

## LOCAL NEWS

## THE WEATHER

Toronto, Oct. 30.—Pressure is high over the central and southern states and in the northwestern portion of the continent, and lowest in the south Pacific states. Rain has fallen in the Maritime Provinces, rain and snow in eastern Quebec, and a few light snowfalls have occurred in the western provinces.

Maritime—Fresh westerly winds, fair and cooler today and on Sunday.

Washington, Oct. 30.—New England: Partly cloudy tonight, probably frost Sunday, fair and warmer, fresh west winds.

The temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Victoria	52	40
Kamloops	28	28
Calgary	42	28
Edmonton	34	36
Prince Albert	40	36
Winnipeg	40	36
White River	38	20
Sault Ste. Marie	42	38
Toronto	42	33
Ottawa	42	30
Montreal	44	30
Quebec	42	30
St. John, N. B.	60	40
Hallifax	66	46

## Entertained at Tea.

Mrs. George Taylor entertained at tea yesterday afternoon in honor of her guest, Mrs. Wythe, of Halifax.

## Receiving Congratulations.

Prof. Adam Cameron and Mrs. Cameron are rejoicing over the birth of a son at their home on Waterloo Row on October 28th. Mr. and Mrs. John Veness are receiving congratulations on the arrival of a baby girl at their home in Toronto on Oct. 20th. Mrs. Veness was formerly Miss Nan Mercereau, of this city.

## Died in Toronto.

Word has been received here of the death of Mrs. Roy H. Watson, which occurred at her home in Toronto on Friday, Oct. 22, after an illness of one week. Mrs. Watson before her marriage was Miss Vera Jeffrey, daughter of Daniel Jeffrey of Stanley, N. B. She leaves, besides her father and devoted young husband, five sisters and one brother to mourn their loss.

## Hallowe'en Masquerade.

Everything is in readiness for the big masquerade dance at the G. W. V. A. rooms on Monday evening, Nov. 1st. No pains are being spared to make this masquerade dance the event of the season. After 10 o'clock those not in costume can dance. A special programme of music has been arranged and a good time is assured. Be one of the happy throng.

## Interesting Visit to Kent County.

W. B. Snowball visited one of the old residents of Kent on Tuesday and was given photographs of his father and other relatives from the family album. He found the grave of the mother of the Rt. Hon. A. Bonar Law in the cemetery and those of ancestors of the Jardines of London. The Misses MacLaren, of Liverpool, Eng. were with Mr. Snowball—Chatham World.

## Revival at Marysville.

At the Main Street Baptist Church, Marysville, last evening, over fifty candidates were received for baptism and church membership. The other congregations in the town are also receiving new members. Marysville has never known such a general and widespread revival, the whole town and country for many miles has been deeply moved. Large numbers go up from Devon and Fredericton each evening.

## Held Ghost Party.

The Women's Institute of Lower St. Mary's held a ghost party in the school house last evening. Those bringing boxes were wrapped up in sheets and some of the ghosts brought as high as \$4.75 each. Fortunes were told by Miss Wheeler and Miss Carnet; readings were given by Miss Eunice Peters of North Devon, Miss Nellie Logan of Marysville, and Charles Staples. John Lipssett acted as auctioneer and the fancy prices obtained speaks well for his ability. Over \$75 was realized and this will be devoted to Institute work.

## Celebrated Wedding Anniversary.

About forty friends of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Stevenson gathered at their home on George Street last evening and tendered them a genuine surprise party in honor of the thirty-fifth anniversary of their marriage. During the evening Rev. G. M. Young, on behalf of those present, presented Mrs. Stevenson with a bouquet of roses and chrysanthemums, and a silver casket. A pleasant evening was spent in social chat and the gathering broke up at midnight wishing Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson many more years of happy wedded life.

## Hallowe'en Socials.

The B. Y. P. U. of the Brunswick Street Baptist church entertained last evening at a hallowe'en social in the vestry and a very large number were present. The vestry was prettily decorated with hallowe'en novelties and a short programme was carried out, after which refreshments were served. The B. Y. P. U. of the George Street Baptist church also held a hallowe'en social last evening. The vestry was very pretty with its decorations of black cats, witches, etc., and the refreshments, which consisted of old-fashioned pumpkin pie and apples.

## Held Post Nuptial Reception.

Mrs. Irvin R. Wolf held her post-nuptial reception yesterday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. F. St. John Bliss, Shore street, and about one hundred called during the afternoon. Mrs. Wolf received her guests in a gown of white georgette and was assisted by her mother who wore a black net over black silk. Mrs. R. FitzRandolph and Mrs. G. N. C. Hawkins presided over the pretty appointed tea table which had a huge bowl of chrysanthemums for a centre piece, while Miss Lucille Hawkins, the Misses Ross-Thompson, Montreal; Misses Montgomery-Campbell and Miss Lucy Morrison served.

## EIGHTY ONE KEGS OF BEER SEIZED BY CHIEF OF POLICE

Taken From Cellar of a Residence on Charlotte Street Yesterday Afternoon

## CIVIL ACTION PROMISED AS RESULT OF THE RAID

Police Visited Two Shops Last Night and Secured Several Bottles of Beer

Eighty-one kegs of beer, marked lager and ale were seized yesterday afternoon by Chief of Police Finley from the cellar of a residence on Charlotte street, attached to which is the bottling works of the Capital Bottling Company, who are alleged to have been the owners of the beer, which is said to contain a higher alcoholic percentage than allowed by law.

