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**LOCAL NEWS**

**PLACING NEW HYDRANT.**  
A new type of hydrant is being installed in Union street, opposite the head of George street. As it was necessary to cut the eighth water main to connect the new six-inch supply pipe, the water in that district was cut off for several hours this morning.

**LOCAL ARTIST COMPLIMENTED**  
Many highly complimentary remarks were made regarding the excellent work of the artist, Mrs. H. H. McAvity, formerly of this city, when a portrait of Hon. M. H. Gouge, speaker of the Nova Scotia council, was unveiled in Halifax on Wednesday. Mrs. McAvity has earned an excellent reputation as an artist, and particularly as a portrait painter.

**NEED MORE ROOM**  
On account of the steady increase in their business, the Eastern Steamship Corporation has found that their present warehouse accommodation is becoming inadequate. They have under lease from the city the large wharf on the point which is not occupied and they have applied to the city for permission to have a warehouse erected on this part of the wharf.

**WORSE THAN THEY THOUGHT**  
The work of replacing the old wooden sewer which runs across the city from the bridge to Brussels streets is likely to be more extensive than had been estimated. It now appears that the continuation of the sewer across the head of Brussels street to the place where it enters a main sewer in Union street, is in bad condition also, and that this will have to be replaced. The officials had hoped that it would not be necessary to open the street, but this now appears inevitable.

**MRS. GEO. B. STACKHOUSE**  
Many will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. George B. Stackhouse, which occurred at her residence in Kitchener street this morning, after a lingering illness. She was sixty-four years old and is survived by her husband, three sons, Benjamin A. George E., and Sterling B., all of this city; three brothers, Charles Stackhouse of this city and Thomas and Benjamin of California; three sisters, Mrs. B. Garey of South Boston, Mrs. James Logan and Mrs. E. Pace, both of this city. The funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon.

**ACCIDENT TO CAPTAIN HAYES**  
Captain Ralph Hayes, son of Mayor Hayes, who is at the front in command of a battery of artillery, has had the misfortune to dislocate his shoulder, his first mishap since going over with the first contingent. At the time of the accident he was riding and a shell burst nearby. He was severely wounded and Captain Hayes tried to throw himself clear so that he would not be caught under the animal when it fell. There came a bad tumble which resulted in the dislocation. He did not allow the accident to interfere with his work, and returned to duty.

**WON IT ON MERIT**  
The Y. M. C. I. bowling team not only brought back from Calais the trophy which marks the championship of the New Brunswick and Eastern Maine, but they proved themselves the most consistent and steady bowlers of any team in the series. Besides winning cup they won the high single string score, which goes to Captain George V. McGee, who rolled up 125 in his first game; the highest individual average of the whole series, which honor goes to John Coughlan, the anchor man of the local team who had an average of 100; the high three string total, which also goes to Coughlan, who made the good score of 384, an average of 111, and finally the total pinfall.

**WELL PLEASED**  
Brigadier-General H. H. McLean, G. O. C. of the New Brunswick command, accompanied by Lieut.-Colonel McCreese, returned to the city last evening after a tour of inspection. While absent, the general inspected the forestry company at Sussex, under the command of H. S. Jones, also the divisional ammunition draft at Sackville, under the command of Lieutenant Gunn. Both units, said the general, were composed of a fine lot of men and he especially mentioned the members of the forestry unit. Men who have seen the forestry unit report that it is composed of a typical lot of New Brunswick woodsmen, men that can take their place with the best woodsmen in the world. There is no doubt that when they come to help the timber in England and France they will give a good account of themselves. Both units are to change their places of training soon.

**A WILD TIME**  
Probably a runaway in the city has not for some time caused more excitement than yesterday morning. The delivery team of O'Neil Brothers of the City Market, started in a wild dash about 8.30 o'clock from King street east, ran around Crown street into the lower end of Union and from there up the stretch of Union street and was finally stopped at the corner of Charlotte. The runaway was marked by the narrow escape of several old ladies from serious injury. As it was an elderly lady who was knocked down near the corner of Union and Charlotte streets, but was only slightly injured. The driver of the team received bruises but was able to return to work in the afternoon. It is said that some part of the harness became entangled in the horse's feet and caused the animal to become wildly excited. He was finally subdued and thrown to the ground in Charlotte street. Those who witnessed the runaway say that it was sensational and it was amazing that no one was seriously injured. The horse narrowly escaped plunging through several large plate glass windows.

**DIRECTORS OF VALLEY RAILWAY RESIGN**

The resignation of the directors of the St. John and Quebec Railway, the "Valley" road, have been placed in the hands of the provincial government and have been accepted.

W. S. Fisher of this city, who recently was appointed to take charge of the Ross rifle factory in Quebec, had already handed in his resignation and it has been followed by those of F. W. Sumner of Moncton, president of the company, and John D. Palmer of Fredericton, the treasurer.

