red Cross work.

## Gone to Montreal.

Rev. J.S. Sutherland, pastor of St. Paul's Church, and Mrs. Sutherland left for Montreal last evening. While in that city Rev. Mr. Sutherland will consult a specialist for the benefit of his health.

## Clyde Colt From Ontario.

Ald. H. C. Jewett has just returned from Ontario with one of the finest 3-year-old Clyde Stallions that ever came to the Maritime Provinces. This colt is jet black with white points and horse fanciers all pronounce him the best ever.

## Killed in Action.

The casualty list issued from Ottawa this afternoon contains the name of Private A. Mowat, of Harvey, killed in action. Yesterday's list reported the death in action of Private Medley Dore, of Lower Southampton, on the 9th.

## Secretary of Agriculture.

W. R. Reek, who has been appointed by the Provincial Government to the office of Secretary of Agriculture, arrived in Fredericton today. He will enter upon his duties at once. Mr. Reek has had extensive experience elsewhere in Canada in agricultural matters.

## Senator Domville Here.

Hon. Senator Domville of Rochesay is among the visitors to the city today and is a guest at the Queen. This is his first visit to the Capital in several years and he is being warmly welcomed by many old friends. A few days ago Senator and Mrs. Domville celebrated their Golden Wedding.

## C. G. R. Ticket Agent Removed.

St. John Globe: Mr. George Carvill, for a number of years city ticket agent for the Canadian Government Railways, has received official notification that his services are to be dispensed with. There is at this moment no official explanation of the reason for Mr. Carvill's dismissal.

## At the Gem Today.

Six Big Reels—4th Episode of The Secret Kingdom—2 parts. The Honorable "Mr. Oxenham" Gaumont Co. presents their usual Mutual Weekly. The Gambler's Lost Love, a interesting Western drama in 2 parts. Also a side-splitting comedy—Rube Miller in "Painless Extracting" a new one. A splendid week end programme.

## Donation from W. V. R.

Major S. F. A. Wainwright, medical officer of the troops stationed in Fredericton, acknowledges with gratitude and appreciation the receipt of the following articles from the Women's Volunteer Reserve:—

6 Bedside Screens, 10 Hand Basins, 6 Soap Dishes, 8 Vases, 8 Pus Dishes and 5 dozen Wash Clothes all of which have contributed very largely to the comfort and welfare of the soldier patients in the Hospital.

## Presented by W. V. R.

The local company of the Women's Volunteer Reserve made presentations last night to two of its members who are about to remove from this city. They were the Misses Myra and Stella Sherman, who will leave next week for Toronto, where they will reside with their brother, Rev. L. R. Sherman. Miss Myra Sherman was presented with a beautiful travelling bag and Miss Stella Sherman with an umbrella. The presentation was made by the Countess of Ashburnham.

## School Children's Opportunity.

In response to many requests the management of the Gaiety Theatre have made arrangements to show "Mice and Men" with dainty Marguerite Clark at the Saturday afternoon matinee, in order to give the school children an opportunity of seeing this prime favorite in one of her finest photoplays. The showing of "Mice and Men" will start at 2.30 and will be followed at 3.45 by "Oliver Twist", with Marie Doro.

## Having Jolly Time.

Chatham World: The Fort Garry Horsemen are having a jolly time in Chatham. The ladies, maidens and matrons are competing for the privilege of feasting and singing to them. The St. Lukes young ladies entertained them Tuesday evening. The troopers have got so used to cake and coffee diet in Chatham that they will not be able to live on barrack rations hereafter. It is reported that they are to leave here on Saturday.

## Death of Mrs. J. P. Duncan

Mrs. Duncan, wife of Mr. J. Preston Duncan died at her home on George street this morning after a short illness. She was twenty-two years of age and is survived by a husband and two daughters, Lenna and Louise. She is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alphens Pond of Ludlow, one brother Addison of Ludlow and three sisters, Mrs. Williams Stevens of Knoxville, Tenn., Mrs. William Cain of Marysville and Miss Margaret at home. The body will be taken to Ludlow for interment by the I. C. R. train this evening.

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## MILK SUPPLY OF CITY MUST BECOME BETTER AT ONCE

Board of Health Takes Drastic Action  
--Assistant Inspector Probable For Spring Cleaning--Action Re Tuberculosis.

The Fredericton Board of Health last night decided to take immediate action to secure improvement in the quality of the milk supplied by some of the milk-dealers who do business in this city. Mr. H. H. Hagerman, official analyst to the Board, submitted a report on the milk supply of the city which showed that the count of bacteria in samples secured from certain dealers was very high.

On the strength of this report the Board decided that the milk was unfit for human consumption. Letters are to be written to the dealers whose milk failed to come up to the required standard, notifying them that an improvement must be made at once or sale of the milk in the city be prohibited. It is believed that the cause of the poor quality of the milk is carelessness in handling. A pamphlet entitled "Sanitary Milk Production," prepared by Mr. Hagerman, is to be issued by the Board for the instruction of the milk dealers.

Mr. Hagerman also reported an efficiency in filtration at the city pumping station of 99.96, with the water in good condition.

Plumbing Inspector Edney was present at the meeting. In future he will submit monthly reports.

## New Dump Needed.

The fact that the freshet has covered the dump which was formerly used was discussed, and Inspector McKay was instructed to request the city to locate a dump which can be used while the water is high.

## Officers Appointed.

Officers were appointed as follows: Secretary—George Y. Dibblee. Inspector—William McKay. (Continued on page 5.)

## ST. JOHN & QUEBEC RAILWAY DIRECTORS HAVE RESIGNED

Resignations of All Except Secretary Girouard Submitted to the Government Here Last Evening.

Messrs. Fred W. Sumner, of Moncton, R. O'Leary, of Richibucto, W. S. Fisher, of St. John, directors of the St. John & Quebec Railway Co., have tendered their resignations to the provincial government.

Mr. Edward Girouard, of Moncton, the secretary of the board, has not yet followed the example of his colleagues. Last evening the government received a letter from the directors stating that Mr. Fisher had resigned from the board and asking if it was the government's wish that they should remain in office.

The reply sent by the government is said to have intimated that the administration would not be embarrassed to any great extent if all were to resign. The government's note was followed by the resignation of President Sumner and his two colleagues.

So far no action has been taken by the government with respect to the appointment of a new board of directors.

The members of the old board of directors with the exception of Mr. Fisher, arrived in the city last evening and held their farewell meeting. Mr. Fisher has received an appointment from the Federal government in connection with the Ross rifle factory.

Mr. C. H. McCluskey, of Houlton, Me., is a guest at the Queen.

Messrs. F. W. Sumner of Moncton and R. O'Leary, of Richibucto, are at the Queen.

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