

**THE WEATHER.**  
 Forecasts:  
 Maritime—Moderate westerly winds, fine and moderately warm.  
 Washington, Aug. 22.—Forecast: Northern New England—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday, warmer Wednesday moderate northeast winds.  
 Toronto, Aug. 22.—Thunderstorms have occurred today in Manitoba and southern Saskatchewan, and light rain in most of the Maritime Provinces. Elsewhere in the Dominion the weather has been fine and moderately warm.

Temperatures:  
 Min. Max.  
 Dawson . . . . . 88 88  
 Victoria . . . . . 53 74  
 Vancouver . . . . . 54 74  
 Calgary . . . . . 50 74  
 Edmonton . . . . . 52 60  
 Moose Jaw . . . . . 40 87  
 Saskatoon . . . . . 51 86  
 Winnipeg . . . . . 60 82  
 Port Arthur . . . . . 46 76  
 Parry Sound . . . . . 46 74  
 Toronto . . . . . 50 74  
 Kingston . . . . . 50 70  
 Ottawa . . . . . 57 68  
 Montreal . . . . . 54 64  
 Quebec . . . . . 54 64  
 St. John . . . . . 66 70  
 Halifax . . . . . 62 74

### ST. JOHN ONCE MORE IN LEAD FOR SOLDIERS

Out of 83 Men Recruited in New Brunswick Last Week 29 Came from This County

New Brunswick recruited eleven more men for the week ending Saturday, August 20, than the previous week. Eighty-three men enlisted in this province within the last seven days. Out of this number, St. John has contributed twenty-nine, which gives this county the honor of again heading the list.

This is the third consecutive week that the County of Gloucester has contributed all to Canada's army. Victoria has only given one man in three weeks to reinforce the four Canadian divisions now playing an all-important part in the Somme offensive. For the week ending August 20th, Albert, Kings, Kent, Victoria and Gloucester counties failed to recruit a man.

The tabulated list follows:  
 St. John—  
 For 236th Battalion . . . . . 3  
 " 145th Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 242nd Battalion . . . . . 2  
 " 237th Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 9th Siege Battery . . . . . 1  
 " 4th Pioneer Battery . . . . . 1  
 " 8th Field Am. Train . . . . . 1  
 " Home Service . . . . . 3

### Around the City

Saturday Half-Holiday.

The retail hardware stores will continue to observe the Saturday half-holiday during September. In most of the other stores the half-day of during the summer season ceased last Saturday.

A Soldier Ill.  
 Pte. J. Thompson of the 4th Pioneer Battalion, stationed at St. Andrews, was brought to the city last night, suffering from severe rheumatic troubles. He was met at the depot by the ambulance and conveyed to the Military Hospital.

Confirmation in Three Places.  
 His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc, accompanied by Rev. Miles P. Howland, left yesterday for Kingsclear, where he will administer the sacrament of confirmation. He will also visit Milltown and St. Stephen for the same purpose.

Military Prisoners.  
 Two prisoners under guard were brought to the city last night on the Boston train from St. Andrews. They will be taken to Partridge Island this morning. Breach of military regulations is the charge on which they were sentenced.

St. Joseph's University.  
 A rather attractive and interesting prospectus of St. Joseph's College has just been issued. The book contains splendid pictures of the university, the science hall, laboratory and academic hall, besides a railway map of the Maritime Provinces, showing the railway systems of Eastern Canada. The prospectus gives an encouraging report of the past year. Indications point to a good year.

Heavy Steamship Travel.  
 The Eastern Line steamer Calvin Austin, Captain Mitchell, arrived in port yesterday morning direct from Boston with 350 passengers. The tourist travel this summer has been fairly large, and now that tourists are returning to the states, they have to speak well in advance for staterooms. A person who yesterday asked for the reservation of a stateroom on the steamer sailing next Saturday night was informed they were all engaged.

"Spy" Was Innocent.  
 Some little excitement was caused around Indiantown last night about seven o'clock when a supposed German spy was located. Sergeant Sullivan was called on and after he had questioned the man was satisfied that he was all right. The man who was young, was on his way from Amherst to Fredericton and gave a straightforward account of himself to the officer who could see no reason for detaining him and consequently let him go.

Rothsay Consolidated School.  
 The opening of the new consolidated school at Rothsay yesterday marked another step in the progress of education in Kings county. The building, which is situated in the centre of the village, cost in the vicinity of \$35,000. There is a vast difference in the rooms and facilities in the new building compared with those of the old school house.

Driving Accident.  
 Last night while Edward Moore of Garnet Town was driving over the Silver Falls hill on the Loch Lomond Road, the bolt which attaches the shafts to the carriage, fell out, allowing the shafts to fall against the horse's legs. The horse ran away and Mr. Moore was thrown on the road, slightly injuring his shoulder. The carriage was badly broken up and the horse ran into a wire fence and became so entangled that it took considerable time for County Policemen Saunders and Herbert Clayton, with a couple of the latter's employees, to cut the wire and free the frightened animal. The horse was only slightly injured.

