FROM ALL OVER THE MARITIME PROVINCES

YARMOUTH

Yarmouth, N. S., Jan. 29—Yarmouth was shocked on Sunday morning last to hear of the sudden death of one of her well known and most highly respected citizens in the person of William McGill, who dropped dead in the vestry of Providence (Methodist) church, where he was a regular attendant. He was 74 years of age and was a native of Shelburne county, but removed to Yarmouth when a young man, where he entered into partnership with his brother, Chas. L., and conducted a boot and shoe business up until 1875, when he retired from that concern to become clerk of H. M. customs, which position he resigned four years ago. Besides one daughter, Mrs. George R. Earl, he leaves two sisters, Mrs. James Wyman, of Pleasant Lake, and Mrs. Israel Trask, in Massachusetts; and two brothers, Oliver, of Yarmouth, and Edward, of Boston.

William Seagars, another of Yarmouth's valuable citizens, passed away on Sunday morning last at the home of his son, James R., Starrs Road, aged 72 years and 5 months, after a week's illness of pneumonia. He was born in Girvan, Ayrshire, Scotland, in August, 1843, and came to Yarmouth from New York in 1895. Up until a year or two ago he was a faithful foreman of the spinning room of the Cosmos Cotton Company. He is survived by two sons, John W. and James R., of this town; two sisters and one brother, in Scotland, and three sisters and one brother in California.

On Monday morning Samuel Killam died at his home on Willow street after a few days' illness of pneumonia. He was a son of the late Thomas Killam, M. P., and was born October 30, 1846. In early life Mr. Killam followed the sea as master of the bark Observer, of his father's fleet, but later retired from that position and entered into partnership with S. A. Crowell in the hardware business known as Killam, Crowell & Co. In 1876 he withdrew from that firm and was appointed mill superintendent of the Cosmos Cotton Company, which position he filled up until a year ago. He was held in high esteem and always took an interest in the welfare of this community. He leaves a widow and two sons, Herbert, of Victoria (B. C.), and Rowland, of Pawtucket (R. I.), also one brother, John H., and three sisters, Mrs. W. H. Heartz, Mrs. Geo. A. Hood and Mrs. James H. Cann, of Milton. The funeral took place on Thursday afternoon from Tabernacle church where he was a regular attendant.

Driver Leeman Hersey, D. A. C., who enlisted with the First Contingent, and who has spent seven months on the battlefields, arrived home on Monday night, having received his discharge from further service. He received a kick from a horse which necessitated his laying up. He was met at the train by the band, which escorted him to his home on Main street. Later in the evening he was entertained at his home and was presented with a signet ring and an address by his friends.

Tuesday was nomination day for the civic elections, and as there were no more candidates for mayor and councillors than was necessary to fill the vacancies, all the candidates were elected by acclamation, viz: Capt. Augustus Cann for mayor, and F. C. Kinney, R. H. Davis and J. J. Cameron as councillors. This is at least the fifth time in the history of the town that no election was necessary either for mayor or councillors.

At the weekly meeting of Diamond Lodge, I. O. O. F., No. 51, held Thursday evening, the following officers were installed by D. D. G. M. Charles H. Smith, assisted by P. G. Charles G. Pollard as D. D. G. M.: N. G., G. H. Langtry; V. G., Frank Crosby; recording secretary, B. P. McKay, P. G.; financial secretary, R. H. Goudey, P. G.; treasurer, J. Bond Gray, P. G.; chaplain, Charles G. Pollard, P. G.; warden, Benj. Cleveland; conductor, George H. Williams, P. G.; R. S. S., Samuel Malone; L. S. S., Aaron C. Porter, P. G.; I. G., Frank Cox; O. G., Frank Leonard.

Miss Olive Burrill has returned from St. John, where she has been spending a month with her brother, Guy Burrill.

Mrs. A. R. Suttie returned on Saturday last from a visit to her sister, Mrs. Charles E. Brown, Halifax.

Mrs. J. H. Seagars, who has been the guest of Mrs. W. E. Perry, Yarmouth North, returned to New York on Saturday last.

W. L. Harding left on Saturday last on a business trip to Boston and New York.

Miss Hazel R. Hines was a passenger to Boston on Saturday evening last.

