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Observer Makes Some Remarks On Local Passing Events

(The Daily Mail, while it finds "Observer" articles interesting and popular, does not always agree with what is said, and is not responsible for the writer's opinions).

The whole community is shocked by the terrible accident on Monday last, which has caused the death of one person and injury to another. There will no doubt be a full investigation of the matter, or if there isn't, there should be.

No one denies the right of the fire truck to have the right of way, in fact the city by-laws grant the right, but it does seem as though circumstances might modify this regulation. If still alarms are to be sent in, the chances are that they are not very urgent or they wouldn't be still alarms. In such a case the fire truck

could well stop at the intersections where cars are supposed to stop.

Furthermore, is there any real need for still alarms? If there was a ruling that all alarms were to be rung in at the box it would provide for perhaps greater safety. Anyone who might not hear the siren on the truck would be pretty sure to hear the general alarm and be on his guard. It would seem that the still alarm could be quite well done away with.

The writer of the letter in Tuesday's Mail is quite correct when he objects to the money being spent on a new drill hall that might better be spent on the new bridge.

It would be quite all right if we could have both, but since there seems to be all the delay and uncertainty concerning the bridge, which does serve a vital need, it is open to censure that there should be such activity in building a drill hall. Now that there is an effort being made to make Canada defence-conscious, the supplying of a new drill hall is undoubtedly a step in this direction. But the bridge is another matter. A pressing and immediate need can be satisfied by the bridge.

Postmen are now to deliver mail on holidays, comes the word from Ottawa. Here is a long-awaited reform. There has been constant agitation both locally and in other parts of Canada to have this brought about. We may perhaps congratulate ourselves that this community has done its own small part in achieving this result.

The report does not make it clear whether the new ruling is to include a Saturday afternoon delivery. I am not sure whether the lack of such a delivery has been general or is only a local ruling. In any case we should certainly have it. Perhaps if the post office departments had been a little more obliging about handing out mail at the wickets on holidays to those who were willing to go for it, they would not now be in the position of having to make the deliveries.

The report from Ottawa indicates that the mail carriers will not suffer because of the extra work entailed. Presumably their pay will be increased, and additional employment may result.

The Daily Mail must have had either a super-spy or a dictaphone present at the last meeting of the school board to have secured all the information given in Tuesday evening's paper. The alleged account of what took place at the meeting is most surprising. We can only hope that events will bear out this report. But, as the Scotchman says, "Ah hae me doots."

OBSERVER.

F. Anderson, Moncton, is staying at the Queen Hotel today.

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SOCIAL HAPPENINGS

Ladies St. Andrews Meets in Groups
The ladies of St. Andrew's Church met in three groups last evening. The uptown group met at the residence of Mrs. E. W. Elliott, the central group at the home of Mrs. W. M. Clark, and the downtown group at the home of Mrs. A. P. Crockett. Arrangements were made for the Christmas sale, after which a social hour and refreshments were served.

Ministering Circle

The Ministering Circle of the King's Daughters met last night at the home of Mrs. F. W. Porter. In the absence of the president, Mrs. C. C. Jones, Mrs. A. P. Crockett took the chair. The usual business was conducted and plans were made for the Christmas work.

Chauncey Colman is spending a few days at Bangor, Maine.

Young People's Society at Devon

Last evening the Young People's Society of the Devon Baptist church entertained the young folks of Kingsley and Nashwaakiss at a supper programme. Misses Leona Bailey and Evelyn Perley, Mrs. Hazel Perry and others assisting, made possible a fine repast which all enjoyed with unabridged appetite. Following the supper Eugene Lawrence, as toastmaster conducted the programme. After a toast to the King a welcome was extended to all guests by the toastmaster and responded to by Osborne Anderson, president of the Kingsley Young People's Society. A singspiration was led by Rev. D. L. Kennedy with Thelma Miles at the piano. A monologue was given by Clinton Camp after which an instrumental selection with harmonica and guitar was played by Paul Yerxa. The address of the evening was given by Major I. B. Rouse in which he stressed the importance of young people building a proper and strong character and the assertion of a well balanced and thoughtful life was needed to bear the best fruit of the tree of Democracy, which was rooted in the history of many centuries. After the address an hour of games was enjoyed, conducted by Hamford McElman.

