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LOCAL NEWS

A NEW PRINTER.
Byard Stillwell is receiving congratulations today on the arrival of a baby boy at his home this morning.

RETURNING TO DUTY.
Gunner Walter Newcombe, of the Halifax garrison, who has been visiting his parents, Mrs. and Mrs. W. E. Newcombe, Torriburn, will return to Halifax this evening.

POLICE COURT
One prisoner was before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court this morning on a charge of drunkenness. He was sent below for questioning by Inspector Crawford.

DIED AT HAMPTON
An old and highly respected resident of Hampton, Daniel Calvin, died on Thursday. He was seventy-two years old and came from the north of Ireland to this province about seventy years ago. A man of very quiet disposition, he had many friends and the respect of all who knew him. He is survived by two sisters, Mrs. McCann of South Boston and Miss Martha Calvin at Hampton.

MRS. ROBERT COOKE
The death of Mrs. Robert Cooke took place at her daughter's home, 98 Marsh street, on last Wednesday at three o'clock in the afternoon. She had been a cripple for the last year. She leaves besides her husband, one daughter, Roberta, in St. John, and one son, Andrew, in New York. There are two adopted daughters, Mrs. Walter Livingstone of Brown's Past, and Miss Mary, of this city. She also leaves fourteen grandchildren. Friends and relatives will be grieved to learn of her death.

COUNTRY MARKET.
Very little change from last week is reported in the country market prices. With the opening of the season, geese, deer and duck are coming into the market. Beef is from sixteen to thirty cents a pound, steak twenty-five to thirty, lamb twenty to thirty, veal twenty to thirty, pork forty to fifty, chops thirty-two. Fowl are at thirty and chickens forty. Moose sells at thirty cents, venison from twenty-five to thirty, and ducks at \$1.25 a pair. Fresh vegetables are a plenty. Spinach, peas a pound, and potatoes \$3.50 a barrel.

SOON TO MOVE FROM VALCARTIER TO THEIR WOODSTOCK QUARTERS

Information was received at the office of the New Brunswick command this morning to the effect that the artillery drafts which are to be stationed in Woodstock for the winter, will arrive soon from Valcartier. The artillery drafts for Woodstock to draft plans for the remodeling of the barracks, as well as make arrangements for having the building properly heated and lighted. It is understood that the buildings are fairly comfortable after the finishing touch is put to them they will be as comfortable as any in eastern Canada.

Lieutenant Lowe, officer in charge of supplies and transports for New Brunswick, is to be sent to Woodstock for the winter to have charge of the supplies for the various drafts to be stationed there.

REAL ESTATE NEWS

Transfers of real estate in Kings county have been recorded as follows:—

A. M. E. Baskin to Mary E. Baskin, property in Sussex.

H. L. Codner to J. L. Alexander and Quebec Railway Company, \$500, property in Westfield.

J. R. Lizard to J. L. Alexander, property in Westfield.

G. A. Kimball to Augusta R. Wetmore, property in Westfield.

Ellen Lilley to H. L. Codner, property in Westfield.

J. D. O'Connell to Evelyn Dobson, property in Sussex.

Ellen H. Searle to Ellen Lilley, property in Westfield.

TRAFFIC CASES IN POLICE COURT

Some traffic reports came up this morning in the police court. S. Luck was reported for driving on the wrong side of Main street in car No. 6473. He said that his car was No. 6475 and he was allowed to go. The delivery driver for Walter H. Bell was reported for taking a wrong turn in car 8448. He also said that his car was No. 8448. The case was postponed until Monday at 2 p.m.

John A. Kennedy was fined \$10 for allowing his car to stand too long in Main street. William Webber was also fined the same amount for allowing his fifteen-year-old son to drive his car. His Honor said that it had been determined to watch for boys under the legal age driving cars and to prevent it if possible.

EXPLOSION WRACKS IRISH MUNITIONS WORKS; 9 KILLED

London, Sept. 21.—An explosion has occurred in a munitions factory in Ireland. Nine persons were killed. The number of injured has not yet been ascertained, merely of England.

SUSSEX MEN AT THE FRONT

Major Guy S. Kinnear, who has been through all the heavy fighting at Vimy Ridge, Messines and Lens, writes in glowing terms of the battalion's splendid fighting qualities and heroic endurance through many months of steady fighting in the trenches. He says Lieut. Osgood, a most popular officer, who did excellent work, is greatly respected by officers and men, and that Major Charlie Fairweather and Lieut. George Halkitt, have given and still are giving excellent service.

