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**MONDAY**  
**JOINS 105TH.**—Mr. Sil Perry, Muddy Creek, came down to Summerside on Wednesday morning and signed on with 105th regiment, also passed a creditable medical examination.—H.

**JOINS COLORS.**—Mr. R. J. Clow Summerside, proprietor of the Star Bakery, has closed up his business and is now wearing the King's uniform with the boys of the 105th Regiment.—H.

**BUYS SCHOONER.**—Capt. Schurman Cain, Summerside, has purchased from Capt. John Stewart, West Cape the schooner Sarah P. Ayers, which is at present quartered for the winter at Charlottetown.—H.

**PRESENTATION.**—Messrs Elzior Arsenault and Leo Doucette, of Charlottetown, who leave by the next steamer to join the Stationary Hospital at Antigonish, were presented each with a valuable pipe and an address by the League of the Cross and with a fountain pen and an address by the Knights of Columbus. Messrs Arsenault and Doucette will be attached to the Hospital Unit Band at Antigonish, both of them being experienced bandmen here.

**HONOR MEDAL ARRIVES.**—Mr. D. B. Stewart, city, is the proud possessor of the Russian medal, which was awarded some months ago to his son, Hugh Ronald, who is now in the trenches, for conspicuous service. The medal is inscribed with Russian lettering and bears the head of the Czar. It is attached to a ribbon, colours of Russia, yellow and black, which is enclosed in a handsome case. Mr. Stewart is justly proud of his son's medal, which will be a valued heirloom in the family.

**IN THE CHURCHES.**—Owing to the unavoidable absence of Rev. Dr. Fullerton, who is a guest in Pictou, Rev. D. McLean very kindly took the morning service and Mr. W. S. Louson the evening service in St. James Church yesterday. In the First Methodist Church, Mr. Sherrin took the morning service and Rev. Mr. Heaney spoke most acceptably in the evening. In the Baptist Church, Mr. Heaney took the morning service, while Sergt. Sherrin preached in the evening to a large congregation. The special music of the previous Sunday was most enjoyably repeated, the choir being in excellent voice.

**FUNERAL YESTERDAY.**—The funeral of the late Mrs. Stanley took place yesterday from the residence of Mr. L. E. Prowse and was largely attended. The services at the house were conducted by Rev. Mr. Heaney and at the grave by Rev. Dr. Bennett, both of whom spoke in touching terms of the estimable worth of the deceased lady. The pall-bearers were Messrs Arthur Clark, J. A. Matheson, J. T. McKenzie, Archibald McKinnon and Andrew McNair. There was a profusion of beautiful flowers, silent tokens of sympathy from loving friends.

**LETTERS PATENT.**—In last week's Royal Gazette the Robert T. Hardy Silver Black Fox Company Ltd. make application for letters patent to purchase, breed, raise, import and export, propagate and sell all kinds of wild and domesticated animals and their products to buy and sell options thereon and to transport such animals as may be incidental thereto. Those interested are R. T. Hardy, D. J. Grenier, Worcester; Jas. J. Coan, Arthur A. McPhee, Geo. B. Murray, cester, Mass.; A. R. McPhee, Boston; J. Edgar Milligan, Northam, P.E.I.; John Palmer and Nelson Palmer, Freeand; Wm. Kinross, Alex. Palmer, E. B. Pitch, F. J. McGady, all of Worcester.

**THE TRAINS.**—The Prince Edward Island Railway, which was tied up by Thursday's storm, was all opened yesterday with the exception of the Murray Harbour line which is still snowed up from a short distance east of Vernon River to a point a few miles west of Murray River. The train which left Charlottetown Saturday morning got only as far as Vernon River Saturday night. Yesterday morning she started eastward, making only a few miles, the snow being very heavy. At one point a drift ten feet in depth and 500 feet in length had to be plowed through. The train which left Murray Harbour Saturday morning at 6 is still beyond the heavy drift. It is expected this line will be opened to-day. A train which left Charlottetown at 1:45 Saturday arrived in Tignish at 12:30 midnight. Yesterday a train left Tignish at 11:40 a.m., arriving in Charlottetown at 5:35, bringing mails and passengers. The lines from Souris and Georgetown were opened yesterday. A special coming from Georgetown met with a slight mishap at Brackley Point Station, the snow plow and engine leaving the rails. At eight o'clock last night a train was sent out from Charlottetown, which brought in the mails and passengers.