Misses Bessie and Josie Pettet left on Saturday last to visit in Dedham (Mass.)

Frank D. Cahan, of Hoboken (N. J.), who has been visiting his mother, Mrs. Charles Cahan, Hebron, left to return to the above place on Saturday last.

Mrs. Herbert Sollows left on Saturday evening last for Boston, summoned there by the illness of her daughter.

George Randall, who has been absent from Yarmouth for over seven years, arrived from Boston on Saturday morning last, to visit his mother, Mrs. Randall, Yarmouth North.

Miss Leta Cain has returned from her visit in Halifax.

Miss Lalla Grant, Weymouth, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Albert H. Hood.

Mrs. Amos Churchill and her son, Albert Churchill, of Short Beach, were passengers by steamer Prince George on Saturday morning last, from Boston.

Miss Elsie Corning, of Beaver River, was a passenger by steamer Prince George on Saturday morning last, from Boston.

R. W. E. Landry left on Saturday evening last for Boston.

Mrs. Sophia Corning was a passenger by steamer Prince George on Saturday evening last for Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. T. Spinney, who have been visiting in Boston for the past month, returned home on Wednesday.

Colin Gray, son of J. S. Gray, of this town, has arrived home from McGill and joined the 85th Battery. He will leave shortly for Halifax.

Hon. E. H. Armstrong, of Halifax, is visiting in town, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Hood.

Rev. C. R. Cumming, of Holy Trinity, Bridgewater, arrived in town on Monday evening, and while here was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Spinney.

Captain Burns, of the Boston commission firm of Burns & Cochran, was a passenger from Boston on Wednesday.

Miss Florence Jenkins, of New York, and Rowley Killam, of Pawtucket (R. I.), arrived here on Wednesday morning to attend the funeral of their late father, Samuel Killam.

Miss Catherine Moulesong, who has been visiting friends in Boston for the past two months, returned home on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Ehrgott returned home on Wednesday morning from New York.

Captain F. W. Pickles, who has been spending a few weeks leave at his home here, left on Thursday morning on his return to duty at the front in France. Mrs. Pickles and daughter accompanied him as far as St. John.

Captain and Mrs. O. L. Seeley, of Lower Argyle, who have been on a visit to Massachusetts, arrived home on Wednesday morning.

Captain and Mrs. S. N. Durkee, of Wellington, left on Wednesday evening for a visit to Boston.

Mrs. A. S. Geitzler, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Royden K. Smith, of this town, left this evening for New York to join Captain Geitzler, of the Grace liner Chincha, which arrived there on Tuesday.

Miss Carrie Phillips, of Montreal, who has been visiting her parents, Rev. and Mrs. William Phillips, of this town, left for the above place this morning.

Mrs. Bessie Lovitt and her daughter, Miss Madeline Lovitt, left for Halifax this morning, where they expect to remain several weeks.

CHIPMAN

Chipman, N. B., Jan. 29.—Miss Louise Ferris, Sussex, and Mrs. M. B. Rees, Waterborough, were guests of their brothers here for over Sunday.

Miss Alice Lockhart, who has been visiting Miss Vera King, returned to her home in St. John on Saturday.

E. A. Porter, St. John, spent a few days of this week here, the guest of his mother, Mrs. R. Porter.

Rev. J. H. Markham, Riverside, (N. B.), arrived here on Saturday and will supply in the Baptist church until the first of March. While in the village Mr. Markham will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Branscombe.

Hon. L. P. Farris, White's Cove, was a week-end guest of Dr. and Mrs. H. P. Hay.

Mrs. R. C. Ritchie spent Saturday in Fredericton.

The congregation of the Baptist church here have extended a call to Rev. David Price, of Middle Sackville. The call has been accepted and Mr. Price expects to take up his work the first of March.

Miss Idella Darrah entertained a few of her friends informally and very pleasantly at the Chipman House on Saturday evening. Among those present were Miss Vera King, Miss Robina Richardson, Miss Bessie Orchard, Miss Nellie Harper, Miss Ida Harper, Miss Jessie McEwen, Miss Margaret Porter.

