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Local Items of Interest

News Notes of Town and Country Happenings
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BORN.

At Campbellton, Dec. 26th, to Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Millican, a son.

MUNICIPAL COUNCIL.

The Restigouche Municipal Council will meet at Dalhousie next Tuesday, Jan. 15th.

DIED OF WOUNDS.

The name of H. A. Harvey of Matapedia appeared in the casualty list of Tuesday. He is reported as having died of wounds.

RENDERING ACCOUNTS.

January is settling time. If your account books, statements or envelopes are getting low let the Graphic print you a fresh supply. Prompt service. Prices right.

COLD SNAP BROKEN.

After a two weeks run of extremely cold weather, the coldest for many years, a rise in temperature was evident Thursday afternoon. Friday about eighteen inches of snow fell and Saturday it rained.

FINANCIAL SUCCESS.

The informal dance in the Masonic Temple given by the Campbellton Fire Brigade last Friday evening was a most enjoyable affair in every way. The net proceeds were \$100.00 which will be forwarded to the Halifax firemen.

TO MONTREAL HOSPITAL.

A special train was run from New Carlisle on Sunday last with Hon. John Hall Kelly who was ordered to Montreal hospital, where he was to be operated upon for some trouble to one of his legs. His many friends trust he will not be long confined to the hospital.

CONCERT POSTPONED.

As the programme for the week of prayer has a service for the evening of the 11th, the S. C. A. have postponed their concert which was advertised for that night to some future date, notice of which will be duly given. The Society will return money to those persons, having paid for tickets for the concert.

OBITUARY.

Thos. W. Flett.
Newcastle, Jan. 3.—The death of ex-County Councillor Thomas W. Flett, one of the most respected and prominent citizens of South Nelson, occurred yesterday at the Miramichi Hospital. Deceased was afflicted with diabetes, and underwent the amputation of one of his legs last Friday. He was a well-known and honorable business man, having for years operated a saw and carding mill at Nelson. He was a Presbyterian in religion, and was a Past Master of Northumberland Lodge, No. 17, F. A. & A. M. Besides his wife, formerly Miss Margaret Doak, of Doaktown, he leaves three brothers, John, of Nelson, and William and Charles of Boston.

MATAPEDIA RED CROSS.

The Red Cross Workers will meet at the home of Mrs. Alex. Pratt, Friday, Jan. 11th.

CONGRATULATIONS.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Millican are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a son and heir at their home.

CASH FOR FIREMEN.

Messrs. A. & A. Ferguson handed Chief O'Donnell \$10.00 as a token of appreciation for the brigades good work at the fire in one of their houses on Jan. 2nd.

BORN.

On Sunday evening, Dec. 30th, at Bathurst, a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Guyon Merreseau. Mrs. Merreseau was formerly Miss Lou Russell of Newcastle.

BE PATRIOTIC.

You don't have to go to war to be patriotic. Improve your locality, uphold your own, enlarge its interests, and lend a hand to progress, and you are a patriot—a lover of your country—as truly as a soldier who shoulders his musket.

ANOTHER HERO.

Elsewhere in these columns we publish the fact that Lt. Lorne C. Montgomery of New Richmond, Que., had been awarded the Military Cross. Now comes word that his brother Sergt. A. R. Montgomery has been awarded the Military Medal.

INCREASES NEEDED.

Because of the greatly increased cost of living there is a movement on foot to increase the salaries of Anglican rectors in New Brunswick. The parishes of Stanley, Newcastle, Chatham, Bathurst, Norton and several others have already decided to advance the stipends. It is also planned to increase the salaries of the diocesan missionaries.

OBITUARY.

Mr. Arthur O'Leary.
The death occurred at his home at Richibucto on Sunday of Mr. Arthur A. O'Leary aged 63. He is survived by his wife, who was Miss Whalen of Richibucto and two daughters, Lillian and Edna, both at home. He also leaves two brothers, Patrick, of Campbellton, and John of Rexton, one sister, Mrs. Thomas Cantwell, of Campbellton.

TWO SPEEDY TRIALS.

His Honor Judge McLachy held court under the Speedy Trials Act on Thursday and disposed of the cases against Louis Soloni, charged with shooting another Italian named Julian, and Thos. Glazier, for assaulting Joseph in a lumber camp. After hearing much evidence, the court sentenced Soloni to six months, and Glazier to thirty days in the county jail.—Bathurst Northern Light.

GETS MILITARY MEDAL.
Many friends here will be pleased to learn that Capt. T. O'Brien has been awarded Military Medal.

PROFESSIONAL.

Dr. A. Pierce Crockett, Eye, Ear, Nose and Throat Specialist, of St. John, will be at the St. Louis Hotel, Campbellton, Friday, Jan. 11th, where he may be consulted professionally. Jan. 10-11-pd.

