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Fredericton, Oct. 15.—Lieut. E. J. Lonsbury has received orders to send 25 or 30 Dragoons to St. John, where they will be engaged in the remount station in connection with the work of the British war office. In all about 120 men will be engaged at the remount station during the winter, and those who have seen service at Camp Sussex with the Dragoons will be given the preference in being sent to St. John. Other men who have had experience in the care of horses will be given a chance also.

**Extra Cash Specials**

For Friday and Saturday

October 16th. and 17th.

**GENERAL LIST**

15c. tin Clark's Baked Beans, plain, tomato or chili sauce, 12c.  
15c. tin Campbell's Soup, 11c.  
12c. pkge. Dromedary Dates, 9c.  
2 tin (Crema) Maple Butter, 25c.  
15c. bottle Tomato Catsup, 10c.  
12 1/2 lbs. Onions for, 25c.  
12c. tumbler Upton's Jam for 9c.  
10c. pkgs. Lipton's Jelly, 8c.  
1 tin Thistle Brand Tomatoes, 5c.

**CLEANERS, ETC.**

5 cakes Sunlight Soap, 21c.  
5 pkgs. Pearline, 21c.  
15c. cake Bon Ami, 12c.  
15c. cake White Castle Soap, 11c.  
1 tin Old Dutch and 1 tin of Pearline, the two, 17c.  
25c. jar Silver Cream, 21c.  
25c. tin Royal Biscuits, 21c.  
30c. tin No-Dust, 25c.  
4c. Little Beauty Broom, 3c.  
25c. bottle Re-Nu-All, 21c.  
25c. bottle Liquid Veneer, 21c.  
50c. bottle Liquid Veneer, 40c.  
50c. bottle Re-Nu-All, 40c.

**STEREO BEEF**

So good for cold weather

10c. tin Bouillon Cubes, 8c.  
25c. tin Bouillon Cubes, 20c.

**CANDY**

1 lb. Special Nougatine Choco-lates for, 37c.

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**St. John Headquarters For Province Patriotic Fund**

Lieutenant Governor Wood announced at a meeting of the Patriotic Fund executive this morning, that St. John had been chosen as headquarters for the Provincial Patriotic Fund organization. This decision was arrived at after the governor had conferred with the mayors of the New Brunswick towns.

The following representatives have been chosen for the different centres:

Fredericton, T. Carleton Allen and Mayor Mitchell.  
Moncton, Mayor Gross and W. H. Price.  
Miramichi, Hon. L. J. Tweedie and Hon. John Morrissey.  
St. John, the present subcommittee consisting of Mayor Frink, Senator Thorne and Messrs. Barnhill, Schofield, Agar and Secretary-Treasurer C. B. Allan.

**LOCAL NEWS**

**FROM NEW YORK**

The tern schooner *Minnie Slauson*, coal laden from New York, is due today.

**CHARTERED**

The barkentine *Edhel Clark*, now in port, has been chartered to load at Dipper Harbor.

**FOR REPAIRS**

Wm. Thomson Company's tug *Nepenthe* steamed today for Yarmouth to undergo repairs.

**LITTLE ONE DEAD**

Many friends will be sorry for Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conway of 121 Sheriff street in the death of their little daughter, Teresa Madeline.

**KANAWHA REPORTED**

The Furness liner *Kanawha*, bound for St. John direct with general cargo from London was reported ahead of Cape Race at 8 a. m. today, due here on Saturday night or Sunday morning.

**SURPRISE PARTIES**

At the residence of Rev. and Mrs. J. J. Pincherne, Silver Falls, last evening a pleasant time was spent when a novelty shower was tendered Miss Bertha Arthur, in anticipation of a nuptial event in which she will soon be a principal. Many substantial remembrances were received. All present enjoyed themselves with games, music and refreshments.

The members of Friendship Camp last evening gave a pleasant surprise to Mrs. James McSherry, who has been their champion on their outings during the summer, when they called upon her at her home in Erin street, and presented to her a token of appreciation. Fred Quinn made the presentation. All present enjoyed themselves with games, music and dancing, with refreshments served at midnight.