New directors will be appointed immediately by the provincial government and the work of constructing the railway will be pressed forward to completion in a vigorous manner.

**OF BIG INTEREST IN WAR CIRCLES IN SAINT JOHN**

**General Re-habilitation of the Defence Force in the Dominion.**

According to the statement of Major-General S. C. Mewburn, who is in charge of the organization of the Canadian Defence Force, the departure of the overseas troops is to be followed by a general rehabilitation of all militia units in the Dominion.

The present state of the C. D. F. organization only calls for the city militia regiments to recruit battalions for the defense of Canada, though it was suggested a couple of weeks ago that the artillery would be asked to do the same. This latter part of the work, however, has not yet been put under way, and now it is announced that it is the intention of the department of militia to make an attempt to build up all the branches of the militia, infantry, artillery, army service and army medical corps, and all the allied services, in order that they may all be brought up to their pre-war establishment of men who are physically fit for service according to the present overseas standard.

Just how soon this new work will be undertaken, General Mewburn was not in a position to state, but it is the next step under contemplation.

Should the militia department decide to take this step it will add eight new militia regiments in this district. The commanding officers of the following units will be called upon to don the uniform and get in the field for recruits: The 8th Hussars, 28th New Brunswick Dragoons, Mounted Company, Corps of Guides, 4th Brigade, Canadian Field Artillery, 1st Field Company, 1st Telegraph Detachment, No. 7 Company, Canadian Army Service Corps, and No. 8 Field Ambulance. The commanding officers of all these units will be called upon to recruit up to full strength, and will go into camp during the coming summer. The same orders issued for the mobilizing of the infantry units, it is understood, will apply to these units.

**INTERESTING CASE IN CHANCERY COURT HERE**

**McKeown vs. Shand a Dispute in Matters in Connection With Ashburn Lake Properties.**

An interesting case is now being tried in the chancery division of the supreme court, with His Honor Chief Justice White presiding. Agnes Grace McKeown, wife of Chief Justice McKeown, is the plaintiff, and Adam Shand the defendant. Parties to the suit own a part of the land which forms a part of the plaintiff's land, and the plaintiff in her statement of claim alleges that the defendant has wrongfully removed the fence which formerly separated the adjoining lands and has enclosed a part of the plaintiff's land with his own, and has erected and now maintains a building upon a part of the plaintiff's land so enclosed by him and has cultivated the same and is now wrongfully in possession thereof. The plaintiff's claim is for an injunction restraining the defendant from maintaining his fences and buildings upon the plaintiff's land, and for possession thereof, and for a declaration of title thereof, and for damages.

The defendant in his defence sets out the allegations that in addition to the lot of land which he now owns he also has a right of way over the plaintiff's property. The defendant declares that when the plaintiff came into possession of her property, the plaintiff was reserved to him mill privileges, water rights and easements to the plaintiff's land. The defendant denies that he has reserved any fences, which at any time separated the lots of land described in the plaintiff's statement of claim, and also denies that he has set any fences over upon the land of the plaintiff, or that he has enclosed any part of the plaintiff's land with his own, or that he has erected, or that he now maintains any buildings upon any part of the plaintiff's land, or that he has cultivated any part of the plaintiff's land, or that he is now in possession thereof. The defendant further alleges by way of counter-claim that he is entitled to privileges and easements over the plaintiff's property which included the use of the road way to and from the lake, free and clear of any obstructions thereon.

The plaintiff in reply to allegations set out in the defence declares that any privileges or easements which went with the property now owned by the defendant when the plaintiff came into possession of her property, were reserved to her by the plaintiff, and that the right of way and other easements were granted for the sole purpose of maintaining access to the waters of the said lake and stream for the purpose of the said mill, and not otherwise. The plaintiff further alleges that prior to the defendant coming into possession of the property now owned by him, the mill was destroyed and ceased to be used or occupied, resulting in an abandonment and discontinuance of the right of way.

The following witnesses have been called for the plaintiff—A. E. Hanson, Fredericton; W. T. Peters, Catherine Moore, Eileen Moore, Hugh McHugh, Francis Burpee and William J. McLean. The plaintiff took the stand this morning in her own behalf. Francis Kerr and M. G. Teed, K.C., are for the plaintiff, and J. B. M. Baxter, K.C., and Dr. W. B. Wallace, K.C., for the defendant.

**NOW IS MAJOR**

Captain Rev. J. H. MacDonald of the 28th Kilties, has been promoted to be major. Major MacDonald's many friends throughout the province will be pleased to hear of his splendid promotion.

Major C. J. Morgan, who has been attending a course at the Royal School of Infantry, Halifax, has returned to duty with the 28th Kilties.

**PUPETS FOR THE ADMIRAL**

During the performance of Pinafore last evening at the Opera House, when the bouquets were going up over the footlights, F. C. MacNeill received a very artistic box decorated with the flags of the Allies, including the Stars and Stripes. It is whispered that the box was filled with the admiral's favorite brand of cigars.

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