

LOCAL NEWS

Arbor Day.

School Inspector R. D. Hanson has appointed May 11th as Arbor Day for the schools of this section.

At the Gaiety Today

J. Selznick presents Clara Kimball Young in "The Foolish Virgin." This is a special production. Gaiety's concert orchestra—Latest Musical Hits.

A Child's Death.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Preston Duncan died yesterday at the home of the parents, George street. The funeral took place this morning, with interment at the Rural Cemetery.

At the Gem Today

A Vitagraph Blue Ribbon feature, presented by Albert Smith and J. Stuart Blackton, introducing Anita Stewart in "The Daring of Diana" in five reels—It's a thriller.

Twelve Cent Bread

Twelve cent bread went into effect today in Fredericton, the heavy increase in the price of flour being the cause. The price for an ordinary loaf of bread is now twelve cents at all bakeries.

Difficulty with Draw.

Owing to the breaking of some of the machinery of the draw of the C. G. R. bridge, it was impossible to open the draw yesterday, and tugs which had come up for the St. John River Log-Driving Co. had to wait.

Commission in Forestry Unit.

Mr. J. Stanley Scott, son of Mr. J. M. Scott, of this city, has been commissioned a lieutenant in the forestry unit which is being raised in this province by Major C. L. Hanington. Capt. T. J. McMullin, of Canterbury, is also to be an officer in this unit.

Two Brothers Wounded.

Privates James Bonar and Edward Franklin Bonar, both of this city, are reported today to be wounded. They enlisted here with the 140th Battalion and went overseas last autumn. Both went from England to France with drafts.

Recent Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herbert Maxwell are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a son at their home on Thursday last. Mr. and Mrs. Maxwell formerly resided in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Rickard of Barker's Point are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl at their home on Friday.

Senator Baird Dead.

Hon. George T. Baird died at his home in Andover on Saturday after a lengthy illness. He was a prominent lumberman and trader, and was widely known throughout the province. He was elected to the Local Legislature in 1884, and in 1891 was appointed to the Legislative Council. In 1895 he was called to the Senate. He is survived by a widow and two sons, Herbert and G. Frederick. The funeral took place at Andover this afternoon.

Here From England

Mrs. C. A. Robinson of New York, who has been spending the winter in England, arrived here this morning on a brief visit to her sister, Mrs. R. P. Allen, Charlotte street. Mrs. Robinson arrived at Halifax on Friday on the big liner which brought Hon. A. J. Balfour and party to this country. The steamer was delayed ten days at Greenock and was conveyed by warships. The steamer on which Mrs. Robinson sailed last fall was torpedoed soon after the passengers had been landed at Plymouth.

May Return to N. B.

Mr. J. Frank Tilley of Montreal spent Sunday in the City, the guest of his brother-in-law Mr. C. K. Palmer. Mr. Tilley who has been in Montreal for some years, enlisted in the Irish Canadian Rangers for overseas service but his health breaking down, he was given his discharge. Mr. Tilley is an expert dairyman and was formerly dairy superintendent for New Brunswick. He has been in St. John for several weeks, looking over the Prime-crest dairy business with a view of taking over the management.

Miss McCann Won Prize.

Miss Nutter's closing lesson to her class in domestic science was given at the High School building Saturday evening in the presence of a happy company. The prize of \$10, donated by Mr. J. D. Palmer to this class, was captured by Miss Kate McCann, an efficient teacher of the Smythe Street School. Dr. VanWart made the presentation. The class presented Miss Nutter with a basket of beautiful flowers. The thanks of the members of the commercial classes were conveyed to the instructor, Mr. J. A. Hughes, and his assistant, Mr. C. S. Creed, by Mr. Sampson.

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Mr. James A. McAdam, of this city, has received official notification that his son, Private Alex. McAdam, has been admitted to hospital in London, England, with a gunshot wound in the right arm. Private McAdam enlisted in Fredericton in the early spring of 1915. He crossed to England with the 55th Battalion but was with that unit only a short time when he was transferred to a famous Montreal unit which has been in the trenches since the first Canadian division went to France.

He was wounded before, but recovered and returned to the front. Before being wounded the first time he was in the trenches eleven months, and was in six months before being wounded the second time.

The late Gunner Murray McAdam who lost his life in France some few months ago, was a brother. Gunner Walter McAdam, who recently went to England with the 9th Siege Battery, is another brother.

Among other casualties reported are C. E. Underwood, of Hoyt, E. W. Crouse, of Zealand, L. F. McDonald, of Fredericton, and H. B. Allen, of Fredericton, reported wounded.

CALGARY EDITOR NOMINATED.

Calgary, Alta., April 21.—W. M. Davidson, editor and proprietor of the Calgary Albertan, has been nominated as Liberal candidate for the provincial riding of North Calgary.

THOROUGH AUDIT
OF ACCOUNTS OF PRO-
VINCE COMMENCED

The Firm of Price Waterhouse & Co. Chartered Accountants of Montreal Have Engaged to do The Work.

The Provincial Government has arranged with Price, Waterhouse & Co., of Montreal, perhaps the best known firm of chartered accountants in the Dominion of Canada, to make a thorough examination of the accounts of the province. This firm lately completed an audit of the accounts of the province of Manitoba, and recommended a new system of bookkeeping for that province. The government was so well pleased with the work accomplished that it appointed the firm's representative comptroller of the treasury. The same firm are now engaged in making an audit of the accounts of the province of British Columbia.

Mr. A. B. Brodie, of Montreal, a representative of the firm of Price, Waterhouse & Co., arrived in the city on Saturday and this morning entered on his duties. He was joined this afternoon by Mr. Smith, another representative of the firm, who will likely remain here until the work is completed. Mr. Brodie will return to Montreal, but will make several visits to Fredericton to superintend the work.

The firm of Price, Waterhouse & Co. are auditors for several of the large chartered banks of Canada, and also act for a number of industrial corporations. The high standing of the firm is a guarantee that the work which they have been engaged to perform for this province will be thorough and accurate.

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