

NEW FEATURE OF INTOXICATING LIQUOR ACT

PHYSICIAN CHARGED WITH VIOLATION

**Alleged He Gave Prescription
for Patient Whom He Had
Not Visited Profes-
sionally.**

A new feature of the enforcement of The Intoxicating Liquor Act 1916, has come to notice, papers today being served upon a physician who is charged with violation of the act by issuing a prescription for liquor to a patient to whom he had not paid a professional visit.

The case is understood to be the first of its kind to come before a court and probably will be defended. The case is to be heard in the police court on the 14th inst. The information is laid by the sub-inspector, Chief Finley.

The contention is made that under the act a physician can prescribe liquor only for a patient who has visited him or whom he has visited. A prescription cannot be given for a patient unseen by the physician.

Another Seizure.

Chief Finley made another seizure of liquor this morning at the office of an express company. The liquor was a case of rye whiskey. The ground of seizure is that the consignee is under age. It is reported that a large quantity of liquor has been imported by persons under age.



His Honor the Lieutenant Governor and Mrs. Pugsley will be at home at the Queen Hotel on the afternoon of Thursday, the seventh of March, from four to six o'clock.

R. S. BARKER,
Private Secretary.
Fredericton, N. B., March 4, 1918
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Arrived in England.

The first draft from the New Brunswick Depot Battalion at St. John, is reported as having arrived safely in England. Troops arriving there numbered about seven thousand in all.

St. John Newspapersmen Here.
Mr. Bruce S. Robb of St. John, arrived here this morning. He will represent the St. John Telegraph during the sessions of the House of Assembly. Mr. William McMonagle is here to represent the St. John Standard.

Chief George Rideout Here.
Chief of Police George Rideout of Moncton, recently appointed inspector of Dominion Police for the Maritime Provinces under the Military Service Act was here last night in connection with the duties of his new office. He went to St. John this morning.

Minister of Public Works.
Hon. F. B. Carvell will speak at Ottawa, Thursday, at a noon luncheon of the Canadian Society of Civil Engineers, in the Chateau Laurier. The minister's subject will be "The Engineer's Place in National Service."

Not Manager at Marysville.
The statement given circulation in the press recently to the effect that Mr. H. V. Boyd who succeeds Mr. J. B. Cudlip as manager for the Canadian Cottons, Ltd., at St. John, was manager also of the mills at Marysville and Milltown, is not correct. Mr. Boyd is manager of the mills at St. John and Cornwall, Ont., only.

Donations Acknowledged.
The Ashburnham Branch, Local Red Cross, wishes to acknowledge with thanks \$20 from Mr. W. T. Whitehead, San Diego, Cal., \$15 from the Women's Institute, Fredericton Junction, per Miss Carrie C. Nason; seven pairs of socks from Mrs. Chas. W. Beckwith; two pairs of socks from Miss Jaffrey.

Hockey Match Here Tonight.
The Chatham hockey team arrived here by the Newcastle express this morning and will play the Fredericton team at the Arctic Rink tonight. The game will begin at eight o'clock. Fredericton lost at Chatham some days ago but is determined to retrieve lost honors. Skating with band will follow the game. The match is expected to be an interesting one.

Being Warmly Welcomed.
Brigadier General Archie H. Macdonnell, who arrived from St. John last night accompanied by Lt. Col. A. H. Powell, is being warmly welcomed by friends in this city. General Macdonnell first served here in the permanent forces of Canada as a subaltern of the Royal Canadian Regiment more than twenty years ago. Since that time he has served in two wars—South African and the European and has been advanced to his present grade.

Inspected Troops Here.
Brig. General A. H. Macdonnell accompanied by Lt. Col. A. H. Powell inspected the draft of the Central Ontario Regiment at the Exhibition Buildings this morning and also the new quarters of the troops which were found to be comfortable. The new building of the Military Hospitals Commission also was inspected. It is expected that soldiers now in hospital in St. John will be transferred to the new building the last of the first week of April.