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### BABY KIDNIES ARE STARTING SCHOOL LIFE

Great Rush for Permits During Past Few Days at School Board Office.

### CITY TEACHERS HELD MEETING YESTERDAY

Matters of Public Health Considered—The Daylight Saving Plan—Contributions Authorized to Patriotic Funds.

There was much activity yesterday in connection with the re-opening of the public schools. In the morning Dr. Bridges began an inspection of the various buildings and reported that, except that accommodation for the scholars is insufficient in some cases, everything is going on in a satisfactory way.

Only a morning session was held yesterday, the afternoon being devoted to a meeting of the teachers and heads of the department of education and Board of Health in the large assembly hall at the High school. Dr. Bridges was in the chair, and there was a large attendance when, with other officials, practically the whole of the teaching staff and teachers were present to listen to an address by the chief health officer, Dr. Melvin. Other matters were also brought forward and dealt with.

Dr. Melvin addressed those present on the subject which has recently been brought prominently forward respecting the maintenance of a good health standard amongst the children in the schools. In a clear way he explained the methods that should be adopted to give effect to the regulations of the Board of Health framed with the special view of safeguarding the welfare of the citizens.

W. J. S. Myles brought forward the matter of the disputation of a salary of \$45 resulting from a contribution of sixty cents by the local teachers to entertain visitors attending the teachers' institute held some time ago. It was agreed to devote this sum to patriotic purposes. The teachers present agreed, also, to give one per cent. of their salaries for the remainder of this year, and two per cent. of next year's salaries for patriotic purposes, by which means it is anticipated that between \$3,500 and \$3,000 will be made available for this object.

Some discussion was also respecting the merits and demerits of the daylight saving plan, the general view expressed being that, for school purposes, the clock should be readjusted to normal time as from September 1st was thought by several speakers that three months of daylight saving would be enough, the months chosen to be June, July and August. Various reasons were advanced for eliminating May and September from the period of saving advocated early this year, but most of the speakers made it clear that they did not desire to condemn the scheme of daylight saving as a whole. For school purposes, however, it was explained that confusion had arisen in many ways as a result of its adoption.

The exact number of permits issued by the school authorities could not be ascertained yesterday. In the morning 130 additional permits had been issued with many more in the afternoon. During August more than 700 of these permits have been issued and during the whole of this week it is thought that those seeking these documents will continue to visit the School Board offices. Both the secretary and assistant secretary have been kept very busy of late attending to those who are interested in getting the children the necessary permission to enter the schools for tuition. It is believed, however, that the number of permits will exceed that of last year. No children are being accepted who have not been vaccinated.

Many children from outside points are seeking admission to the schools, their parents or guardians offering to pay for tuition, but owing to lack of facilities for reception in many cases it will not be possible to admit all of them.

### FOUR MEN ON HONOR ROLL YESTERDAY

Recruiting Gets a Fair Start for Week—Notes of Interest Regarding Local Military Units.

### HONOR ROLL

- \* J. E. Chamberlain, St. John.
- \* Joseph Paul, St. John.
- \* 237th Battalion.
- \* John Smith, Bathurst, N. B.
- \* 236th Battalion.
- \* Lewis Dunphy, Mass., U.S.A.
- \* 8th Field Ambulance Corps.

St. John recruiting officers yesterday signed on four men who are anxious to serve their country. Yesterday's figures in comparison with the same day last week give this county a fair start towards heading the recruiting list again this week.

No. 9 Siege Battery.

There is some talk of this unit proceeding overseas at an early date. In fact much sooner than they expected. As this unit requires a few more men, it will furnish an opportunity for any one desiring quick transportation in Canada's army to the other side. This unit, which is in command of Major Westmore, was recently inspected by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught at Halifax.

Cyclist Corps.  
 The Signallers' and Cyclists' Corps require a number of active young men. The signallers will be taught telegraphy and the use of the Morse code with buzzers, flags or keys.

A platoon of thirty-five is to be raised. These men are wanted for despatch riders and scouts. Although the work is hazardous, yet it is highly interesting, and should appeal to the young men of New Brunswick.

The headquarters for both the signal corps and cyclists will be at Halifax. Any who feel like joining either corps should apply at once to any recruiting officer and they will be directed to the proper enlisting department.

Military Notes.  
 Fred J. Hamilton of 60 Harrison St., who has enlisted in the 236th Battalion, came to the city yesterday on a short leave and will return to Fredericton tomorrow.

A. G. Viets, who has been visiting in St. John for the past few days, the former of Mrs. K. G. Viets and the Misses Stone, Germain street, returned to his home yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Daniel, who have been residing in Montreal, are visiting Mr. Daniel's home at Rochesay.

Mr. Daniel, son of Canon Daniel, has enlisted in the 224th Battalion, Kitchen's Own. He will leave shortly to report to battalion headquarters.

Pte. R. G. Murray, who enlisted with No. 3 Field Ambulance Corps, has been promoted to the rank of corporal.