**DELEGATES BEGIN TO POUR INTO FREDERICTON FOR BAPTIST MEETINGS**

**Maritime Convention This Week—St. John and Quebec Railway Arbitration**

Fredericton, N. B., Oct. 15.—The first delegates for the Maritime Baptist convention will arrive this afternoon and evening. About 800 representing all sections of the maritime provinces are expected. The United Baptist Institute will meet tomorrow morning and will hold three sessions. The list of those down for addresses includes Rev. Dr. Francis, Rev. H. T. DeWolfe of Acadia Seminary and Rev. I. S. Nowlan. The convention proper will meet on Saturday morning and continue until Wednesday evening. A. W. Stearns of Charlottetown is now president of the convention, having succeeded Nelson B. Smith of Halifax, who died in January. Rev. Dr. Francis will conduct devotional exercises at the opening of each session. Rev. E. E. Daley has been selected to deliver the convention sermon. The pulpits of the local evangelical churches will be occupied on Sunday by visiting clergymen in the arbitration case of the St. John and Quebec Railway Co. and Fraser Ltd. has been set down for November 10. The arbitrators—John P. Burchill, George J. Colter, and John M. Stevens—yesterday made an inspection of the company's lands which are intersected by the railway.

**APPLICATION DISMISSED**

**No Jurisdiction, Decides Judge Grimmer in Matter of C. P. R. and Valley Road**

Hearing was had before Mr. Justice Grimmer this morning in the case of the C. P. R. vs. The Quebec and St. John Construction Co., Limited, on motion of the plaintiff to continue an injunction restraining the defendants from obstructing their track at Fredericton. R. B. Hanson, who appeared for the I. C. R., contended that the court had no jurisdiction, and the government was doing the work. His Honor upheld this view, and dismissed the application to continue the injunction. E. E. Taylor, C. C. apppeared for the plaintiff, and M. G. Teed, K.C., for the defendants.

**GETS GOOD NEWS FROM HIS NURSE SISTER**

Kingston, Ont., Oct. 15.—Professor J. M. Lanoes of the Royal Military College, has received a letter from his sister in France, telling him of the safety of his aged parents. His sister is a nurse with the French army, and his father is at the front.

Professor Lanoes also would be at the front with his companions as he had volunteered for the dangerous work of interpreter with the British forces, but owing to physical disability due to recent illness, he could not pass the physical test.

**THOSE MAIL HORSES**

Charles Crawford, who has the contract for mail delivery in the city, declares that the criticisms of a correspondent of the Times are unfounded. Instead of the route being forty miles a day it is only twenty-two miles, made in three trips in a day, as he has nine horses in his stable and changes them about. If they move with considerable speed between stops there are frequent stops. Moreover, the route must be covered in a given time. With regard to the appearance of the wagons, the department only requires that they shall be painted once a year, and this is done. He has personally heard no complaints, and has been made at the post office, except one charging that the mail was collected earlier than it should be at one of the boxes, and this charge was false. Mr. Crawford is of opinion that the criticism is inspired by something more than a desire for the welfare of his horses.

**DENNIS-WOOD**

The marriage of Miss Hilda Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wood, of Halifax, and William H. Dennis, business manager of the Halifax Herald, took place last evening at 6:30 in Fort Massey Presbyterian church, Rev. R. W. Ross officiating. It was a rose wedding and one of the prettiest hymeneal events of the season. The bride was attended by two bridesmaids, Miss Sara Dennis and Miss Olive deBlois, and a little flower girl, Miss Isabel Wood. P. O. Sturmy acted as "best man," and H. A. Wood, M. S. Clarke, Clifford Jubien and C. A. Vossnack as ushers. A reception to about seventy-five guests was held after the church service at the residence of the bride's parents, 47 South street.

**PRESBYTERIAN PASTORS**

The congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Campbellton, have extended a unanimous call to the Rev. R. A. McDonald, of Calais, Me., to fill the vacancy in that pastorate caused by the resignation of Rev. T. P. Drummond.