Mrs. J. M. Gallagher of Philadelphia who has been living at Campobello, N. B., during the summer months, was in Fredericton all week doing research work at the Provincial Library and also at the crown land office. Mrs. Gallagher who is writing a book on historic matters left today for Saint John en route for her home at Campobello.

Mrs. J. Robert Herbin entertained at a children's party yesterday afternoon at her home in Saint John in honor of Eva May Wharton, the occasion being the latter's fifth birthday. The hostess was assisted by her mother, Mrs. G. Willard Kitchen, Mrs. W. T. Walker, Miss Nancy Lee Kitchen, all of Fredericton, and Miss Shirley Anderson, Newcastle, who with Mayor Kitchen, Fredericton, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbin.

Mrs. H. A. Powell of Saint John, expects to spend the winter in Montreal, while Miss Polly Powell will visit in New York. In their honor, Mr. E. C. von Treschow, American Consul and Mrs. Treschow, entertained at a small dinner recently in Saint John.

The weekly social evening of the A.Y.P.A. of the Cathedral last evening took the form of a nautical party. The guests were invited to come dressed as sailor girls and sailor boys. The evening was spent in games, music and dancing followed by the serving

of refreshments in pirate style and consisting of pilot biscuit and cheese. The decorations were in the style of a ship with a mast in the centre of the room from which signal flags were strung. The name of the ship was "All a wry." The "crew" included Captain Selwyn Box, purser Miss Anne Howie, Miss Marion Ryan first lieutenant, Paul Gorham second lieutenant and Norman Peacock as boatswain.

HEALTH AUTHORITY

Dr. Charles E. Barker, noted health authority, will address a public meeting in the Provincial Normal School auditorium tonight at 8 o'clock.

RADIO AUCTION

Some purchaser will be presented with a fine Marconi Radio. See ad in today's Daily Mail and the Radio Auction store.

Miss Dysart in the City
Miss Mary Dysart, daughter of Premier and Mrs. A. A. Dysart is in the city and is a guest at the residence of Chief Justice and Mrs. J. H. Barry.

Dr. Barker Speaks Here

Dr. Charles E. Barker, author of the book "A Father's Responsibility to His Boy," and internationally noted health authority, arrived here today. This morning he spoke to the



DR. CHARLES E. BARKER
Lectures in City

students of the Fredericton high school at eleven o'clock on the subject, "How to Make the Most out of Life," and at 12.30 o'clock he delivered a splendid address to the members of the Rotary and Gyo clubs on the subject, "Rotary By-Products." This evening Dr. Barker will speak in the Normal School on the theme, "The Most Important Job in the World." Dr. Barker's visit here is sponsored by the local Rotary Club.

Historical Society

President Rev. Dr. F. A. Wightman was in the chair at the York and Sunbury Historical Society meeting last evening. A large number of the members were present. Mrs. J. B. Maxwell, convener of the building committee, reported that the committee was considering plans, locations and other data regarding the proposed new library and museum building. A paper on "Early schools and early teachers" was read by Mrs. Susan Squires and was most interesting. The paper went back to the early days when the first school was started on King street in 1790 and came down through the years to the time of the passing of the Free Schools Act in 1871. Mrs. Squires also dealt with the history of the Collegiate School and of the University. The Daily Mail proposed to publish Mrs. Squires' paper in full as it contains many matters of interest to the older citizens of Fredericton. The treasurer's report for the period showed the Society to be in good financial condition. Mrs. J. M. Gallagher of Philadelphia who is carrying on research work at the Parliament Buildings was introduced to the Society by the president and expressed her appreciation at being present.

