

## THE WEEK IN NEWCASTLE

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**Deserters Get Six Months**  
Three deserters from the 55th Battalion were sentenced in the Moncton police court Saturday to six months in Dorchester jail.

**Card of Thanks**  
The family of the late Miss Ruth Delano extend thanks to their many friends for the kindness and sympathy shown to them in their bereavement.

**St. John Bar-Tenders Form a Union**  
About 60 bartenders of St. John, decided at a meeting last Friday night to form a local branch of the International Hotel, Restaurant Employees & Bartenders' League of North America.

**36th Battery Leaves Fredericton**  
The 36th Battery left Fredericton on Saturday morning. They were given a most hearty send off by the citizens of Fredericton Friday night. The Battery is mostly composed of Cape Breton men.

**Three Sons of T. A. Clarke Volunteer**  
Mr. Arthur Clarke, of Sackville, formerly of this place, has enlisted for active service and is stationed at McNab's Island, N. S. This is the third son of Ex-Alderman T. A. Clarke who has done the khaki.

**Presentation to Thomas A. Belmore**  
A tin shower was held at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Steen, Odell Ave., Fredericton, Friday evening, in honor of Mr. Thomas A. Belmore, who is to be married on March 1st to Miss Addie Stables, of Newcastle. During the evening the groom-elect was presented with an address on behalf of a number of his friends who were present.

**French Soldiers May Transfer to 165th**  
The following letter authorizing the transfer of French Acadians enlisted in Overseas Battalions to the 165th Battalion, C. E. F., has been sent to all Officers Commanding: "All French Acadians in your Battalion must be given every opportunity to transfer if they so desire, and no obstacles are to be placed in the way of making their wishes known."

**Funeral of Miss Ruth Delano**  
The funeral of the late Miss Ruth Delano, who died on the 29th, aged 75 years, was held on Wednesday afternoon, Rev. S. J. MacArthur conducting the services at the house after which the body was taken to Millerton for interment. The pall bearers were Everett Macdonald, and five nephews of the deceased, Walter, Elkin, Eldon, Charles and Theophrast Delano.

**Soldiers' Comforts**  
The Girls of the Edith Cavell Club forwarded last week to the Soldiers' Comforts Association, 20 pairs socks, 19 scarfs, 9 pairs wristlets.

**Napan Lady a Graduate Nurse**  
Miss Lyla P. Jardine, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Jardine, Lower Napan, has graduated, with honors, from Boston City Hospital and will continue her work in Boston.

**Richardson-Regan**  
Miss May Regan, of Newcastle, and Geo. Richardson, of Nelson, were married in St. Mary's church here Wednesday afternoon by Rev. Father Murdoch.

**The Mission Hall Reopened**  
The local W. C. T. U. have refitted and refurbished the Mission Hall on Mitchell Street, and will henceforth hold their meetings there. The Women's Institute will meet in the same place—in special session next Friday night, and afterwards on the second Tuesday of each month.

**Harcourt Pastor Removes**  
Rev. W. E. Best, of Harcourt, who is leaving next week for Dorchester, where he will take up his duties as pastor of the Anglican church, preached his farewell sermon, on Sunday night to a large and regretful congregation. During his term of three years Mr. Best has made many friends and he and Mrs. Best will be greatly missed in western Kent Co.

**Praise from Highest Authority**  
The Inland Printer, of Chicago, recognized as the leading authority on Printing in the world, in the February issue, reviewing some samples of work turned out of the Advocate Job Dept., says, "Your letter heads are especially good." Such words from a journal like the Inland Printer, should convince the merchants of the North Shore that the Advocate Job Dept.'s work takes second place to none.

**Newcastle Foresters Elect Officers**  
Court Loyalist, No. 524, Canadian Order of Foresters, has elected the following officers for 1916:  
C. R.—Wm. Touchie  
V. C. R.—R. A. N. Jarvis  
Fin. Sec.—H. R. Moody  
Treas.—H. Williston  
Chap.—J. Robinson Allison  
Senior Woodward—Chas. Crummond, Jr.  
J. W.—John McCormack  
S. B.—Chas. McBride  
J. B.—Allan F. McDonald  
Physician—Reht Nicholson, M.D.  
Auditors—Clifford Allison and R. A. N. Jarvis.

### Officers of 132nd Battalion

List About Complete—Rev. B. J. Murdoch of Newcastle, is Chaplain.

