Social and Personal

Ottawa, Mar. 4.—The casualty list issued at midnight contains the name of one New Brunswick man, Fred A. Woodbury, 26th Battalion, reported wounded.

St. Stephen, March 4—A telegram from Ottawa says that Pte. Karl H. Vroom, of the 26th, was wounded Feb. 12, and is now in hospital.

Lieut. C. S. Grimmer, who left here with the C. M. R., was a returned officer on the steamer *Pretorian* which arrived early this morning in port. He is a son of Mr. Justice Grimmer of the Supreme Court Bench. When the sixth C. M. R. were reduced to an infantry brigade, Lieut. Grimmer was held behind to act as an instructor in the Machine-Gun Corps. He is now home on leave.—*St. John Globe.*

Mr. H. G. Gove, who has been spending a two-months' leave in town, left on Wednesday last to resume his duties with the Hydro-Electric Co., Toronto.

Private Chester Malloch, 115th Battalion, St. John, spent a few days this week at his home here.

Dr. R. D. Grimmer returned to Montreal on Monday, after spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Grimmer.

Messrs. Osborne Rice and J. W. Mathews, Wilson's Beach, Campobello, were in town on Monday.

Capt. G. P. Ryder, St. Stephen, was in town on Tuesday on recruiting business.

Rev. W. M. Fraser spent a few days this week in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Odell drove to St. Stephen on Wednesday last. Mrs. Odell remained over to attend the reception of Mrs. Frank A. Duston on Wednesday afternoon, returning to St. Andrews by steamer on Friday.

Mrs. Robert Tennant was a passenger on the C. P. R. liner *Metagama*, which arrived in St. John on Sunday evening last after a rough passage from Liverpool, and arrived here on the noon train on Tuesday. Mrs. Tennant was called to her home in Bootle, England, early in December last, by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Thomas Allerton, who passed away on Feb. 2, leaving besides her husband to mourn her loss, Mrs. Tennant and one other daughter, and six sons, two of whom are Mr. A. Allerton, of St. Andrews, and Mr. W. J. Allerton, of Quebec.

Mrs. Arthur Mason entertained most enjoyably at the tea hour on Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Gove gave a very pleasant knitting party to a number of her friends on Tuesday evening. Miss Minerva Hibbard delighted the guests with a few piano solos.

Mr. T. E. Sharp returned on Wednesday from a short visit in Gagetown, Queens Co.

Miss Bessie Everett, of Fredericton, is the guest of Mrs. C. S. Everett at Maplehurst.

Private Joseph Pendlebury, 15th Battalion, St. John, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mrs. Elizabeth Mason and Mrs. F. W. Mason came in on Thursday's train from Montreal, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Samuel Mason.

Mr. J. H. Stairs, Woodstock, was here on business for a few days recently.

People in St. Andrews, and in other parts of Charlotte County, have heard with regret that Pte. Fred. A. Woodbury is among those at the front reported wounded this week, and all will sincerely hope that the wound is not of a serious kind. Pte. Woodbury was on the staff of the BEACON at the outbreak of the war, and was one of the first in Charlotte County to enlist for overseas service. He had a long period of training in England before going to the front, and some of his letters written to his family and which appeared in other papers, gave interesting descriptions of his life in camp and of his impressions of England. We hope he will soon be back on the firing line, to take his part in the final drive of the Huns.

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Local and General

A very successful social and dance was held at Chamcook on Monday evening last, when the sum of $47.00 was raised for patriotic purposes.

The Ladies Recruiting Committee will hold a meeting in the Town Hall, on Monday evening, March 13.

The Eastern Steamship Corporation's steamer *St. Andrews*, Capt. Grant, which is on the Calais-Eastport route, has gone to Boston for annual repairs. A Barge is supplying in her place, carrying freight only.

It is announced from Fredericton that the Provincial Government has awarded the contract for the Waweig bridge to the Canadian Steel Co.

A Food Sale will be held under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club in aid of the Soldiers' Field Comforts, on Saturday, March 18, in Stinson's Café. All contributions will be gratefully received. Donations may be brought to the Café from 10.30 a. m. on the day of the Sale.

The D. G. S. *Petrel* was docked at the public wharf here for a short time on Wednesday last, having come in for medical treatment for two of her crew, who were suffering from grip.