Minto Women's Institute

Mrs. W. Benton Evans was recently hostess at a large bridge sponsored by the Minto Women's Institute. The prizes were won by Mrs. A. D. Taylor and Mrs. H. Stanley. The guests present were Mrs. B. B. Flower, Mrs. Harvey Welton, Mrs. Geo. Cole, Mrs. T. J. O'Rourke, Mrs. P. J. Dowd, Mrs. Robert Wisely, Mrs. John Kearney, Mrs. John Fulton, Mrs. Hugh Kearney, Mrs. W. B. Wisely, Mrs. H. Stanley, Mrs. A. D. Taylor, Mrs. Ernest Thurott, Mrs. Arthur Lyons, Mrs. Brown, Mrs. Lee McFarlane, Mrs. A. D. King, Mrs. H. W. McEachern, Mrs. George O'Leary, Mrs. A. T. Woolley, Mrs. J. N. Parkin, Mrs. P. J. Brewster, Misses Marian Upton, Anita Gallagher, Margaret Springer and Doreen Gallagher. The hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. P. J. Dowd, and Mrs. John Fulton.

Mrs. Isaac Campbell, of Winnipeg, after visiting her son-in-law and daughter, Colonel and Mrs. Gerald Loggie in Ottawa, has returned to her home.

The Order of the Eastern Stars are holding a banquet this evening at 8:30 o'clock at Lannan's Restaurant, Carleton street.

J. W. Dobin, Saint John, is a guest at the Queen Hotel for a few days.

K. E. Spencer, Moncton, is a guest today at the Queen Hotel.



Activities Started By Boy Scouts For Christmas Work

The Boy Scouts' meeting was held at the City Hall on Tuesday night, with General Hill, the president, in the chair. There were twelve members present. An encouraging report was read on Apple Day. The main topic of discussion was the Boy Scouts' Toy Shop on which work is to be started immediately.

Professor Pugh and Mrs. Mathewson have been named as a committee to start activities. The Girl Guides are to assist the Scouts this year, in repairing the dolls' dresses and looking after the toys in that nature.

A matinee will be held at one of the theatres on December 4th at which the admission will be one good toy.

The Boy Scouts are going to erect a community camp right away. The committee in regard to this is made up of the president and secretary (ex officio members) and three other members Cyril Barnes, John Hill and Vincent Gourley, who are Rover Scouts. The camp site is being selected and work is to start immediately.

Road Plowing

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use a detour around the Oromocto Flats. This detour will be done away with soon, however. Motorists can, if they wish, make the trip to Saint John via Tracey and Fredericton Junction. Reports from up river are that construction work above Long's Creek is now smoothed up and there is traffic through without undue inconvenience. At the present time the McKinley Ferry is not running, but those going up river can go up on the Devon side to Woodstock.

SELECTED ON TEAM

Robert Armstrong of this city, was selected on the Dalhousie University debating team in trials held recently at Halifax. The Dalhousie team will meet the University of New Brunswick on November 25, and the winner will meet the winner of the Kings-Mount Allison feature. St. Francis Xavier was given the bye.

TONIGHT

Dr. Charles E. Barker

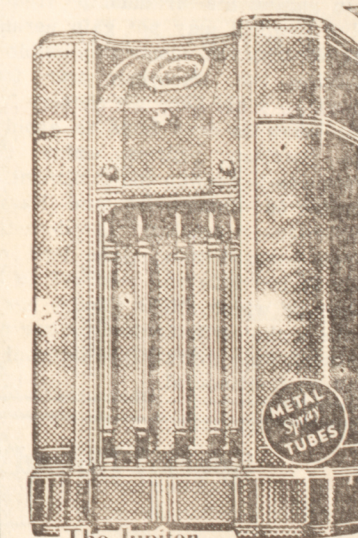
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