ONE CANADIAN

Washington, Sept. 21.—Vice-presidents elected by the National Convention of Federal Employees include M. J. Gorman of Montreal.

Forgive-Darey.

On Wednesday morning in St. Mary's Chapel, Hampton Village, Ven. Archdeacon Crowfoot in marriage, William Forgrave to Mrs. Annie Darey, for-

ONLY JUNIOR OFFICERS LIKELY TO GO ACROSS WITH DRAFTS UNDER NEW SERVICE ACT

A military official, speaking this morning in regard to the sending overseas of the men drafted under the Military Service act, said that it was likely that only the junior officers would cross overseas with the drafts when they were ready for their final training in England.

He said that at present there was a surplus of officers both in France and England, and it was not at all likely that any of the senior officers would even cross to England. The senior officers appointed to command the drafts would have charge of the training while in Canada only.

WOULD NOT GO TO SCHOOL; GETS A REFORMATORY TERM

Ten Year Old Boy Before Judge Armstrong Today

The case of a ten year old boy who refuses to go to school was brought before His Honor Judge Armstrong in county court chambers this morning by J. Boyd McMann, trustee officer. The mother gave testimony that she could do nothing with the youngster. She had sent him to the Silver Falls school on last Friday, but he had run away on Monday morning. Mr. McMann said that he had been having trouble with this boy for several years. He had been before Magistrate Ritchie five times already and the magistrate had said the last time that he could do nothing with him. He had run away from Silver Falls three times. His Honor sentenced the boy to two years in the Boys' Industrial Home.

REPAIR WORK TO PUT WHARVES IN READINESS FOR RUSH

The work of repairing Nos. 1 and 2 wharves, West St. John, was progressing rapidly under the direction of the commissioner of harbors. It was necessary to place cross braces in position on the wharves, in order to prevent the danger of their collapsing. Plans for this work had been made before No. 5 collapsed and that disaster nearly emphasized the need for prompt action.

The surfaces of the wharves are being replaced at the same time as the work on No. 1 is now nearing completion while that on No. 2 is well under way. By the time the work now in progress is completed the wharves will be in better shape than they have been for years. Minor repairs are being made to Nos. 3 and 4 by the employees of the department.

NO MEETING TODAY

Special Session of Common Council Tomorrow instead

Owing to the absence of Commissioner McLellan a meeting of the common council committee was not held this morning. A special meeting of the council has been called for eleven o'clock on Saturday morning and it is expected that considerable business will be disposed of at this meeting.

The most important matter which has been held up awaiting action by the council is the beginning of work on the repairs of the railway trestle at West St. John. Although still confident that the work can be completed in time for the winter season, Commissioner Russell is anxious to make a start. He said this morning that he had been ready with the plans and specifications for the last three weeks and that the council will have to accept the responsibility for the delay.

Other matters demanding attention are the claim of E. O. Lahey for his work in connection with clearing away the debris from the collapsed warehouse in West St. John, and the authorization of the new warehouse to be erected at Reed's Point.

ROBERT WEBB KILLED IN WAR; SISTER LIVES HERE

Robert Webb of Annapolis, Queens county, has received word that his youngest son, Sgt. John Webb, was killed in action on Aug. 15. Had he lived till Aug. 20 he would have celebrated his 20th birthday. He went overseas with the 140th battalion. Much sympathy is felt for his parents, as their other son, Robert, has been overseas three years. Sgt. Webb is survived by his parents, one brother, Robert, "somewhere" in France, and six sisters, Mrs. Arthur Fowler, West St. John; Katie of Rothesay and Ethel, Evelyn, Dorothy and Mildred at home.

LIEUT. R. W. OTTY BARNES

All hope that Lieut. R. W. Otty Barnes might still be living has been abandoned. This gallant young officer, who enlisted as a private in the 28th Battalion and won his promotion in the field, was reported missing on January 16, of the present year. His father, Albert A. Barnes of Hampton, has now received word from the director of records, Ottawa, that the young man is officially listed as dead. Lieut. Barnes was twenty-six years old, and when he enlisted he was on the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia at Hampton. He made a noble record as a soldier, and shortly after being promoted to a lieutenancy he was called on to make the supreme sacrifice. Universal sympathy goes out to his sorrowing relatives and friends.

KINGS COUNTY BOARD

Judge Jonah has named for the examination boards for Kings-Albert-Kings-Sussex district, J. D. McKenna, Hampton district, G. O. Dickson Otty, Belleisle district, George T. Bates, Albert-Hillsboro, William H. Duffy, Elgin, Robert A. Smith, Albert, Isaac Prescott, Alma, William Rounsell.

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