The members of the Methodist Ladies' Aid met at the Parsonage on the evening of Thursday, March 2, when a Donation Party was held. Each member brought a piece of fancy work as her gift for the summer Sale, and a most attractive display was made. The serving of refreshments brought a very pleasant evening to a close.

Mr. Herbert A. McKay, representing Connors Bros., Limited, and who has been securing contracts in this vicinity for the delivery of Pit Props along the shores of the St. Croix River and Passamaquoddy Bay, for the British admiralty, was in town on Thursday last. Mr. McKay stated that a 2000 ton steamer was daily expected in Halifax with general cargo, and as soon as unloaded would proceed to these waters to load Pit Props, of which he thought she would carry two thousand cords.

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A. Milne Fraser, Halifax, N. S.

BOWLING

A prize of a pipe was won on Monday evening last at the local Alley by Mr. Albert Thompson, with a score of 107. The winner put it up again and it was won the second time by Mr. Warren Stinson, with a score of 96.

MARRIED

GARDNER–HOLMES

On March 4, Miss Lila A. Holmes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theo. Holmes, of St. Andrews, was united in marriage to Clyde E. Gardner, of Calais, Me., the ceremony took place at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. Thomas Pierce, pastor of the Dufferin Methodist Church, the happy couple afterwards driving to the home of the groom's parents.

The bride's costume was navy blue military suit, with hat to match.

Many friends wish the young couple much happiness.

Up-River Doings

St. Stephen, N. B., March, 8.

To-day, Ash Wednesday, the first day of the Lenten season, services were held in Christ and Trinity churches and also in the Church of the Holy Rosary.

Miss Grace Haycock has returned from a visit in Mechanic Falls.

Miss Alma Fitzmaurice is in New York City to visit fashionable millinery openings.

Miss Sarah B. Nichols, one of the most esteemed ladies in Calais, who, after an illness of about six months, passed away at her home on North Street, last week. Miss Nichols was most highly educated, she was a fine French scholar and understood and read books in other languages. She was a woman of the highest traits of character and had many friends who delighted in her society. She was a devoted member of St. Anne's Church and from that Church her funeral was held on Tuesday afternoon of last week. The service was conducted by the rector, Rev. Edward Hand. The floral tributes were unusually beautiful, sent in tender sympathy by her many friends.

Dr. C. G. Main leaves at an early date for France where he will be stationed in a Canadian Hospital with the commission of Captain. His many friends and patients greatly regret his departure and hope for a speedy return.

Lieut. Melvin Buchanan is assisting Capt. George Ryder in recruiting work in St. Stephen and vicinity.

Mrs. Frank A. Duston holds her first reception since her marriage, to-morrow (Thursday) afternoon, from three until five o'clock.

Lieut. Hardy N. Ganong was one of the young soldiers that were cordially welcomed in town during the past week.

Mr. Dwight Meserve, Manual training teacher in the Calais public schools, is a patient at the Chipman Hospital.

Services were held in Christ Church schoolroom on Sunday as the defect in the chimney of the church is not repaired yet to allow of a fire being built in the furnaces.

Mrs. A. E. Vessey, who has spent the past two months in Montreal, arrived home this week.

Mrs. Aubrey Upham, who was recently operated upon at the Chipman Hospital, is reported to be improving, but still very ill and weak.

Mrs. J. P. Wry is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. C. N. Vroom received a telegram from Ottawa, on Saturday, containing the news that his son, Pte. Karl Vroom, had been wounded in the left arm, but received no particulars. Pte. Vroom is one of the brave fighting 26th, and has been in France for some time.

Lieut. Reginald Maxwell, of the 104th Battalion, is in town for a brief furlough. His brother, Mr. Allan Maxwell, who is manager of a bank in the Canadian West, is also here for a visit.

Mr. Amos Mallory, proprietor of the St. Stephen bakery, is a patient for surgical treatment at the Chipman Hospital.

Mrs. Fitzsimmons, an elderly lady of Milltown, had the misfortune to fall and break her right arm in two places. She was taken to the Chipman Hospital where it was found the bone of the arm in such a condition that the arm was amputated at the shoulder.

Dr. Townsend, of Riverglade Sanitorium, was in town on Friday last.