Friends here heard with regret of the death of Warren Branscombe, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Branscombe, The Range, after only a few days' illness of pneumonia and measles. Mr. Branscombe was well and favorably known here, having been in the employ of the King Lumber Company for several years and the heartfelt sympathy of the community goes out to the bereaved family. A number of people drove down from the village to attend the funeral which was held on Tuesday afternoon.

The funeral of Miss Alida Nugent, daughter of the late Dr. J. G. and Mrs. Nugent, was held on Friday afternoon, Rev. E. E. Mowatt conducting the service in the Baptist church. Interment was made at the Briggs Corner cemetery. Among the relatives here attending the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Burnett, Fredericton; Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Machum and Mr. and Mrs. H. Machum, St. John.

Mrs. Rose McDougall, Fredericton, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. J. D. Hassen.

Mrs. A. F. Armstrong, who has been confined to the house for the past week throung illness, is much improved.

Fred Orchard, Mill Cove, was the guest of relatives in the village a few days this week.

APOHAQUI

Apohaqui Jan. 31—Sergeant Major George K. Chapman of the 104th (Sussex) spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. George H. Secord and Mrs. Secord. Mrs. Secord has the honor of having three brothers who have donned the khaki, two of whom, Horace Chapman and Guy Chapman being at the front. Sergeant Major Chapman also served his country in the South African war and though through many thrilling engagements was fortunate enough to return without suffering any serious injury.

Mrs. Charles Keith, Petitcodiac, spent a short time last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George I. Veysey.

Mrs. George Veysey has been very ill wtih grip, but is convalescent.

Miss Greta Hallett, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Jones, since Christmas, has accepted a position with The Mills Eveleigh Company and left this morning to take up her duties.

Miss Ethel Chapman, of Sackville, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. George H. Secord.

Herbert Wright, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wright, of this village, has enlisted for overseas service being a member of the 104th. Mr. and Mrs. Wright have another son, Private Harley Wright, at the front.

GRAND FALLS

Grand Falls, Jan. 29.—Major Laughlin, of D company, 104th battalion, spent the week-end in town the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Wiley. He returned on Monday to Woodstock.

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Leighton, of Limestone, were in town on Monday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Leighton's grandfather, G. W. Day.

Mrs. R. P. Donald is at home again after a month spent with relatives in Chatham.

James Watson returned on Monday from Andover, when he spent several days with his sisters.

Mrs. Roy Whelpley and family left on Saturday to join Mr. Whelpley in Moncton, where they will remain.

The stork visited the home of Mayor and Mrs. Collins on Tuesday, and left a baby daughter.

Phydime Cote died at the home of his father-in-law, J. L. Belanger, on Saturday. He was thirty years of age, and had been ill about two years with tuberculosis. He leaves a wife and two children. The funeral was held on Tuesday morning at the R. C. church.

Mrs. Archille Pelletier, who has been very ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Chas. Cyr, St. Leonard's, is recovering.

Miss Laura Mulherin, Miss Reama Evans, Master Cecil Merritt, and Adrian McCluskey, all of whom have been quite ill, are able to be out again.

Miss Hazel Estey has received notice that she has been accepted as a student nurse at the Montreal General Hospital, and will report for duty on March 8.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hanson and Master Perley, of Andover, spent a day in town this week.

Frank Bell was successfully operated on for appendicitis at the St. Basil Hospital on Tuesday, and his parents have received word that he is doing as well as can be expected.

Miss Mary Burgess was able to resume her duties at school on Tuesday. On Monday, Mrs. Carruthers was taken ill, and her department has been closed all this week.

Owen Saunders died at his home here on Friday after a long illness, at the age of seventy-three. He leaves a wife and two daughters. The funeral was held on Sunday afternoon at All Saints' church.

Mr. Connors died at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pirie on Wednesday. He came here from Woodstock some months ago and has been living with Mr. Pirie since. He was seventy-six years of age, and had been ill about two weeks. The funeral was held on Friday morning at the R. C. church.

Mrs. W. R. Wright has returned from a two weeks' visit to her sister in Carleton county.

Mrs. H. T. Bonnell is at home again after a month's visit to her home in Tracey's Mills.