BIG BUSINESS DEAL PUT THRO' HERE RECENTLY

CONCRETE BUILDERS, LTD. ENLARGES ITS INDUSTRY

**J. J. McCaffrey Secures Con-
trol—Fredericton Concrete
Co. Bought Out—M. W.
Black, Manager.**

The largest business deal completed in this section in some time was closed recently by Mr. J. J. McCaffrey proprietor of the Queen Hotel, who acquired control of Concrete Builders, Ltd., a company which has conducted a concrete plant for several years in Devon, and united with that concern the Fredericton Concrete Company, the plant and business of which have been purchased.

Mr. McCaffrey had an interest in Concrete Builders, Ltd., since the incorporation of the company some years ago but on January 1st with backing of interested parties he secured control by purchase of stock. The buying out of the Fredericton Concrete Company was completed the first of the present month.

To Amalgamate Plants.

The plant of the Fredericton Concrete Company which had been operated in the building of the Palmer-McLellan Shoe Company, York street, will be removed to Devon and amalgamated with the plant of Concrete Builders, Limited.

Extension of Plant and Business.

Concrete Builders, Ltd., will greatly extend the plant in Devon. The property of Mr. Robert Cochrane which immediately adjoins the company's property has been purchased, thus giving the company two and a half or three acres of space. This will be used in the extension and enlargement of the plant.

Now Purchasing Machinery.

Mr. M. W. Black, C. E., is to be manager for Concrete Builders, Ltd. He has been in Toronto for the past three weeks inspecting concrete plants in that section. He will order new concrete making machinery which will cost upwards of \$8,000. This will be of the most improved and modern type. Delivery is expected here in a few weeks.

Five large dry kilns will be part of the new plant to be erected in Devon. These will have dimensions of sixty by eighteen feet. When the plant is enlarged the company will be one of the largest manufacturers of concrete pipe in Canada. A large number of workmen will be employed and the enlarged industry will do much toward booming the town of Devon. Present expectations are that the plant will be in full operation by May 1st.

Large Amount Involved.

A considerable sum of money is involved in the business transaction. The purchase of the stock in Concrete

SUDDEN DEATH J. E. KIERSTEAD THIS MORNING

WAS STRICKEN AT HIS HOME IN NASHWAAKSIS

**A Native of Kings County, But
Had Lived in This Section
the Greater Part of
His Life.**

The death of Joseph E. Kierstead, a prominent resident of Nashwaaksis occurred this morning at his home with tragic suddenness. The deceased who appeared to be in his usual state of health rose early and harnessed a horse and performed other duties about the place. After that he was missed for some time. A search for him was begun and he was found in the fowlhouse where he had fallen. Death ensued soon after.

The deceased was aged seventy-four years. He was a native of Kings county but had removed to this section at an early age. For many years he was in business at St. Mary's as a blacksmith, retiring from active participation in it some eight years ago. He was a well known man and the news of his death came as a distinct shock to the community.

Surviving Relatives.

Surviving relatives are a widow, five daughters and two sons. The daughters are Alice, Ethel and Gladys at home, Elizabeth of Philadelphia, and Mrs. L. E. Smith of Wilton, Me. The sons are Messrs. Fred and Frank Kierstead of St. Mary's. Three brothers also survive, Nehemiah and Harding of Fredericton and Brundage of Montana, also two sisters, Mrs. John Erb of Montana and Mrs. Jarvis Akerley of Noank, Conn.

The hour of the funeral will be announced later.

Has Been Retired.

Provisional Lieutenant, supernumerary, G. S. Bacon, 71st York Regt., has been retired, January 8th last.

To Audit School Accounts.

Mr. John Walker has been engaged by the City Council to make an audit of the accounts of the Board of School Trustees of Fredericton.

Builders, Ltd., the purchase of the Fredericton Concrete Company, the purchase of the Cochrane property and the extension of the plant in Devon and installation of new machinery entail a total expenditure in the neighborhood of \$50,000.

It is expected that the company will do a large business as its position is unrivalled. The bed of the Nashwaak River within a few feet of the works is the source of the best gravel in this part of the country and the C. O. R. running along the property affords the best of railway facilities. The St. John River also affords every opportunity for water carriage.

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