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### PTE. W. F. DILLON HAS GIVEN LIFE

Left School to Enlist and Went Across Three Years Ago. Lieut. Charles P. Inches Slightly Wounded—Several Other Saint John Men in List Today

Mrs. John Dillon, 219 Waterloo street, was notified this morning that her son, Private Walter Francis Dillon, had died of wounds on Sept. 30. He went overseas in 1912 as a member of the 64th battalion and was transferred into another unit. He was twenty-one years old and at the time of enlisting was attending school. Besides his parents he leaves five sisters and one brother, all at home.

Lieut. Charles P. Inches, son of Dr. P. R. Inches, Germain street, a member of a heavy battery in France, has been slightly wounded in the left leg. This information was received in a letter from him to his parents yesterday. Lieutenant Inches went overseas with a draft from the 9th Siege Battery. Only about one month ago he was in France. He was a student at U. N. B. at the time of enlisting.

Pte. Corey Gray. Mrs. Gray, 18 Hospital street, was advised this morning that her husband, Pte. Corey Gray, of the Canadian Engineers, had been gassed on Oct. 2 and admitted to No. 1 Field Ambulance. He went overseas with the 104th, was transferred into the 38th and then to the engineers. Mrs. Gray has three brothers soldiers, two of them, Howard and William McMahon, having been in France for a considerable time and another brother, Gunner Harold McMahon, is on Partridge Island, a member of the 3rd C. G. B.

Gar. McAllister Very Ill. Mrs. Rebecca McAllister, of 179 Douglas avenue received word this morning that her son, Gar. C. A. Drury McAllister, was a hospital in England suffering from appendicitis and was seriously ill. He left here about two months ago with a siege battery draft and had since been training at Bramshot. Prior to enlisting he was a student at the U. N. B. Friends will anxiously await further word.

Corp. H. A. DeVeber, M. M. W. H. DeVeber of this city has received word that his son, Corp. Herbert A. DeVeber, M. M. artillery, was admitted to Royal Herbert Hospital, Woolwich, on October 8, wounded in the face. Corporal DeVeber went over with the university detachment in February, 1912, and to France in May. He has been in France ever since, in the field artillery, and has won the military medal. He is twenty-five years of age and has finished his university course in June, 1912, but responded to the call and went overseas.

Pte. Max O'Keefe. Mrs. Michael O'Keefe, Fairville has received word that her son, Max O'Keefe has received a gunshot wound in the right leg and been admitted to Wimmer Hospital. Private O'Keefe is a popular Fairville boy and was a baseball player among the younger teams before joining the king's army. He has a brother, Gunner John O'Keefe who is listed in the first contingent and is now serving on the firing line with Major Frank Magee's artillery. It is hoped that Pte. Max O'Keefe's wound may not be serious and his parents anxiously await further news.

Moncton Soldier Dead. Moncton, Oct. 10—Mrs. Chandler G. Scurr today received notification of the death of her son, Pte. William R. Scurr on September 22, the effects of gunshot wounds. He was formerly employed in the C. G. R. officers. He is survived by his parents and one brother, Frank, who is now in France.

### COMMON COUNCIL COMMITTEE MEETING

At a committee meeting of the common council this morning, Commissioner Fisher was authorized to call for tenders for 10,000 feet of curb stone. Mayor Hayes was authorized to get a written statement from the city solicitor regarding the legal aspect of the street car situation in West St. John. Commissioner Hilyard was authorized to pay the Lock Joint Pipe Company for cement pipe from the income of the department for 1913.

Commissioner Hilyard explained that when the exchange was made last year from iron pipe for cement pipe at Lake Fitzgerald, no provision was made for the money to meet the cost of the contract, the estimates having been made up prior to this period, and there was nothing left over available to pay for this pipe. He recommended that the pipe be paid for from the income of 1913. This was unanimously passed.

Commissioner Hilyard said that he had succeeded his estimate of \$17,000 for sewers, and he asked that the controller be authorized to pay for any needed expenditures, the same to be taken out of the department revenue. This was also passed.

DIRECTLY CONTRADICTIONARY. A returned soldier was in the police court this morning charged with assaulting a policeman. The latter said that while he was making an arrest, the soldier kicked him. The soldier absolutely contradicted this. As the prosecution wished to call witnesses, the case was set over until the morning of the 11th.

NICELY ENTERTAINED. A supper and entertainment was given by the Red Shield of David to seven Jewish legionaries bound for Palestine last evening at the Red Triangle rooms. The boys were all good singers, and of them were accomplished pianists; and they entertained the Canadian soldiers with songs and playing. The song making the biggest hit was "We don't want the Bacon, all we want is a piece of the Rhine." The committee of the Red Megin David expressed a hearty thanks to the Red Triangle for the use of their rooms.