A recruiting meeting was held in McLaren's Theatre on Friday evening, presided over by Dr. C. A. Kirkpatrick. The speakers were Major Kennedy, Rev. Mr. Hurlow, of Tracey's Mills, and formerly pastor of the Baptist church here, Rev. Mr. Crabtree and R. P. Donald.

SALISBURY

Salisbury, N. B., Feb. 1—The advanced department of the Salisbury Superior school which has been closed since the Christmas holidays when the principal, Gene Colpitts, resigned to enlist for overseas service, was reopened again this morning with L. H. Barnett as principal.

Howard Lewis is reported dangerously ill with pneumonia. His son Stephen came in from his home in Dorchester on Monday and is at his father's bedside.

The condition of Guilford J. Trites, who has been confiend to his home for some weeks with grip, continues about the same.

Rev. A. D. McCully, who was ill, is able to be about again, and resumed his pastoral work on Sunday last.

Salisbury, N. B., February 2—Miss M. J. Gaynor, secretary-treasurer of the Salisbury branch of the Red Cross Society, reports that at the last regular work-night meeting held on Tuesday evening, February 1, another box was packed for the soldiers and forwarded to St. John today.

A very pleasant event in connection with the Salisbury Red Cross Society took place after the work for the evening was laid aside on Tuesday. The company were invited to the home of the ex-president, Mrs. Victor E. Gowland, when a linen shower was tendered to Miss Annie O'Blines, one of the most popular members of the society, in honor of her approaching marriage to one of Salisbury's popular young men, who is wearing the khaki and is at present in training at Halifax. The valuable offerings were not confined to linens, however, as Miss O'Blines also received a number of valuable and pretty pieces of cut glass and china. A tempting lunch was served and the evening passed very pleasantly. A regrettable feature was that Mrs. Gowland who had kindly planned the pleasant function, was too ill with a cold to leave her bed.

PETITCODIAC

Petitcodiac, Jan. 28—Dr. H. E. Mann, D.D.S., formerly of this village, has received appointment of lieutenant in the Canadian army dental corps, attached to the 132nd battalion.

The death of Mr. and Mrs. William Snyder, of Portage Vale, will be heard of with regret by their many friends in various parts of the province, they having rupn a summer hotel at that place for a number of years. Mrs. Snyder was buried on Sunday, and that evening Mr. Snider passed away.

Mrs. J. Esty who has been the guest of relatives the past week, returned to her home in St. John on Wednesday.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, Jan. 31—Many friends regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Lucy McRae, widow of James McRae, which occurred yesterday morning at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Howard Woodworth, of Chemical Road. Mrs. McRae, who has been spending the most of her time lately with another daughter in Lubec (Me.), was visiting Mrs. Woodworth, when she was taken ill with pneumonia. She was upwards of 80 years of age and was formerly Miss Wilson, of Albert Mines. She was twice married, her first husband, a Mr. Montgomery, having died many years ago. After her second marriage she took up her residence and lived for many years at Memel, a few miles from this village, where she was well and favorably known. Since the death of Mr. McRae, she had been living with her daughters. Of these surviving, are Mrs. Toft, of Lubec (Me.); Mrs. Haword Woodworth, of Chemical Road, and Mrs. Jos. E. Smith, of Seattle (Wash.) William H. McRae is a stepson.

Word has been received of the death at Portland (Me.), of George O'Boyle, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. James O'Boyle, of Chemical Road. Death was due to pneumonia. The deceased leaves a wife and one child. He is also survived by his parents, one brother, Peter, at Chemical Road, and two sisters, Mrs. Whitman Milton, of Albert Mines, and Mrs. H. A. Haley, living in the western states.

William Wallace, of Hopewell Cape, who suffered a paralytic stroke, while chopping in the woods near his home, a few days ago, died this morning, his death under such sad circumstances causing deep and widespread sorrow throughout the community, where he was held in universal esteem. Mr. Wallace, who was about 45 years of age, was in his usual health on the morning of his illness, and went into the woods on his farm to cut firewood. After some hours, he arrived home, having crawled out, during spells of partial consciousness. He was only able to point to his head, and had evidently sustained some injury, or had suffered an attack of paralysis, the latter appearing more probable. Mr. Wallace was a man of kindly and genial disposition, industrious and honorable, and had hosts of friends everywhere. He was a staunch supporter of the Catholic church and was a regular attendant at the services of that communion. Besides his wife, who was formerly a Miss Duffy, he leaves a family of seven children, the eldest about eighteen years of age. His father died many years ago, his mother afterwards becoming Mrs. McCarron, of Harvey. The McCarron young men of Harvey are half-brothers of the deceased.

