Social and Personal

Miss Amelia Kennedy was in St. Stephen this week as the guest of the New Brunswick Graduate Nurses Assgciation.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. D. Merritt, of Seattle, with Mrs. Jennie Wilson and Miss Elaine Wilson motored from Houlton and spent a few days in town this week, at Kennedy's Hotel.

Mr. B. Donaghue, of Boston, is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Patrick Donaghue.

Mrs Hedley Wren and family, of Boston, arrived by Tuesday's boat.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Atherton Smith, of St. John, are occupying their summer residence here.

Mrs. D. C. Campbell, of Ottawa, spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. David Stuart and children, of Montreal, are visiting Miss Wade.

Mrs. Allan Grimmer entertained at a small Bridge on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. G. Horne Russell, of Montreal, is spending the summer at Kennedy's Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. McVay, and Mr. and Mrs. W. McVay and baby motored from St. Stephen on Sunday.

J. B. Cronk and E. J. Sawyer, of Grand Manan, were registered at Kennedy's Hotel this week.

Mrs. Julia Gillmor and Miss Kate Washburn, of Calais, are the guests of Mrs. Alice Osburn, "The Cabin" Beech Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gillespie, of Calais, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gillespie, of Boston, were in town on Monday.

N. Marks Mills and H. C. Purves motored down from St. Stephen on Tuesdoy.

Capt. H. Coleman, of Calais, was in town on Monday.

Mrs. T. J. Caughey entertained at a most delightful childrens's Garden Party on Wednesday afternoon.

Lieut. James Mallory, Canadian Engineers, of Toronto, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mallory.

Mrs. George Babbitt entertained at the tea hour on Friday.

Capt. and Mrs. N. M. Clark, Miss Marjorie Clarke, and Mrs. F. P. Barnard motored to St. Stephen on Saturday.

Mr. Halbert Burson, who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Albert Denley, has returned to his home in Boston.

Mrs. Robert Clarke and little daughter, Kathleen, of Perth Amboy, N. J., are staying with Mrs. Warren Stinson.

Mr. Raymond McCarthy, who has been attending the Seminary at Halifax, is spending his vacation with his father, Mr. Timothy McCarthy.

The Misses Green, who have been the guests of Miss Kathleen Cockburn, have returned to their home at McAdam.

Mrs. F. P. McColl and family, and Mrs. Henry Smith, have arrived from New York and are occupying "Sunny Bank" at the head of Lake Chamcook.

Judge and Mrs. Grimmer and Miss Lois Grimmer were in town last week.

Miss Florence Stickney has returned home from St. George and St. Stephen.

Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Forgan and family, of Chicago, have opened their summer home here.

Mrs. Stanley Robinson and family, of Brownville, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. James McDowell.

Mrs. Robert Hare and little daughter have returned from St. John.

Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Grimmer have returned from a motor trip to Fredericton.

Inspector MacLaren, of the Customs, was in town last week.

Mr. Allan Grimmer went to Woodstock on Monday.

Miss Ethel Hughes, of Milltown, spent the week-end the guest of Mrs. Roy Gillman.

Many St. Andrews people took advantage of the excursion on the *Grand Manan* on Saturday to visit St. Stephen and Calais.

Mr. Charles Small, of Boston, is spending his vacation in town.

Miss Florence E. Tavers, of Portland, Me., will give readings from James Whitcomb Riley in the Andraeleo Hall on the evening of Thursday, July 19, in aid of the RED CROSS SOCIETY. The usual programme of pictures will be included in the entertainment and the prices of admission are 35cts. and 25cts. Buy your ticket early.

Dr. and Mrs. Bert C. Foster, Mr. Richard B. Hanson and Miss Bessie Everett came by automobile from Fredericton and spent Sunday in town.

Mr. Harry Smith, of the Royal Insurance Company, Montreal, completed his visit to St. Andrews on Thursday, and left by the evening train on his return to Montreal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Magee, of Boston, Mass., are visiting in St. Andrews, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. N. Cockburn. Mr. Magee is an old St. Andrews boy whose occasional visits to his native Town give much pleasure to a host of friends.