### NO MORE CASES REPORTED UP TO NOON TODAY

Tonight the Closing-Down Order Will go Into Effect—The Street Cars

On the eve of the closing of all places of public gatherings the Spanish influenza situation as far as St. John is concerned is today reported stationary. Dr. W. F. Roberts, no new cases had been reported to Dr. Geo. G. Melvin, provincial health inspector, in his new offices, Kitchie building. Of course physicians had barely time to complete their circuit of regular calls and new calls, so this stationary condition of affairs at noon might become unsettled once reports started coming in. At least the hospital and military establishments had no new cases this forenoon. There are at present reported fewer than twenty patients in the city suffering from what is diagnosed as the new malady.

Dr. W. F. Roberts, minister of health, feels that many cases under observation by various family physicians throughout the city may turn out to be the Spanish type of influenza. When asked if he was sure that the European malady had invaded this province or that the prevalent disease was simply old-fashioned la grippe, the minister replied: "If you saw scores of little fires burning up your property, killing people and spreading with alarming rapidity you surely wouldn't stop to argue about the origin of the blazes or whether it was dangerous or not."

In private interviews with Dr. Roberts' delegates were told last evening just how the provincial situation was at the present time and the citizens were fully convinced of the necessity of the drastic action being taken and the urgency of co-operation by every class of citizen, both male and female. The people who will suffer financial losses by the shutdown are: Houses of entertainment and their staffs of employees, the newspapers through advertising shrinkages of several hundreds of dollars weekly; the local government through ticket tax losses, and the N. B. Power Company through reduced illumination of public places and motion picture power. However on all sides affected by the shutdown order there is a disposition to accept gracefully the demand and co-operate in some way.

The Street Cars. The minister of health proposes to take steps to prevent the overcrowding of the street cars and will address a communication to the management of the N. B. Power Company on that score. He feels that in order to prevent contagion in the street cars the street cars must co-operate. In the United States and upper Canada where the Spanish influenza is prevalent the cars are fumigated and disinfected regularly under health board orders.

At the street car service in St. John is inadequate at the rush hours and during inclement weather the cars are being forced to stand in jammed-up rows face to face in the fullest capacity of the car—an ideal condition for the spread of a disease contracted through respiratory channels.

### DEATH OF HON. WM. F. MURRAY

Former Postmaster of Boston Was Cousin of Mrs. Wm. C. Bowden of St. John

The Boston papers devoted columns of space to accounts of the death and life and funeral of Hon. William F. Murray, postmaster of Boston, who died recently after a very short illness. He was only thirty-six or thirty-seven years old, but had won a very high position in the commonwealth and had earned the high regard of people in all walks of life.

The Boston Post prints a series of tributes from prominent men, including Governor McCull, Customs Collector Maynard, former Mayor Curtis and Judge Charles S. Sullivan. McCull said he had served in congress with Mr. Murray and had high respect for his character and ability. "He was a force for good in politics and government. The commonwealth has suffered a very great loss."

Mr. Murray was the son of a former prominent writer on the Boston Herald and had himself been a reporter. He was a graduate of Harvard University, a powerful speaker, a clever lawyer, and as a member of congress at thirty he was the youngest in that body. The papers speak of him as a man of very high character. He is survived by his wife, one son, his mother, five sisters and two brothers, one of the latter the Rev. Stephen G. Murray of St. Margaret's church, Lowell. Mrs. Bowden, wife of Prof. William C. Bowden, Sydney street, is a cousin of the late Boston postmaster.

### PLANNING OUT-DOOR ACTIVITIES FOR BOYS

Captain Stokes and Messrs. Maughan and Gregg of the Y. M. C. A. staff are planning out-door activities for the boys of St. John. As their building will be closed, they desire to be of service in directing out-door games and other exercises. They are taking stock of the possible open spaces available for group games. These include the new south-end playground, that on Queen Square, Carleton, possibly also the ground with apparatus near City Hall, Carleton, the North End baseball ground, Victoria Square, and if possible, a field near the Marsh Bridge.

The Y. M. C. A. men called at City Hall this morning to ask for authority to go ahead, and get the co-operation of mayor and commissioners. It is felt that a great deal can be done to keep the boys interested and in good health. It has been suggested that physical exercises and marching drill on the playground would be of great benefit along with the group games. The plan has yet to be worked out, but every citizen will heartily endorse the effort.

### LARGE GAIN IN BANK CLEARINGS

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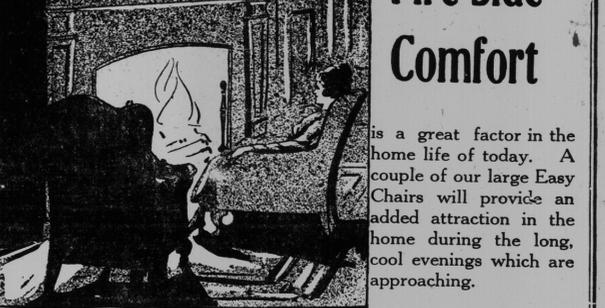
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