At a recent meeting of the women's patriotic league, it was decided to have a tea and social at the home of Mrs. J. C. Stevens on Monday evening, February 14.

The death occurred this week at Albert Mines, of Mrs. Smith, widow of William Smith of that place. The deceased was 80 years of age, but had been in fair health until recently. She was held in high esteem. Three sons survive—Chipman and Whitman, of Albert Mines, and Sanford, living in the States. Another son, Howard, died a few years ago.

NORTON

Norton, N. B., Feb. 1—Mrs. Vernon Keirstead and son Cecil have returned to their home in St. John, after spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Keirstead.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Parlee and son of Hartford (Conn.), are visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Heine returned Tuesday from Woodstock (N. B.), where they were visiting Rev. and Mrs. Coy.

Herritt Allaby of the 115th Battalion, St. John is very ill at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Allaby.

Mrs. Warren Baxter and little daughter of St. John have been visiting friends and relatives here.

Mrs. J. F. McKay and son of Harvey, York county, are spending a few days with Mrs. McKay's mother, Mrs. B. Harmer.

Mrs. Warren Copp, of Sackville (N. B.), was the guest this week of Mrs. Thomas Humphrey.

Miss Bertha Higgins, of St. John has been visiting her sister, Mrs. J. W. Gallagher.

Miss Stella Carson spent Sunday with friends in St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. Heber Sharp, of Halifax who are returning from a trip to Montreal and Toronto are the guests of Miss E. J. Stark.

HARVEY STATION

Harvey Station, Feb. 1—Captain L. P. D. Tilley, of St. John and Sergeant-Major Brewer of Fredericton addressed a largely attended meeting in the hall at Manners Sutton on Friday evening in the interests of recruiting. Two young men, Warren Dykman and Leonard Messer, were secured. There was some disappointment at the non-appearance of Lieut.-Colonel Guthrie who was also expected to address the meeting. It is probable that more young men in this section will enlist.

The N. B. Metals Ltd., of Lake George have recently shipped upward of twenty tons of antmony from the mines there, the shipments were mostly to Philadelphia and Montreal over sixty men are now employed at and around the mines.

Charles Glasier who had his hand taken off by a wood cutting machine at Magaguadauic a short time ago is making good progress toward recovery. He is staying at Robinson's Hotel here.

There have not been any preaching services in the Presbyterian churches here for three Sabbaths owing to the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. F. McKay, who is undergoing surgical treatment at the Victoria Hospital, Fredericton. Mr. McKay is reported to be doing nicely, but does not expect to resume his work here till the middle of February.

GAGETOWN

Gagetown, Jan. 31.—Rev. and Major C. G. Pincombe was her this week to take part in the funeral services of the late Charles Dykeman, of Jemseg. While in Gagetown, Major Pincombe was the guest o fDr. and Mrs. J. A. Casswell.

On Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marshall, a very pleasant social evening was spent, a collection being taken up for missions, and the sum of seven dollars was realized. A large number drove down from Gagetown to attend, and the evening was enjoyably passed in games and other amusements.

Mrs. H. B. Bridges, president of the Women's Institute, entertained the members of the institute most pleasantly on Saturday evening. The guests brought their work, and while their fingers knitted busily, they puzzled their brains over a series of clever conundrums, the prize for guessing the greatest number, going to Miss Pearl Peters. All listened with keen interest and appreciation to the splendid letters written home from the front by the various Gagetown boys, all of whom were recipients of the well-filled Christmas boxes sent by the Women's Institute. Nearly all spoke of the fine condition in which the boxes arrived, showing that the postal service is good "even where the big shells fall," but one member of the 1st Battalion declared his box looked "as if it had been all through the war." After the serving of delicious refreshments, the pleasant gathering broke up.