Mrs. Ralph T. Horton, of Calais, is visiting friends in Boston.

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26TH BATTALION

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Anning, William
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Grant, Arthur
Greenlaw, Ernest
Kelly, Alton
Kingshott, Harold
Markey, James
Markey, Percy
McDowell, James, Jr.
McQuoid, Charles
Purton, Frank
Richie, Clifford
Rigby, Oscar
Turner, Earl
Williamson, Fred
Williamson, Guy
Woodbury, Fred A.
Young, Claude

55TH BATTALION

Handy, J. Joseph

64TH BATTALION

Stuart, R. A. Jr.

104TH BATTALION

McCarty, George
McMullen, Bernard
Rogers, Thomas
Sharkey, Edward

115TH BATTALION

Crichton, Clarence
DeWolfe, Cecil
Duggan, Stanley
Grimmer, Frank
Horsnell, Herbert
Lowery, George, C.
Malloch, Chester
McCullough, Robert
McClure, John
McKay, Everett
McMullen, Arthur
McQuoid, Fraser
McQuoid, Vincent
Nutter, Harry
Pendlebury, Joseph
Reed, Philip
Ross, George
Sommers, George
Stone, David
Storr, Melbourne
Taylor, Andrew
Tracy, Colin

6TH C. M. R.

Everett, Herbert
Grimmer, Harley
Grimmer, Stuart
McMullin, Herbert

PRINCESS PATRICIA

Cork, Alfred B.

Other Battalions

Grant, George

Enlisted, but either not accepted, or returned for other reasons

Camick, Clarence
Cummings, Kenneth
Gaynor, William
Grimmer, Herbert
Maloney, Benjamin
McDowell, Fred
Richardson, Hector
Ross, Willard

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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To the Editor of the Beacon

Sir:—

The following resolution has been introduced into the House of Commons by, H. H. Stevens, M. P., of Vancouver, B. C., and Hon. Charles Marcil, M. P., of Bonaventure, Quebec:

"That at this time when the Empire is at war, the conservation of the wealth and resources of the Dominion, and the promotion of the efficiency of our nation, would be materially aided by the prohibition of the manufacture, importation and sale of intoxicating liquors for beverage purposes, and in the opinion of this House legislation for this purpose ought to be enacted forthwith."

The Quarterly Official Board of the Methodist Church, in this Town, at a recent session, held on February 28, passed a resolution unanimously approving of the above contemplated action, while the congregation assembled last evening, March 5, for public worship in the Methodist Church, by a standing vote unanimously endorsed the action of the Quarterly Official Board.

Communications conveying these sentiments, have been forwarded to the Rt. Hon. Sir. R. L. Borden, Prime Minister, and to our representative, T. A. Hartt, M. P.

Yours truly,
R. W. WEDDALL

DIED

TREADWELL—On Monday, March 6, at Oakland, Cal., of heart failure, James Treadwell, son of the late John Peck Treadwell, of St. Andrews, aged 67 years 8 months.

OBITUARY

MRS. SAMUEL MASON

A gloom was cast over the town on Tuesday morning last, when the news of the death of Mrs. Mason, wife of Mr. Samuel Mason, which had taken place at 6.30 that morning, became known. On Tuesday of last week she suffered the loss of her infant child, about three weeks old, but was able to accompany the funeral to the cemetry on Thursday. On Sunday last she was apparently feeling quite well, and went for a walk in the afternoon. After returning home she ate a hearty supper and was all right until midnight, when she was taken suddenly ill with ptomaine poisoning. Everything possible was done to alleviate her condition, but she never rallied, and passed away on Tuesday morning in the 29th year of her age, leaving to mourn her loss, a sorrowing husband and three small children, two daughters and one son.

The deceased, who had a bright and pleasing manner, and a lovable disposition, was greatly beloved by those, whose pleasure it was to know her. Her domestic life had been very happy, which makes her loss all the harder to bear.

The funeral was held on Thursday afternoon, and was largely attended. The service, which was held at the house, was conducted by the Rev. R. W. Weddall, assisted by the Methodist Choir, who sang "Nearer my God to Thee" and "Abide with me." Interment took place in the rural cemetery. The pallbearers were, Mr. Thomas Mason, Mr. Arthur Turner, Mr. John Hopkins, and Mr. Frank McMullon.