The list of officers of the 132nd Battalion is now complete, and is as follows:  
O. C.—Lt.-Col. Geo. W. Mersereau.  
Senior Major—Major F. H. Mersereau.  
Junior Major—Major L. D. Jones.  
Adjutant—Capt. H. P. Davies.  
Asst. Adjutant—Lt. C. P. McCully.  
Quartermaster—Capt. W. J. Duncan.  
Paymaster—Capt. F. G. Barr.  
Medical Officer—Capt. J. E. Park.  
Chaplain—Rev. B. J. Murdoch.  
Signalling Officer—Lt. S. S. McLean.  
Machine Gun Section—Lt. J. E. White.  
Transport Officer—Lt. A. M. Cameron.  
Majors—H. Sterling, W. J. Howe.  
Captains—A. L. Barry, N. C. McKay, R. S. Holmes, A. J. McIntyre, C. F. Archer.  
Lieutenants—Ronald Allen, F. W. Benn, W. E. Bonnell, L. Douglas, F. F. Fowle, A. Frenette, E. J. LeBlanc, F. J. Lawlor, A. Jardine, C. J. Mersereau, F. T. Morin, R. H. Moxatt, E. Melanson, R. Murray, J. B. McKay, J. Graham A. Knight, E. McMillan, H. O. Schryves and W. L. Veniot.

**Edith Cavell Club Supper**  
The girls of the Edith Cavell Patriotic Club will hold a supper in the basement of St. James' S. S. Hall on Friday evening, March 10th, from 5 to 7 o'clock, supper 25c. Luncheon will be served after rink, 10c. The proceeds are for comforts for soldiers. Watch for further announcements.

**Funeral of Andrew Peters**  
The funeral of the late I. R. C. Brakeman Andrew Peters, who was found on the track near Nash's Creek on the evening of the 22nd ult., and died several hours afterwards, took place to St. Mary's Church here, at 9 o'clock on the 25th, Rev. Father Dixon conducting services in the presence of a large number of mourning friends of deceased and his family.

**Five Recruits Here the Past Week**  
The following have enlisted here the past week:  
For the 132nd Battalion—  
Feb. 24—Phileas Legere, Richibucto.  
Walter Scott MacArthur, begler, Newcastle.  
Feb. 28—Hedley Wm. Adams, Summerside, P. E. I.  
For the Overseas Artillery, Halifax Citadel—  
Feb. 28—Ernest Benjamin Cook, Hantsingdonshire, England; and Geo. Benjamin Lake, King's Lynn, Norfolk, England.

### Popular Couple to Wed To-Night

Miss Adelaide Stables to Become Bride of Mr. Thomas Belmore of Fredericton.

The marriage of Miss Adelaide Stables, daughter of Mr. Geo. Stables of Newcastle, and Mr. Thos. Belmore, one of Fredericton's enterprising and successful business men, takes place at the bride's home this evening at 9 o'clock, Rev. S. J. MacArthur to officiate at the interesting ceremony. The wedding will be very quiet, only the immediate relatives of the contracting parties being invited. The out of town guests are Mrs. and Miss Belmore, mother and sister of the groom, and Dr. and Mrs. Beaton, of Blackville. The bride, who is one of Newcastle's best known and most popular young ladies, will be dressed in a travelling suit of navy with hat to match. She will be given away by her father and she will be unattended. The drawing room is beautifully decorated with white and pink flowers; the library with daffodils, and the dining room with pink roses. The wedding supper will be served at 10 o'clock, and the happy couple will leave on the Maritime for a honeymoon in Quebec and Montreal. Returning they will reside in Fredericton. They will be followed by the best wishes of many friends with whom The Advocate is pleased to join.

**Heavy Snowstorm**  
The rain of Saturday was followed by some 9 or 10 inches of snow on Sunday and Sunday night. Freight trains are much delayed and passenger trains quite a bit.

**Delayed Enroute**  
Followers of The Advocate's serial story on page 7 will be disappointed at not receiving the second installment this issue. Its non-appearance is due to the excessive freight delays the past week. We trust to have it in time for next issue.

**Upper St. John Cut 53,500,000 Feet**  
The total lumber cut on the All-gash and Upper St. John this winter is 53,500,000, about 50 per cent. of last year's, but all that the operators had planned. There has been an abundance of snow all winter and everything has tended towards quick work on the part of the woodsmen who have not been hindered by disastrous thaws or anything of the kind.

**Military Dance Tonight in Chatham**  
Invitations have been issued for a Military Dance in the Chatham Town Hall tonight, March 1st. The Chap-

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