Mrs. Rubins, who has been spending the week in Fredericton, returned home on Saturday evening.

Miss Ella Simpson and Miss Jessie Weyman were visitors in Fredericton on Saturday.

Mrs. Daniel Brooks received the good news last week, that her daughter, Mrs. Ross, of St. John, who had been very seriously ill with pneumonia, is now out of danger. Mrs. Ross' husband is overseas with the Army Service Corps.

George McDermott, whose barns were all destroyed by fire early in the winter has now rebuilt two of them, the frame for which he and a number of friends took down from Swan Creek last week. A party of about fifteen went up to Swan Creek on Thursday, H. B. Bridges taking E. S. Brodie, N. H. Otty and Mr. McDermott up in his car, and the day was spent in taking down the barn which was previously the property of L. Hoben.

Mrs. Arch. McAllister has been quite ill during the past week, as the result of an accident in which she fell, striking her side.

ANDOVER

Andover, N. B., Jan. 31—Mrs. Frances West, of Centreville, has spent the past week in the village visiting Mrs. Thomas Cameron and Mrs. M. S. Sutton.

Miss Ruth Hopkins, of Fort Fairfield (Me.), has been visiting her aunt, Miss Sarah Watson.

Mrs. Elijah Sisson returned last Monday from Four Falls after a pleasant visit with friends.

Charles Armstrong, who is training in St. John for overseas service, spent several days last week with his mother, Mrs. Van Namee Armstrong.

Dr. and Mrs. J. W. P. Dickison went to Kincardine last Tuesday to attend the Burns celebration.

Mrs. G. B. Peat received a night letter Tuesday morning from Cranbrook (B. C.) telling of the safe arrival there of her mother, Mrs. C. M. Tibbits. Mrs. Tibbits will spend several months in Cranbrook with her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Sadler.

On Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Harold L. Alcorn entertained a number of young people at their home in honor of their guest, Miss Mary Henderson, of St. Stephen, and Harry Love, who is soon to be transferred from the Perth branch of the Bank of Montreal. The drawing and dining rooms were cleared for dancing while the den was set apart for those who wished to play cards. About midnight a dainty supper was served. Miss Janet Curry, Miss Pearl Waite and Miss Gertrude Tibbits assisted Mrs. Alcorn in serving. Included among the guests were Miss Tressa Hoyt, Miss Millicent Carter, Miss Beatrice Gillett, Miss Rosa Hoyt, Miss Emma Wootten, Miss Gertrude Kilburn, Miss Kathleen Beveridge, Miss Effie Sisson, Misses Grace and Gertrude McPhail, Miss Sylvia Cronkite, Miss Lucy Dionne and Messrs. LeBaron Hopkins, Robert Curry, Ivan Rivers, Dr. McIntosh, Donald Wiley, Sherman Sisson, Herbert Knox, H. Kirby, Norval and Wilfred McPhail, Harry Wade, G. Birmangham, Charles and Edward Armstrong.

Mrs. Gillen, of New York, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. B. W. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Reed Bedell entertained very pleasantly at auction on Monday evening last. Their guests were Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Carter, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Alcorn, Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Wootten, Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Niles, Dr. and Mrs. R. W. L. Earle, Miss Mary Henderson, Miss Mabel Peat, Miss May Armstrong, Messrs. Harry Wade, Edward Armstrong and G. Birmingham. On Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Bedell again entertained at auction when their guests were Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sadler, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Spike, Mrs. J. A. Perley, Mrs. Bertha Waite, Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Beveridge, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Gillett, Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Waite, Miss Mabel Peat, Dr. McIntosh and Mr. Syson.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hanson and Master Perley Hanson spent several days last week at Grand Falls the guests of the Misses Fraser.

The members of the Round Table Literary Club were entertained by Mrs. James Tibbits at the court house on Thursday evening.

Miss Bessie Wright is visiting friends at Grand Falls for several weeks.

Miss Ada Johnston has returned to her duties with the George T. Baird Co. after a pleasant two weeks' vacation spent with relatives in St. John.

The members of the Baptist Sewing Circle were entertained at the home of Mrs. John Inman on Friday afternoon, double teams taking the party up.