EXTENSION OF SALE.

Many of our customers have requested that we would not close our discount sale until after the Railway pay-day in consequence we have made closing day 22nd inst.

J. F. GALLAGHER.

CHRISTMAS GREETINGS.
Sergt. Reuben Dickie of the 104th has sent the Battalion Christmas greeting cards to a number of local friends. The card is attractive in design and contains a photo of all the warrant officers, staff sergeants, and sergeants of the Battalion.

AFTERNOON TEA AND SALE.

The Campbellton Women's Institute will hold an Afternoon Tea and Sale at the home of Mrs. Hiram Farrar, Union Street, Friday Jan. 18th, from 3 to 6 p.m. Tea 15c. Proceeds to be used to carry on the patriotic work of the Institute. The public are cordially invited. Everybody welcome. Jan. 10-2-wks.

WHITE-MILLER.

A very pretty wedding took place on Jan. 1st, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Miller, River Louise, when their daughter Margaret Elizabeth was united in marriage to Mr. Ernest D. White, of Marlboro N. H.

The bride was daintily gowned in white embroidered net over satin, with cut crystal trimming, with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a handsome bouquet of bridal roses, and fern.

The bride was attended by her sister Emma who was prettily dressed in rose crepe-de-chene and carried a bouquet of carnations.

The groom was supported by Mr. Bonner Hamilton. The Rev. F. L. Jobb officiated.

The bride entered the room on the arm of her father to the strains of "The Voice that Breathed o'er Eden," organist being Miss Lennie McNair.

After the ceremony and congratulations, a dainty lunch was served in the dining room, after which music led by Miss Annie Hamilton and game were enjoyed.

The newly married couple were the recipients of many valuable and pretty gifts, among them being a silver tea service, and \$130. in gold and notes.

Mr. and Mrs. White left Thursday morning for Boston and other New England towns.

Their many friends unite in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

MARRIAGES.

At the Manse, New Richmond Que. 1917., Dec. 20th, by Rev. E. J. Rattee, B. A., D. Wesley Walker of Glencoe, N. B., and Cinderella Best, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Best of Grand Cascapedia.

At the Manse, New Carlisle, Que., Dec. 20th, 1917, by Rev. E. J. Rattee, C. Albert McGie and Annie M. St. Croix, both of Hopetown, Que.

In St. Andrew's Church, New Richmond, Que., Jan. 7th, 1918 by Rev. E. J. Rattee, Robert Miles Willet of New Richmond and Edith May Coyle of Grand Cascapedia, Que.

A RED CROSS LETTER.

Do the women of Montreal and Quebec Province realize that the Red Cross supplies have been very much depleted by the heavy calls made upon them by the Halifax disaster. There is a great scarcity of everything to ship overseas, and the demands are far more and more of everything. I know that you are all weary and tired, but the men are weary and tired too, and they have to carry on. Cannot now groups be formed and new workers be found who will help the Red Cross in her hour of need. There are thousands today who have been faithful workers and will continue to the end, but will not those who have a little spare time come to our assistance now.

It would be a sad day for us if we had to buy supplies when, I am sure, there are willing hands to make them. Think of our sick and wounded in the Canadian Hospitals in England and far off France, do not let them appeal to us in vain. I beg of you all to rally to the Red Cross, and pray that the day is not far distant when our efforts may relax, and that 1918 will bring us peace.

PRESIDENT, LADIES' EXECUTIVE

CANADIANS HAVE KNOWN NO DEFEAT.

Side by side with the men of France, the Canadians have taken a glorious share in the campaigns of the past year which has been marked by the steady decline of the enemy's strength and morale in the Western theatre since the fall of Espinay.

To the world the acceptance of the defensive by the Central Powers in what, from their forty years' preparation, was to have been the theatre for a triumphant offensive, the Canadians have moved surely forward from victory to victory.

In the desperate fighting at Vimy Ridge, at Hill 70 and afterwards when our troops closed steadily in around Lens, winning back for France vital mining regions, and finally at Passchendaele, when Canada, by forming the ridge, completed the capture of this key position, the Dominion in the field has known no reverses. What they have been told to take they have taken. What they have won they have held. Our artillery has come into its own as never before until now.

The enemy admits the superiority of our guns even as he fears to meet our infantry with the bayonet.

To the glory of Ypres, Festubert, Givenchy, St. Eloi, and the Somme have been added new triumphs. Our men have done the work given them to do and have done it nobly but the cost has been heavy. The mud-stained and battle-scarred battalions have sadly thinned ranks and have lost many officers. Artillery brigades have their stories of days and nights of perpetual shelling, of brave men who answered the last post and of brave officers who fell fighting the guns.

