

Chaplain's Wounded Soldiers' Fund

By Major E. Bertram Hooper, (Chaplain)

Previously acknowledged	£216	2	5
Tray Cloth given by Mrs. Olliffe, sold for	1	0	0	0	0
Mrs. M. B. Palmer, Rexton, N.B.	5	0	0	0	0
Ethel M. Turner, Sandy Point, St. John	4	4	2	0	0
St. John Ambulance Assoc. N.B. branch	5	4	8	0	0
Officer Patients (Granville Hospital)	...	9	0	0	0

This statement shows that the past week has been a good one for my "Fund," and that I have reason for encouragement. This is, of course, the harvest season for receiving contributions. I can not expect it to keep up the year round. But I have great hopes that I may, within the next month or two, see the "Fund" with a sufficient balance, to insure the good work being kept up through the remainder of the summer, the autumn and the coming winter. We had our three outings during the week, two from the Granville and one from Townley Castle. On Thursday last, while we were in the Bell Inn Tea Gardens at Minster, a number of patients from Hill House Military Hospital, Minster, appeared on the scene. There were some 18 of them, and were carrying an excellent piano borrowed from the Y.M.C.A. hut. They placed the instrument in the middle of the lawn, and then proceeded to give us a very delightful and entertaining concert. My lads enjoyed it very much, and greatly appreciated this kindly act on the part of the wounded boys from "Hill House." We had a jolly time together.

The popularity of these outings could not be greater than it is. They cost £3 each, but they are well worth it. They give real enjoyment and practical benefit to those who are able to go to them.

Some day I hope to furnish a summary of all that the Wounded Soldiers' Fund has been able to accomplish in addition to the cigarettes, drives and teas. It will, I am confident, surprise everybody, and will convince all donors that they acted both wisely and well in helping the Chaplain's Wounded Soldiers' Fund.

Don't forget "The Immortal Kitchener."

THE PADRE.

"THE IMMORTAL KITCHENER"

(SONG)

Words by
W. J. Crowe (C.E.F.)

Music by
Dorothy L. Warne

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