Mr. G. Horne-Russell, the well-known artist, arrived in St. Andrews on Thursday and is staying at Kennedy's Hotel. His wife arrived on Monday. St. Andrews has great attractions for Mr. Horne-Russell, and no painter has been more successful than he in transferring to canvas the natural beauty of the place and many of its picturesque local features and phases. We hope that his present visit will result in further proofs of his industry and artistic skill.

Rev. J. W. Shaw, M. A. Professor of Church History in the Presbyterian College, Halifax, will preach in Greenock Church to-morrow, Sunday.

Mrs. Christie, of Minneapolis, is vifiting Miss Kathleen Cockburn.

Miss Hattie Carr, of Cambridge, is spending the summer here.

Mrs. F. P. McColl and daughter, Mildred, were in town on Thursday.

Rev. John Hardwick, of St. John, conducted the services in the Presbyterian Church on Sunday.

The Rev. Thos. Hicks, the new pastor of the Methodist Church, occupied the pulpit for the first time on Sunday.

Miss Hazel McFarlane is visiting friends in Boston.

Miss Gladys McFarlane is supplying at the telephone central office in St. George.

Major G. E. Meredith Cape, D. S. O., aud Mrs. Cape, with their family, are in town.

Mrs. Geo. B. Starke, of Montreal, is spending the summer here.

Local and General

The ladies of the Methodist Church announce their annual Sale and Tea, to be held in King Street, Andraeleo Hall, Thursday, July 26.

The members of the St. Croix Medical Club entertained the members of the New Brunswick Graduate Nurses Association at a dinner at the Algonquin on Tuesday evening. The party came from St. Stephen by automobile.

The steamer *Grand Manan* ran an excursion trip from Grand Manan and other ports of call to St. Andrews and St. Stephen on Saturday. Quite a number of the excursionists remained over in St. Andrews, among them being the following from Welshpool:—Mrs. Oliver Allingham, Mrs. Lemuel Vennel, Mrs. Edwin Lank, Mrs. John Davidson, Mrs. James Johnston, and Miss Kathleen Fritzgerald.

There was no special observance of "The Glorious Twelfth" in St. Andrews, where the day passed quietly. Reports of its observance in other parts of the County have not reached this office in time for publication.

The Girls'Club of Greenock church will hold an Afternoon Tea and Sale of work in the grounds of Elm Corner on Friday afternoon, July 20th, in order to raise money for the payment of the debt on the Sunday School piano.

Mrs. Sladen, wife of the Private Secretary of the Governor General, and her youngest son, are the guests of Miss O. A. Smith at "Friendship Cottage."

Mr. Hanna, the Canadian Food Controller, was recently requested by the Food Controller of the United States to cooperate with him in looking into the matter of the increased price of canned sardines.

With this object in view Mr. J. J. Cowie, of the Fisheries Department, Ottawa, and Mr. J. F. Carder, Inspector of Fisheries on behalf of Mr. Hanna, have this week inlerviewed the Canadian and American canners, including Dr. Loomis, of the National Canners Association. The whole question of the cost of production of canned sardines was gone into thoroughly. Mr. Cowie will report to Mr. Hanna on reaching Ottawa. Mr. Cowie was in St. Andrews on Wednesday, and left in the evening train for Ottawa.

Geo. H. I. Cockburn, the well known St. Stephen barrister, reported for duty with the 9th Siege Battery under Major P. W. Wetmore, at Partridge Island yesterday afternoon. Mr. Cockburn is the son of former Judge M. N. Cockburn, one of the leading members of the New Brunswick Bar. He is a graduate of the Dalhousie Law School at Halifax.

Mr. Cockburn holds a lieutenant's commission in the Infantry, having successfully completed a qualifying course at the Royal School of Infantry at Halifax. In view of the fact that no new battalions have lately been authorized, Mr. Cockburn decided that he would enlist in the ranks and consequently has joined Major Wetmore's Battery, as a gunner. Mr. Cockburn is one of the most promising of the young barristers of New Brunswick. For the past year he has been the clerk of the Charlotte County court, but the Carter-Foster Government removed him from office because of his political faith.