The deepest sympathy is extended by the entire community to the stricken family in their sad and sudden bereavement.

WILLIAM NODDIN.

On Saturday, March 4, occurred the death of William Noddin at his home at Deadman's Harbor.

Deceased, who was 56 years of age, suffered a stroke of paralysis over three years ago, and during the last 18 months has been in almost a helpless condition. All his sufferings during this long time were borne with Christain patience, and he only waited the time he should be freed from pain. So he has gone, and in his death the community has lost a good, honest, Christian man, and the home a loving husband and father. He leaves to mourn, a widow and eight children, viz. Mrs. Theodore Wright, of Beaver Harbor; and Vernon, of Back Bay; and George, Leonard, Lucretia, Nina, Lavinia and Irene at home.

Michael Noddin, of Beaver Harbor, and John Doone, of St. Andrews, are brothers of the deceased, and Mrs. Ezra Justason, of Pennfield, a sister.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. H. D. Worden on Tuesday afternoon. The Choir sang Does Jesus Care?, Shall we meet beyond the River, and Abide with me.

The pallbearers were Guilford Eldridge, Neil Cross, Edgar Wadlin and Daniel Thompson.

JAMES T. TREADWELL

A telegram was received on Tuesday last by Mr. Nathan Treadwell informing him of the death of his brother, James T., which took place, from heart trouble, on board a ferryboat on which he was returning from San Francisco to his home in Oakland, Cal.

Deceased was a son of the late John Peck Treadwell of this town, and was in his 68th year. He and his brother, John, went West when they were young men, and soon after located the famous Treadwell gold mine on Douglas Island, Alaska. Later they organized the Alaska Treadwell Gold Mining Company, which was subsequently sold to the Rothschilds for a large sum of money. They also made money in quicksilver mines, but suffered a heavy loss in the San Francisco fire.

Besides his wife there is left to mourn his loss, two sons, Charles and George, and one daughter, Mrs. Milton Horsewell, all in the West, and two brothers, John, of New York, and Nathan, of St. Andrews; and two sisters, Mrs. James Stoop, of St. Andrews, and Mrs. Robert McQuoid, of Eagle Point, Oregon. Many of the older residents of the town remember the deceased quite well, and were shocked to hear of his sudden death.

IN REMEMBRANCE

At her home in Dorchester, Mass., on February 29, death came, gently and painlessly, to Mrs. Harriet Topliff Todd. She was the widow of Dr. W. H. Todd, of St. Stephen, N. B., and was the last member of her generation of that family group at St. Stephen and Milltown, whom Charlotte Co. people will remember for their wide hospitality, geniality and graciousness. Fortune had prospered them and they contributed of that prosperity to the happiness of that large circle who were honored as friends, and which overflowed to friends' friends.

Dr. Todd was "the beloved physician," of genial presence, fine tastes and noble characteristics. Mrs. Todd possessed a strong personality; quick-witted, open-hearted, with a sparkling, kindly manner, generous, warm impulses, firm convictions and executive ability. Their beautiful home, set in the midst of spacious grounds and gardens, was a real haven, a delight for many a guest who ended the day there with music, games or conversation, or chose to have a quiet chat with the doctor in his study.

A daughter and a niece, and, for a number of years the dear old father, Mr. Houghton, made up a singularly gracious household.

Mrs. Todd possessed a rich, strong, voice for singing; she was a sympathetic reader and forcible speaker, using her talents freely in every good enterprise which she was called upon to aid. She was an active church member, a valuable community worker, and took a special interest in the Woman's Christian Temperance Union. After Dr. Todd's death, some twenty-five years ago, she, with her daughter and niece, removed to Dorchester, Mass., and not long afterward was appointed to the position of Secretary of the State (Mass.) W. C. T. U., having her office on Beacon Street, Boston, for some years.

The Dorchester home, in its pretty setting, soon became filled with the same air of cheer and welcome to old and new friends alike, and here within its walls the writer spent a happy evening and a peaceful night, with talk of mutual friends and reminiscences of old times and incidents. So little apparent change there was in the dear hostess, in face or manner or opinions, that her calm statement about her own precarious health did not produce a depression upon the little group, and after our last good-byes were said in the morning, after her firm hand waved a last farewell from the window, the separation seemed transitory.

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