The kegs were taken from the cellar, placed upon teams and hauled to the police station, where they are now stored, the completion of the seizure occupying some time. Each keg contains twenty gallons of beer, which is said to have been shipped here from Montreal, and including the kegs the wholesale value of the seizure is placed at over \$1,500. At current retail prices, about 25 cents a pint bottle, the quantity of seized beer, it is figured, would have brought \$3,240.

In order to get into the cellar Chief Finley, who was assisted in making the seizure by Subinspector Fraser Saunders, of this city, pried off a padlock from the cellar door and claimed he had the authority of the owner of the property to do so, it having been stated that there was no key available and that the other entrance to the cellar (Continued on page five.)

## BURNS STATUE WAS SERIOUSLY DEFACED

Students Are Blamed for Bold Acts of Vandalism During the Night

Students of the University of New Brunswick, who are said to have either been having a premature Hallowe'en celebration or to have gone on the rampage when they heard their football team had not been beaten after all at Sackville yesterday, are blamed for acts of vandalism last night which for utter contempt of the police and destruction of property could their accomplishments of the past.

The bronze statue of Robert Burns, erected on Parliament Square through the efforts of the Fredericton Society of St. Andrew some years ago, was smeared with yellow paint, and "U. N. B.—2 a. m." and "There ain't no flies on U. N. B." painted upon the stone base of the statue so that in order to be removed it will probably have to be chiselled out and the appearance of what is regarded as one of Fredericton's show pieces will be thus seriously affected.

On Queen street "U. N. B." in large letters was painted upon the concrete sidewalk in front of the Post Office together with caricatures of two policemen, which must have taken some few minutes to execute. Scores of the Provincial Government buildings as well as the York County Jail were also smeared with paint. The vandalism has created such bitter feeling and a general feeling that no pains should be spared to secure the conviction of the guilty parties. Members of the St. Andrew's Society described the defacing of the Burns statue as "outrageous vandalism." Chancellor Jones of the University of New Brunswick expressed surprise and regret when he learned what had occurred and said it was "up to the police to get busy" while Major Roland Barnes, M. C., president of the Students' Association denounced the shameful actions of the guilty parties.

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## Fifteen Divorce Cases on Docket to be Heard Before The Court Here Next Week

Case of *Walson vs. Walson* in Which Woodstock Woman is Defendant and Prominent Local Young Man is Named as the Co-Respondent is Among Them—Mother-in-Law Blamed by Plaintiff in Another Case for Causing His Wife to Leave Him—Bigamy is Named in Another Suit—Former Sunbury County Couple's Principals in One of the Cases.

Fifteen cases are on the docket for the sitting of the New Brunswick Divorce Court, which opens in this city on Tuesday next. Five of these are remanets, and nine of the ten new cases are ready for trial, while the tenth is to be stood over until January. Four of the new cases are defended while the remaining five are undefended.

Local interest is centred principally in the suit which Mrs. Karl Watson, formerly of Woodstock and now an express clerk at Moncton, has brought against his wife, Mary Olga Watson. She was formerly a Miss Haydon, of Woodstock, and they were married on January 7th, 1913, by Rev. W. H. Easton, of Houlton, Me., and lived together until the first of this year.

The defendant has been a frequent visitor to Fredericton during the past couple of years and it is said that some of the "parties" in which she is alleged to have figured will play a prominent part in the evidence. On one of the trips to Fredericton—during September, 1919—the plaintiff alleges that his wife occupied a room at one of the hotels here with a young man who has been a prominent member of the social set and the young man in question is named as co-respondent.

The plaintiff also charges his wife with infidelity "at various times since with unknown persons" and says that since he became aware of her infidelity on January 1st, 1920, he has not lived with her. It is understood that Mrs. Watson is to be represented by counsel, but to what extent the case will be defended is not stated.

## Bigamy is Charged.

In the case of Lillian Edna MacBeth vs. William M. MacBeth, the plaintiff, who resides at St. John, charges the defendant with bigamy, naming Elizabeth M. Rathburn, with whom he is said to have gone through a ceremony of marriage, Rev. L. H. Jewett, of Hampstead, officiating at the ceremony. The plaintiff and defendant in the case were united in marriage by Rev. J. H. MacDonald, in this city, and lived in Ripley, Sunbury County, for seven years following and also in St. John. The defendant is alleged by the plaintiff to have beaten her so

that she left him in January, 1920. On April, 1920, she alleges that he went through the form of a marriage with Elizabeth Mapiett Rathburn at the home of her father, Peleg Rathburn, in Hampstead.

In the case of Annie Aleavia Joseph of Norton, vs. Russell Robert Joseph, of Belleisle Creek, the plaintiff alleges that the defendant committed adultery with one Maud Hill, of Belleisle Creek. The two were married in the African Methodist Episcopal Church by Rev. Arthur Challenger, at Amherst, N. S., on July 12th, 1903, and she alleges that because of cruelty and non-support she left him in May, 1916, and that he moved to St. John and set up housekeeping, taking with him Maud Hill, with whom he lived as man and wife.

In the case of Arthur Howard Collier vs. Emma Collier, of Moncton, the plaintiff alleges that the defendant lived with William F. Lawrence, of Moncton, and that by him she had one child. He states that he and the defendant were married in 1913 by Rev. (Continued on page five.)

## This Means Everyone.

The Ashburnham branch of the Canadian Red Cross are making a big effort to increase membership, as important work is to be carried on during the winter months. Every woman is invited to join the society at the regular meeting on Wednesday evening, Nov. 3rd. The more members the more work can be accomplished, and much work is to be done. The young folks are also wanted to join, and Miss K. Stewart, organizer of the Junior Red Cross, has already 41 young people enrolled and wants many more. The dues are only 25 cents a year. Join up and do your duty.

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