Fire broke out in the Hatfield & Scott potato house at Andover Station Thursday evening but was quickly gotten under control and no serious damage was done.

Mrs. H. L. Alcorn entertained a few children for the pleasure of her small son, Douglas, on Friday afternoon from 4 to 6.

James Magill, of Fort Fairfield (Me.), spent several days last week in the village, the guest of his sister, Mrs. R. B. M. Wiley.

Miss Mame Cronkite, of Fort Fairfield (Me.), is the guest for the week-end of her aunt, Mrs. Bruce McLaughlin.

Miss Annie Armstrong, of Lickford, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Van Namee Armstrong.

Mrs. William Field entertained at dinner on Saturday evening. Her guests were Miss Mildred Wallace, Miss Hilda Lamont, Miss B. Gratz, Miss Ruth Harper, Miss Louise Blakslie, Miss Fowler and Mrs. M. I. F. Carvell.

Miss Annie Bedell, who has been working in the C. P. R. offices at Presque Isle (Me.), is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. John Bedell. She has been transferred from Presque Isle to Plaster Rock and leaves for there today.

Mr. Atkinson, of Fredericton, was the guest on Sunday of his niece, Miss Burnetta Gratz.

The members of the Soldiers' Comfort are very busy getting ready for a Scotch concert which they are putting on at the Specialty on Tuesday evening, Feb. 1.

N. J. Wootten, recruiting officer for Victoria county, has had official notice from Ottawa to hasten preparations for the billeting of three platoons of soldiers in Andover and Perth. The W. W. Johnston house in Andover and the old school house and C. W. Lewis house in Perth are being prepared.

Word was received here on Saturday of the death of Mrs. Henry B. Neal at the Presque Isle hospital after a week's illness of pneumonia. The late Mrs. Neal was formerly Miss Ethel Grant and was well known in Andover. Besides her husband and three small children she is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Grant, of Aroostook Junction; two sisters and two brothers. The funeral will be held at Presque Isle (Me.) this afternoon. Much sympathy is felt for the family in their bereavement.

N. A. Hanson is confined to his home with a severe case of la grippe.

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NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY ORANGE LODGE

Newcastle, Feb. 2—Northumberland County Orange Lodge met in annual session in Newcastle yesterday afternoon and evening. In the absence of County Master Major Cuthbert Donald, of Upper Blackville, who is at the front, County Deputy Master Babkirk presided; R. A. Walis, secretary.

D. Co. Master Babkirk reported that during the year a district lodge had been established having under its jurisdiction lodges Nos. 134 (Morehouse), 142 (Blissfield), 155 (Doaktown), and 158 (Carroll's Crossing.) All in western end of the county. A new lodgehad beenorganized at Coughlan (No. 166), on Aug. 12.

He was sorry to have to report the absence of W. Co. Master Major Cuthbert Donald and Co. Chaplain Private S. R. Wood from our midst, but glad to know that they saw it their duty to take up arms to defend the king and country.

He reported one new L. O. B. A. during the year (Douglastown), making three in ithe county.

The address of welcome, on behalf of the local brethren, was given by H. H. Stuart.

The correspondence committee's report was adopted, sections 1—3 reading as follows:

1. Your committee note with approval the progress made by the organization in the western part of the county, of a district lodge and trust that it will be for the advancement of our noble order; further, that this county lodge is to be congratulated on the organization of a new lodge at Coughlan, No. 166.

2. Your committee notes with deep satisfaction that two members of our executive, namely the W. county master (Major Cuthbert Donald, Upper Blackville), and county chaplain (private S. R. Wood, Douglastown), have offered their services for king and country and the defence of liberty, and would recommend that this worthy county lodge secure a roll of honor and that the names of the worthy county master and county chaplain, and al other brothers who have gone to the front, be inscribed thereon. Further, that the roll of honor be kept b ythe county master and unveiled with the warrant, wherever the lodge is constituted. Further, that primary lodges berequested to keep brothers serving at the front in good standing.

(Sgd.) ALEX. RETTIE.
W. J. SUTHERLAND.

