

LOCAL NEWS

Birth at Taymouth.
A little daughter, Christine Elizabeth, was born November 28th to Mr. and Mrs. MacDonald Young of Taymouth.

Detective Duncan Here.
Detective William Duncan of the St. John police force was in the city yesterday. His little son who was in Victoria Hospital with diphtheria has been removed from that institution.

Invalided Home.
Mr. Ralph Neill, son of Mr. J. S. Neill, who went overseas with a western unit, has been invalided home. He is expected to arrive here in the course of a few days.

St. John Police Officers Here.
Sergeant Charles Rankine of the St. John police was registered at the Queen yesterday. He is in the city as a witness in one of the cases before the Divorce Court. Detective Barrett of St. John also was in the city yesterday.

Card of Thanks.
Mr. Percy Crouse and Mr. and Mrs. John Conley and family of Barker's Point, wish to thank their many friends for kindness at the time of the death of Mrs. Crouse. They especially wish to thank the choir of the Devon Baptist church.

A Women's Meeting.
No woman in Fredericton should miss the opportunity of hearing Mrs. Sexton of Halifax, on Thursday evening in the Opera House. Mrs. Sexton is a brilliant and forcible speaker and the Women's Unionist Committee is to be congratulated in securing her.

Wounded Four Times.
Private Alonzo Smith, who returned to his home in this city recently after long service in France, lost an eye on service besides being wounded in both shoulder blades and one leg. He is a brother-in-law of Sgt. John Connolly, reported killed in action.

Property Transfers.
Two properties were sold under mortgage at noon today. The Adams property, Brunswick street, was bid in for \$3,000 by Mr. J. J. F. Winslow. The Brennan property in North Devon was bid in by Mr. W. T. Hamilton for \$1,500.

Mid-week Market.
There was only a small market this morning and the demand for produce was not very keen. Beef was fairly plentiful and sold at from 12 to 14 cents a pound by the quarter. Pork sold at 22 cents, butter at 45 cents, eggs at 60 cents, potatoes at \$2.50, turnips at \$1, apples at \$2 and \$3.

No City Council Meeting.
The City Council did not hold its regular monthly meeting last night, a quorum not being present. Six aldermen were present but seven are required for a meeting. Illness on the part of other aldermen or members of their families prevented their attendance. It is probable that the meeting will be held Friday night.

Telephone Line Broken.
Telegraph and telephone communication with Nova Scotia destroyed by the recent storm has not yet been restored. It is learned from the N. B. Telephone Co., Ltd., that between Sackville and Amherst forty poles were down, and poles and broken and entangled wires were buried in the snow. There is little hope of improving the situation before Friday.

Harding-Carman.
A quiet wedding took place at three o'clock this afternoon at St. Mary's parish church when Miss Gladys Carman, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Carman of Barker's Point, was united in marriage to Mr. John Harding, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Harding of Upper Mauderville. The wedding presents received were both numerous and costly. The happy young couple will spend their honeymoon at St. John and Campbellton.

An Official Visit.
Mr. George Ryan of Charlottetown, P.E.I., Grand Master of I.O.O.F. of the Maritime Provinces, paid an official visit to Victoria Lodge here Monday evening. There was a large attendance and the grand master was given a very cordial reception. He delivered an interesting address in which he defined the aims of the order. At the close of the meeting refreshments were served. The grand master left for Woodstock this morning.

Died in Alberta.
Friends in this city have been advised of the death of Charles H. White in Ponoka, Alberta. Mr. White was formerly of Oromocto, a son of the late Sheriff James S. White. He was fifty-two years old and leaves besides his widow and one daughter two sisters, Mrs. John E. Stocker and Miss Bessie White, both of Oromocto. Mrs. White and her daughter removed to Fredericton about one year ago, as the climate in the west did not agree with them, and at the present time Miss White is dangerously ill in Victoria Hospital with typhoid. The body will be brought to Oromocto for interment.

SOCIETY NEWS.

Miss Hazel Palmer leaves on Monday for Toronto, where she will take up her abode.

Mrs. John Palmer this afternoon entertained at tea in honor of her daughter, Miss Hazel Palmer. Mrs. H. R. McMurray poured, and Mrs. Machum, Mrs. Ralph Gunter and Mrs. Dorothy Green served the guests.

Mrs. W. A. McLellan gave a dinner party last evening in honor of Miss Hazel Palmer.

Mrs. F. I. Morrison and daughter, Miss Lucy Morrison, have returned from a visit to Boston.

Miss Goddard of St. John, is visiting Mrs. Rupert Taylor.

Dr. T. C. Allen is confined to his home by an attack of erysipelas.

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CASE NOW BEFORE
COURT PROMISES TO
BE VERY LENGTHY

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Heard in Ward Case up
to Noon Today.—Judge
Crocket's Remarks

The case of Ward vs. Ward in the Court of Divorce and Matrimonial Causes before His Honor Judge Crocket, bids fair to establish a record for length. Divorce cases usually are brief but this is now on its second day with the prospect of continuing longer.

Up to noon today three witnesses had been on the stand since the case began yesterday morning. Several others are yet to be heard. The plaintiff, Harry T. Ward completed his evidence this morning and was followed by Mr. Francis Kerr, barrister, of St. John, who was the first proctor in the suit. Mr. Kerr and the plaintiff both were given searching cross-examinations.

Remarks by His Honor.
The circumstances of the withdrawal of the original in this suit and the re-entering of the action at a later date were such as to cause His Honor to say more than once that the proceedings bordered very closely on contempt of court and that if it was shown to his satisfaction that the plaintiff had instructed the proctor to withdraw the original libel, he would dismiss the present action.

Coming Home on Leave.
Word has been received here that Lieut. H. D'Arcy McGrath, Royal Flying Corps, is on his way to his home in this city on leave. He enlisted in the west in a pioneer corps and later was appointed to the R.F.C. He will arrive before Christmas.

ITALIAN RED
CROSS FUND
GIVEN \$263

Tag Day on Saturday last
Produced \$108.27—
Many Citizens Also
Subscribed.

The total sum subscribed by the citizens of Fredericton for the Italian Red Cross amounted to \$263. Of this amount \$108.27 was the proceeds of the "tag day" campaign carried out on Saturday last. Mr. Augustino Mazzucca who organized the campaign, feels very grateful to all who subscribed or assisted in any way to make it such a splendid success.

Following is a list of the subscriptions:

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A. F. Randolph & Sons	20.00
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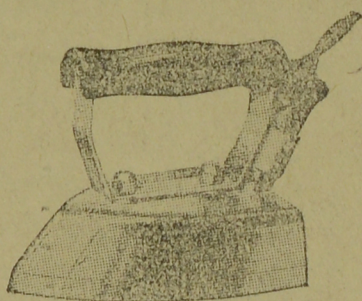
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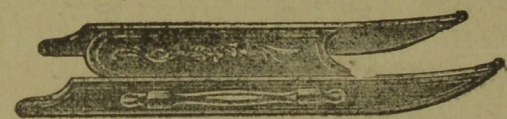
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