Rev. E. Wallace Watts, a former pastor of St. Andrew's church, Clifton, is now minister of the Presbyterian church at Mendota, Ill.

**PRESCOTT-FARRIS**

A pretty wedding took place at St. Peter's church at Springhill, York county yesterday afternoon at three o'clock when Miss Ethel Farris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Farris of Springhill, was united in marriage to Dr. A. H. Prescott of Woodstock.

**TAKES TO MONTREAL A GOOD REPORT OF CONDITIONS HERE**

The Montreal Journal of Commerce says—George Badgley, who has just returned to the city from John N. B. said that he had found the real estate situation quiet there, but business on the whole was better than here. There seemed to be more money, perhaps this was due to the fact that salaries were generally as good, and the cost of living was much less. Mr. Badgley said that great improvements were going on all the time, which were bound to increase the value of real estate in the city.

The plant of the Atlantic Sugar Refinery was going to be built near this plant. Work on the new wharves was still going on and the street car line was being extended.

Mr. Badgley, in speaking of the situation in France, said that although things were very quiet, he did not doubt that they would come back to their normal state in a few months. His feelings were those of confidence.

**CANADA MUST EQUIP AND DRILL MORE MEN**

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir—I was pleased to note in last evening's issue of your paper that you have the courage of your convictions and that you are advocating that Canada do more than she is now doing to assist the Empire in this time of trial.

The man who today by reason of his anxiety in his country's behalf ventures to criticize or suggest any more aggressive policy in connection with the war is immediately put down as an arm chair critic. Personally I would very much prefer to be an arm chair critic to being only his courage to set fire to Rome. In my opinion the man or men who are so self-satisfied that they do not realize the danger this country is in are following in the historic role of the man who fiddled while Rome was burning.

I am glad that some newspapers such as yours realize the gravity of the situation and do not dismiss as trivial the many danger indications to our cause which should be very apparent to all. What we need is some one to set the heather on fire in Canada and rouse our people to the necessity of arming and equipping and drilling a force ten times as large as that now proposed to be sent. The spirit of the people can never be awakened by the self complacency of those who are entirely satisfied that the war is being prosecuted successfully on our part, and that we are doing all that is necessary to prepare for the greatest struggle the Empire has ever had to face. The paper or person who deliberately sits down and tells us that everything is going all right is merely inviting the youth and energy of our country to look upon matters in the same way, and decide that it is not up to him individually to assist. The arm chair critic is accused of all the crimes down to treason, but in my opinion he is invariably the type of man who is anxious to assist his country, whereas the man who is satisfied with things as they are is only encouraging the spirit of indifference that made it possible for three hundred of the best recruiting material in our city to spend two afternoons recently awaiting the returns from a Yankee ball game, while refusing, in most cases, to give one or two evenings a week to drill for the defence of their country.

Cannot something be done to chloroform dispensers of soothing syrup who are doing so much to keep our people from awakening to the danger of the situation? I am glad to know that the Times is doing its share to arouse our people. May you keep up the good work!

**ARM CHAIR CRITIC.**

Dr. Albert T. McMurray left Fredericton on Wednesday evening for Boston, where he will undergo an operation for a throat trouble.

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- Boys' White Lisle Gloves ..... 15c.
  - Boys' White Pleated Shirts ..... \$1.00
  - Boys' White Dress Bows ..... 15c.
  - Boys' Linen Handkerchiefs ..... 25c.
  - Boys' Black Cashmere Hose ..... 25c, 35c, 50c, 65c.

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We have a large stock of Fur Coats, every one made up in one of the latest styles, and we would be glad to show them to you.

Muskat Coats ..... \$55.00, \$60.00, \$65.00, \$75.00, \$90.00, \$100.00 to \$135.00  
Near Seal Coats ..... \$75.00, \$85.00, \$100.00, \$110.00, \$125.00  
Marmot Coats ..... \$5.00  
Hudson Seal Coats ..... \$165.00, \$175.00 to \$225.00  
Persian Lamb Coats ..... \$350.00, \$375.00, \$400.00 to \$480.00

These coats are 40 to 52 inches long.

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