**THE WINTER STEAMERS.**—The Car Ferry has had another heavy ice fight. Leaving Pictou at 6 o'clock Friday morning after lying at the dock there since Wednesday on account of Thursday's storm, she battered her way around the east side of Pictou Island and as far as Wood Islands where night overtook her and she was obliged to lay up. On Saturday she again ploughed her way through arriving in Charlottetown about 5 o'clock. She brought 40 passengers, 140 tons and 120 bags mail. Among the passengers inward were Mr. John Messervey, returning from Ottawa; Mr. W. A. Stewart of Moore and McLeod; Messrs C. L. Grant Benjamin Rogers, J. M. Leard, Kensington; Mr. and the Misses Waite, Wilmot; Mr. E. J. Smith, and Miss Frances Beales, Charlottetown; Mr. Charles McDonald, St. John. So well pleased were the passengers with the strenuous fight put up by Captain Marchleson to bring them to the island that they delegated a committee consisting of Messrs J. M. Leard and C. L. Grant to formally convey to him an expression of their appreciation. The Car Ferry left Charlottetown for Pictou yesterday morning at 7 o'clock and at 9 o'clock last night was reported five miles from the Stanley which is one mile south east of the east end of Pictou Island. The Stanley had left Georgetown at 4 o'clock Thursday afternoon and has been in the strait since. It is expected that both steamers will get into Pictou this morning.

**RECOVERING.**—The many friends of Miss Louise McCabe, daughter of Jos. McCabe of Tona, will be pleased to learn that she is improving from an attack of appendicitis and hope for her speedy recovery. (

**UNIQUE WINTER TRIP.**—Mr. E. J. Smith and Miss Frances Beales of the city who had been out snow shoeing at the mouth of the harbour Saturday afternoon, on invitation of Captain Marchleson, got on board the Prince Edward Island and had the pleasure of a sail home.

**THE IRISH AGENT.**—The 4 Act Comedy Drama entitled "The Irish Agent," was staged at the Central Aedegic Hall on Wednesday evening by Davison & A. O. H., Summerside. The party, which included the actors made up five team loads and left Summerside at 6 p.m. The hall was filled with spectators who heartily applauded each act all the parts were well rendered the musical accompaniment being Miss Noonan. Between the acts the Misses Sullivan ably performed some Spanish and Irish step dancing which was much appreciated. A recitation by Miss Faustina McCullough was worthy of special mention. The sale of candy was also well patronized and the proceeds of the entertainment will be devoted to patriotic purposes. The party arrived back about midnight.—H.

**SPRINGFIELD.**—Police Officer Matheson of Kensington recently passed through Springfield en route to Rose Valley where he had some official duties. Officer Matheson is one of the many Springfield boys who have made good abroad.—Miss Ruth Howard is at present visiting relatives in Cornwall.—The contract of drawing the milk on the Springfield route has been let to Mr. E. C. MacKay for the cheese season of 1916.—Union Division S. O., intend hold a grand literary and musical contest on their next night of meeting, March 29th. A rousing time is looked for under the captainship of Messrs F. W. E. and B. Haslam.—One of our leading farmers in the person of Mr. William J. Seaman has done the khaki in response to the call of the British Government. Not only in his home will he be greatly missed but also in the entire community where for some time he had been the efficient Egg Circle manager. The directors of the circle have secured the services of Mr. Peter Sinclair as successor to Mr. Seaman.

**TUESDAY**  
**SAFE IN ENGLAND.**—Yesterday Mr. J. D. Seaman, city received a cablegram from his son Lieut. A. T. Seaman, announcing his safe arrival in England, en route for overseas duty.

**A SAD HOME COMING.**—Mr. Fred Weeks, Afton Road, who was employed in New Glasgow, arrived home on Tuesday last in response to a telegram stating that his nephew, Mr. John Callaghan had passed away. Mr. Weeks intends returning to New Glasgow in a few days.—S.

**BACK TO THE CAPES.**—Owing to the uncertainty of the steamers getting clear of the ice at the entrance to Pictou Harbour, the mails were sent here at 8:45, to Cape Traverse, where they will be taken across. Four ice-boats and crews will leave in the morning for Cape Tormentine. It was not certain last night whether there should be a return mail.

**PUBLIC RECEPTION.**—If the boat makes connection today it is expected that Private J. F. White, of Alberton, a member of the Princess Pats who was wounded in the big battle of May 8th, and Pte. Wm. Crosby, another island hero, who arrived in St. John on Thursday will arrive in this city. It is understood that a rousing reception will be given these two young men who have so nobly fought and suffered for their King and Country.

**POLICE COURT.**—At the Police Court yesterday the preliminary case against Samuel Morrison, who is charged with the theft of a pair of silver black foxes, the property of Samuel Kennedy, was concluded. Mr. J. J. Johnston, K.C., for the defendant, argued that no prima facie case had been established and moved that the accused be discharged. Mr. Donald McKinnon, for the prosecution, opposed the motion. His Honour Stipendiary Shaw, the trial magistrate, will deliver decision on the point this morning at 11 o'clock.

**ISOLATION HOSPITAL.**—The Messrs George and Noel and Miss DeBlais have kindly placed their beautiful residence on Spring Park Road, at the disposal of the Militia Department, to be used temporarily as an isolation hospital for several cases of measles that have developed in the 105th Regiment. There are some half-dozen cases in all and they were taken to the hospital yesterday, where they are most comfortably situated under the care of Col. S. R. Jenkins. Lance-Corporal Butler is in charge and there are two trained nurses in attendance.

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