The funeral of Isaac Burns, R.C.R., who died while in the service of the 219th Nova Scotia Highlanders, will be held today at Fredericton, the home of the deceased soldier. The funeral will be held with full military honors. The firing squad will go from St. John to honor their late comrade-in-arms.

The Obala Cornet Band has been engaged to take part in the Labor Day sports in St. John. It is probable that an excursion from Calais to St. John will be held.

As the internment camp at Halifax is being moved to Amherst, some time in September, twenty men are urgently required for guard duty at the detention camp there.

A popular St. John man, John H. Kimball, son of George Kimball, is leaving this week for Montreal, the first stage of a journey which will make him a member of the British navy. Recently he volunteered for naval service, and now has been notified to report in Montreal.

Sapper Harold McCabe, the 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Berton McCabe, of 122 Britain street, was killed in action on August 19, was the word received on Saturday from Ottawa. Sapper McCabe went overseas with the 66th Battalion and when the unit was broken up he crossed to France with a draft and had been at the front only about a month.

What's Selling in Jewelry?  
 Mainly Bracelet Watches, Pendants and Rings. Gundry's well balanced stock shows a fine variety of the other regular lines, but special attention is paid to the above. More and more satisfied customers are proving Gundry's claim of being the leading jewelry house of the province.

Palm Beach Suits.  
 F. A. Dykeman & Co. have 10 real Palm Beach suits which were priced at \$11.50, and which they are going to sell on Wednesday at \$5.00 each. Also one Palm Beach Automobile Coat at the same price. They also have 6 pure linen automobile coats which will be sold at half price, \$5.00 each. One Shantung silk automobile coat priced \$12.75 will be sold for \$7.50. They also have a few awning striped suits to be cleared out at \$2.50 each on Wednesday morning.

Westmorland—  
 For 65th Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 145th Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 236th Battalion . . . . . 2  
 " Canadian Engineers . . . . . 6  
 " 165th Battalion . . . . . 3

Madawaska—  
 For 165th Battalion . . . . . 1

Carleton—  
 For 237th Battalion . . . . . 3  
 " 165th Battalion . . . . . 2

Albert—  
 " . . . . . 0

Northumberland—  
 For 132nd Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 236th Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 145th Battalion . . . . . 2  
 " Home Service . . . . . 2

Charlotte—  
 For 65th Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 236th Battalion . . . . . 1  
 " 237th Battalion . . . . . 1

York—  
 For 236th Battalion . . . . . 17

Queens and Sunbury—  
 For 236th Battalion . . . . . 8  
 " Home Service . . . . . 1

Victoria—  
 " . . . . . 9

Restigouche—  
 For 165th Battalion . . . . . 1

Kings—  
 " . . . . . 1

Kent—  
 " . . . . . 0

Gloucester—  
 " . . . . . 0

Total . . . . . 83  
 One recruit for 165th in Nova Scotia.

### ANOTHER CASE OF A TELEGRAPH FAKE

R. H. Cother Repudiates Alleged Interview Published in News Columns of "The Daily Annapolis"

During the course of his remarks at the conference of the Kings County Union of Milk Producers and the St. John dealers held yesterday, Mr. R. H. Cother, of the People's Dairy, took occasion to deny an alleged interview which appeared in the Telegraph of August 23, which credited him with saying that he could not see any occasion for the increase in the price of milk, and that if there was a possibility of getting milk from anywhere else than from these striking farmers they should do so. The Telegraph also credited him with saying that they had tried the same thing before and failed, and there was a possibility that they would fail this time. Mr. Cother said he had never made such statements, neither had he been interviewed by the Telegraph. He had called up the Telegraph next day and asked where they got the information and was told that they had called up his office and some one there had given them the information. Mr. Cother then said: "You did not get it from me, and whoever was on the other end of the wire said, 'No, it was not your voice, but we got the information from somebody in your office.'"

Mr. Cother said he wanted to take

### Chinese Case in Court.

Lim Hong, charged with being the proprietor of a gambling den and opium joint on Mill street and fourteen Chinese companions, charged with being inmates of the resort, were before the police magistrate yesterday morning and afternoon. They were represented by John A. Barry and all pleaded not guilty. The evidence of Detective Barrett was taken regarding the raid, in which he exhibited the gambling devices, also two of alleged opium which he and Detective Briggs found under a stove, and in a toilet. Lee Hong, a local laundryman, was called and testified for the crown that gambling was going on in Lim Hong's place. The case was adjourned until Wednesday morning. After the hearing seven of the prisoners were admitted to bail, while their companions went into jail.

Lim Hong, who was in the dock yesterday, took this opportunity of placing himself right with the farmers, as the sentiments contained in the interview were not his.



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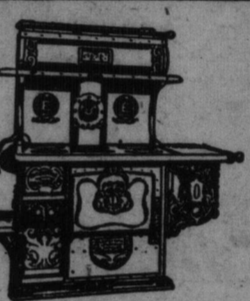
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