Hon. Donald Morrison, first county master of this county, was called to the chair, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

W. Co. master, J. W. S. Babkirk, Loggieville; deputy Co. master, R. A. Walls, chairman; R. S., H. H. Stuart, Newcastle; treasurer, H. T. Atkinson, Douglastown (re-elected); chaplain, W. W. Hierliby, Loggieville; F. F., S. A. Frost, Chatham; D. of C., D. C. Smallwood, Newcastle; lecturer, A. C. Anderson, Chatham; deputy lecturer, F. A. Philips, Douglastown; Charles Cameron, Chatham.

The next meeting will be in Chatham.

After installation of officers, the county lodge adjourned, and the members were entertained to supper in St. James hall.

LIVELY SCOTT ACT CRUSADE IN NEWCASTLE.

Newcastle, Feb. 1—Scott Act circles have been lively the last few days. The proprietor of the Windsor Hotel has been fined $100 for second violation of the act, and the proprietor of the Miramichi Hotel sent to jail for a third offence. Both these cases are appealed. In addition there has lately been another successful raid in each, and in all six new cases are up against them.

The funeral of the late Elizabeth McCafferty, who died on Saturday, of pneumonia, aged 45, was held yesterday, interment in St. Mary's cemetery. Cornelius McCafferty is a brother of deceased.

The soldiers of the 132nd were entertained in Temperance Hall last night by the members of the Baptist congregation. An excellent programme was provided by the soldiers and their hosts, and luncheon was served.

The Roman Catholic people will entertain in the same place next Monday night.

OTTAWA OFFICER WEDS IN ENGLAND.

London, Feb. 2—(Montreal Gazette Cable)—The marriage was celebrated at Newinton church, Folkestone, today, of Lieut. C. Heathcote Graham, of Ottawa, of the 2nd Divisional Train, to Miss Dorothy Buckwell. The bride's father, who is vicar of the parish, performed the ceremony. Major F. McKean acted as best man, while many Canadian officers were present, including General and Mrs. Steele and General and Mrs. MacDougall. The bride was secretary of the Beachborough Park Hospital.

Elected Mayor of North Sydney.

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 1—F. W. Kelley was re-elected mayor of North Sydney today over his opponent, T. C. Hart, by an overwhelming majority, the figures being: Kelley, 564; Hart, 80. W. H. Buchanan and P. McNeill were elected to the council board.

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HOW TORIES MADE THE MONEY FLY

Ottawa, Feb. 1—The public accounts for the last fiscal year, tabled in the commons today, give some interesting figures as to the details of the growing expenditures of the present administration, apart altogether from the war and at a time when revenues were rapidly declining. During the twelve months, including eight months of war, the government spent $248,098,000, of which $60,750,000 is charged up to the war account.

The total domestic expenditure for the ordinary expenses of administration was $185,523,000, while on capital account for public works there was spent $41,447,000; for railway subsidies, $5,191,000, and for lead, binder twine and petroleum bounties, $124,000.

The government spent nearly $2,500,000 more on the ordinary expenses of administration than the total revenue amounted to. And in addition it spent about $47,000,000 on capital account.

While revenue decreased by about $30,000,000, consolidated fund expenditure increased by over $8,000,000, and expenditure on public works by over $4,000,000, at a time when a policy of economy and retrenchment was being preached and practiced throughout the country.

It is interesting to note that in the total of $60,000,000 charged up to war account the department of militia and defence spent only some $53,000,000.

The naval service spent a little over $3,000,000 on war account, and the trade and commerce department spent another $3,000,000.

Censors Cost Over $100,000.

In the details of expenditures for militia the main item is $25,106,000 for pay, allowances and subsistence. It may be noted that for boots and repairs to boots a total of $1,070,000 was expended, while the censors' service cost over $100,000.

Apart altogether from the war the militia department spent in the year $10,060,000, which was only a little over $1,000,000 less than for the fiscal year 1913-14.

Included in capital expenditure for the year are the following items: National Transcontinental Railway, $9,882,000; Hudson Bay Railway, $4,774,000; Welland canal, $4,074,000; St. John harbor improvements, $2,000,000; Quebec bridge, $2,816,000; Port Arthur and Fort William harbors, $1,500,000.

The total amount of annual salaries for the 18,526 permanent employes of the civil service is given as $14,813,291. This makes an average annual salary of $1,080.

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