His father who was considered by all as one of the best judges of the Probate Court in the province was also removed from office for the same reason.—*Standard*, St. John, June 10.

The Red Cross Society very gratefully acknowledges the receipt of two donations; $5 from Mrs. G. D. Grimmer and $92, the proceeds of a Belgian Relief Fund entertainment, which were returned by the organizers of the Fund and which Mrs. George Elliott has therefore presented to the Society. At the next meeting of the Society on Wednesday afternoon in All Saints Schoolroom, a box of hospital supplies will be packed for shipment to St. John, and anyone having completed work is asked to bring it to the schoolroom on that day as soon after 3 p. m. as possible.

Since the above was written this Branch has given $5 to the "France's Day" fund, and has received from Mrs. E. Senna the sum of $1, being the first installment of a monthly contribution, for which the Society wishes to express its most sincere thanks.

The Women's Canadian Club has forwarded to the Canadian Soldier's Field Comforts Association the sum of $50; to the Syrian War victims, $10; and to the French hospital fund $10. These donations were made from the money obtained by the sale of waste paper collected during the winter months, and it is the Club's earnest desire that another carload of waste paper will be collected this summer. The garage which was formerly used for storing the paper is no longer available for that purpose, and an appeal is made to any owner of an empty building suitable for the storage of paper, to lend that building to the Club. If any such owner is willing to lend his building will he kindly communicate with Mrs. Fred Andrews, President of the Club? The owners of automobiles are also asked to volunteer to do their bit by helping in the moving of the paper, and each and every individual is asked to save all waste paper until full arrangements are made for collecting it. All money raised by the sale of waste paper will be given to Patriotic work, and it is to be hoped that everyone will do their best to make the sum raised a very large one.

RED CROSS SOCIETY

The New Brunswick Provincial Branch of the Red Cross Society held a well attended meeting in St. John on July 4. It was announced that the new Lieutenant-Governor, by virtue of his office, became the patron of the Society in New Brunswick. The Organizing President and Treasurer, Lady Tilley, then read her report, in which she spoke of her visits to Ottawa and Toronto, where she represented this Provincial Branch at the Society's meetings. She described the vast scope of the work being done by the Canadian Red Cross Society in general, and of the very satisfactory proportion that this Province had contributed. The Central Council at Toronto had sent the following message in recognition of work of this Branch: "That they are much pleased with the organization of the branches and the work being done in New Brunswick and wish to express an appreciation of the interest taken by the people in this province in the work of the Red Cross." Before submitting the financial report Lady Tilley said "Personally I feel that we should not be worthy of this appreciation of work already done, but by our continued efforts and increasing generosity merit that higher need of praise which comes from the realization within ourselves that we have done all that we possibly could."

The financial report showed that, of the total receipts of $8,885.60, the following contributions came from Charlotte County.

St. George R. C. S.	$400.00
St. Andrews R. C. S.	264.00
St. Stephen R. C. S.	175.00
Leonardville Khaki Club	25.00
Milltown R. C. S.	25.00
Lord's Cove	6.20

The Secretary, Miss E. V. N. Clements, in her report, refered to the address given by Dr. J. W. Robertson (President of the Ottawa Branch) when he was in St. John, in which address he told of the conditions in France and of the necessity that all work should be kept up to the greatest possible degree, in order that the C. R. C. S. might continue to send those supplies which were needed by over 1800 French Hospitals as well as by many Canadian Hospitals in England and on the continent.

During the first half of 1917 the Province had sent 585 boxes overseas, the contents of which included 18,831 pairs of socks, and other knitted garments; 13,422 garments for hospital wear; 7,285 articles of linen and bedding, and many other hospital supplies. The military hospitals in St. John were also given supplies by this Branch, 225 articles being sent to the St. James Street Hospital and 1,000 to the Pitt Street Annex, and various supplies to the Park's Convalescent Home. In concluding her condensed account of the work done during the first six months of 1917 in New Brunswick, Miss Clements thanked all who had in any way contributed towards that work and said "As the men in the trenches stick to their task of fighting for us, so must we stick to the gentler task of caring for them when sick and wounded, always remembering that through the medium of the Red Cross Society, every effort brings its result.