IS GERMANY STARVING

(From the Philadelphia Public Ledger)

One of the unknown factors in the war is the internal condition of Germany. The collapse of Russia, the renewed Teutonic offensive on the western front and in Italy, may be discouraging to the Allies. Yet it is easy, in our ignorance of what is going on behind the lines to take too gloomy a view of the situation. Thus Vorwaerts asserts that, although the profiteers and the upper classes still have enough to eat, no less than forty million Germans are literally starving.

How long can they endure the pressure of want? Vorwaerts goes as far as to say that "we might have within a month an absolute catastrophe," resulting in defeat. This may be an exaggeration, intended to defuse the Allies with false hopes. There would be no occasion for surprise, however, if the huge military Colossus should be broken to pieces by inward weakness. This has happened before in the world's history. Indeed, the very desperation of the German attempt to win a victory at no matter what loss of life is an ominous sign.

MAY CONVENE EARLY IN MARCH.

Speculation as to the Opening of Parliament.

Ottawa, Jan. 8.—The hope is expressed generally by the cabinet ministers in the city that it may be possible to have parliament convene early in March and its deliberations confined to a three months period in order that prorogation may come before the hot weather.

Hon. J. A. Calder minister of immigration and colonization, and the Hon. T. A. Crear, minister of agriculture, arrived in Ottawa this morning and will attend a council this evening.

HIS LAST CHANCE.

(Presbyterian Witness.)

Of Sir Robert Borden, it is difficult to speak confidently. He was for six years the nominal head of an administration which it is impossible to remember kindly. Probably no government in Canada ever went down under a greater cloud of general condemnation. But no government ever held office in such trying times or tried to rule under greater difficulties. This must be kept well in mind in attempting to judge Sir Robert's part in it.

No one will deny the excellence of his personal character. The worst charge which can be brought against him is lack of self-assertiveness and individual initiative. The fact that in the end he became the author and finisher of unionism affords evidence that he has at last realized himself, and will henceforth prove worthy of his exalted opportunity which the people of Canada have a second time bestowed upon him. Should he take full advantage of that opportunity, with the colleagues whom he now has around him, there need be no fears of his union administration. But no further indulgence can be granted him. If he fails now, he will fail irretrievably.

CANADA AND THE UNITED STATES

Dr. A. H. U. Colquhous, Deputy Minister of Education for Ontario calls attention in The Canadian Magazine for January to the fact that American historians at last are telling the truth about the American War of Independence and the War of 1812. This he regards as a hopeful sign. The Honourable Charles Langelier makes a plea for respect to Quebec's place in the Dominion, and J. W. Norcross gives strong reasons why the Dominion Government should begin to build a Canadian merchant marine. There are several unusually good short stories by Beatrice Rodpath, Horace Anselmy Vachell, Blanch Gertrude Robins and others.

PAPER MILLS CLOSE ON ACCOUNT OF CAR SHORTAGE

Quebec, Jan. 2.—In a statement given out by the firm of Price Brothers & Co., Limited, the closing down of their pulp mills in Kenogami is announced owing to the shortage of cars. The statement adds:

"Other paper mills in this vicinity are also affected. Unless this condition is relieved very promptly, it will lead to a considerable shortage in newspaper production which would be a very serious thing in view of the fact that publications today are considered of national importance."

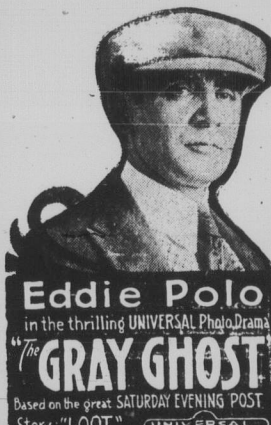
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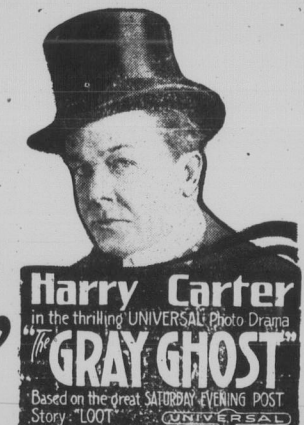
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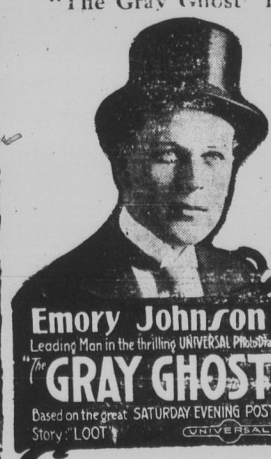
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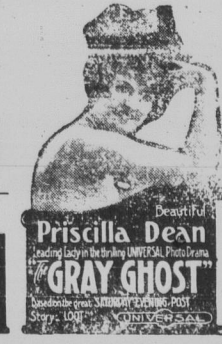
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