The following branches in Charlotte County contributed supplies for shipment overseas: Beaver Harbor, Honeydale, Milltown, St. Andrews, St. George, St. Stephen, and Wilson's Beach; and the following auxiliaries also sent supplies:—Back Bay, Lord's Cove, Welshpool, and Bocabec.

At the close of the meeting an appeal was read from the Central Council, Toronto, with regard to a special effort to raise funds on "France's Day," July 14. This special effort is being made to assist the French Red Cross Society, which is unable to provide for the care of its increasing number of wounded and prisoners of war.

H. PRICE WEBBER EXTENDED GLAD HAND

As genial as ever, and still wearing the same kindly smile, Mr. H. Price Webber stepped on the stage of the Lyric Theatre on Monday evening and was greeted with rounds and rounds of applause. Mr. Webber is so well and favorably known in this territory that possibly some were drawn to the theatre through mere curiosity, but the number of staunch friends and admirers of this veteran actor quite overbalanced the number of curiosity seekers. Time has dealt lightly with Mr. Webber, and during his performance, which was given with a vim in every respect, one would never imagine he had spent over forty-two years on the road, touring his own company; and it is remarkable but true that last season he played fifty-one weeks and two days out of the year and did not miss a performance. It is doubtful if another actor can boast of accomplishing as much during a time when conditions were anything but conducive to good business results. Mr. Webber entertained in a highly pleasing manner by the recital of some amusing and interesting incidents which have taken place durihg the long and successful career of the veteran performer. He recalled the days spent in St. John as a printer's apprentice, and also the good old times when he was a valued member of the staff of the *St. John Globe*. During the course of his remarks he also mentioned and gave a characteristic description of the manner in which the boys of the old 62nd were drilled on the Barrack Green. His references to old time friends brought forth many a smile mingled with a sigh or two, and a wish that time could be turned back again. The climax of his dialogue was reached by the rendering of some of the old time songs such as "Needles and Pins," etc., etc. Mr. Webber ventured the statement that this was his first appearance on the vaudeville stage, and the manner in which he accomplished his purpose of entertaining can be looked upon as a decided laurel in his favor. All day yesterday Mr. Webber was at home in the dressing room of the Lyric Theatre, receiving many friends. He will be heard again tonight and at the three performances to-morrow. He should not be missed.—*St. John Globe*, July 10.

RECRUITING IN NEW BRUNSWICK

The official report of the result of recruiting in the Province of New Brunswick, for home and overseas service, for the week ending July 7, is as follows:

York County—	
236th Battalion	60
Canadian Engineers	8
No. 2 Forestry Company	4
8th Field Ambulance	5
R. C. N. V. R.	2
Home Service	1
	— 80
St. John County—	
236th Battalion	1
62nd Battalion	2
No. 2 Forestry Company	4
8th Field Ambulance	4
Canadian Engineers	3
	— 14
Carleton County—	
No. 2 Forestry Company	8
Home Service	1
	— 9
Restigouche County—	
No. 2 Forestry Company—	3
	— 3
Charlotte County—	
No. 2 Forestry Company	1
62nd Regiment O. S. Draft	1
	— 2
Kings Country	0
Albert County	0
Queens and Sunbury	0
Gloucester County	0
Northumberland County	0
Victoria County	0
Madawaska County	0
Westmorland County	0
Kent County	0
Total for week	108

"Why did you tell that stalled auto party that you hadn't any gasolene?" "You see, my son," replied the old farmer, "they wanted only six shillings' worth of gas, while I got a five-spot off them for towing them to the station."—*Judge.*

Miss Wrights—"I should like to see the man that I'd promise to love, honor, and obey!" Miss Perty—I am sure you would, dear."—*Puck.*

"Say, what do you mean by telling Jones that I was blockhead?" "Why, it isn't a secret, is it?"—*Philadelphia Bulletin.*

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