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**LOCAL NEWS**

**SAFE IN ENGLAND**  
Mrs. W. V. Turnbull of West St. John, has received a cable from her son, Gunner Willie Turnbull, 9th Siege Battery, telling of his safe arrival in England.

**LEAVE FOR BROOKLYN.**  
Mrs. R. G. McGuire left last night, accompanied by her young son, for Brooklyn, N. Y., where she will join her husband, who has accepted a position on a dredge.

**CASE OF SMALLPOX.**  
It is understood that a case of smallpox exists in a camp near Pocologan, Charlotte county. The camp, which is used by fishermen, is under quarantine, placarded and under guard by the health authorities. Fishermen and others are notified to avoid it.

**THE OFFICIAL FIGURES.**  
H. E. Wardrop, city clerk, this morning gave out the following figures as the official returns for the primary in the city election held yesterday: Thomas Bullock, 1882; Edwin J. Hilyard, 1721; John Thornton, 1692; James H. Frink, 1692; James V. Russell, 1451.

**DEATH OF CHILD.**  
The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Braudell McLean will sympathize with them in the loss of their youngest child, Olive Winifred, aged thirteen months. Besides her parents she leaves three sisters, Mrs. Dupes, Beloea of West St. John and Pearl and Ida at home. Funeral will take place on Thursday at 2.30 from her late residence, 286 Duke street, West St. John.

**ASSEMBLY ENJOYED.**  
A very successful informal assembly was held in the rooms of the L. L. & B. Society, Union street, last evening and was well attended. Dancing formed the greater part of the evening's entertainment. The following efficient committee had the affair in hand, George Stafford, Wilfred Gallagher, John Daley, William Monahan, Thomas Coleman and Clarence Walsh.

**A NEW RECORD IN GRAIN SHIPMENTS**  
C. P. R. This Season Has Handled Nearly Three Times As Much As in Whole Last Season  
The C. P. R. have established a record for grain shipment from this port during the winter months which has greatly surpassed any previous figures ever recorded. Since the season opened 15,462,000 bushels have been sent overseas and the prospects are further figures are to be added. Last year the total shipment was 5,548,000 bushels. In March alone 5,000,000 bushels were shipped from St. John, nearly equalling that of the entire season last year. The handling of grain has been considerably hampered during the last couple of weeks due to a shortage of men.

**MORE ST. JOHN SOLDIERS HOME**  
Chas. Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Aid Commission, received the following list this morning—Men leaving Halifax Wednesday morning for St. John:  
J. F. Adams, Little Town Me.  
D. Bain, 220 Norfolk street, Cambridge, Mass.  
E. W. Cannon, 247 St. George street, St. John  
R. Cauty, 109 Brittain street, St. John  
E. Collins, 142 St. Patrick street, St. John  
S. T. Dungan, St. Andrews, N. B.  
G. H. Dryden, Moncton, N. B.  
P. E. Gallagher, Tracy Station, N. B.  
E. J. Gibbons, Pokok, St. John  
A. J. Gordin, Miconette, Gloucester Co.  
J. H. Hachey, 299 Union street, St. John  
J. W. Hunter, 150 Worcester street, Boston.  
W. S. Hamilton, 560 Main street, St. John  
G. B. Kent, Amherst, N. S.  
H. A. Murphy, Bridgetown, N. B.  
E. McGraw, Legacyville, N. B.  
F. R. Reardon, Inglewood, N. B.  
D. Robichaud, Point Sapin, N. B.  
G. Rossborough, Prince William, N. B.  
J. R. Short, 117 St. George street, St. John  
E. Tingley, Sackville, N. B.  
J. Tower, Rockport, N. B.  
C. Wilkinson, Stickney, N. B.  
J. B. Wood, 155 Hawthorne Ave., St. John  
C. J. Scott, Clifton, N. B.  
G. K. Chase, King street, Sackville.  
C. E. Booth, no address.  
Lieut. George Arthur Dalzell, Grand Manan, N. B.  
Lieut. Johnson Harry Stanley, Campbellton, N. B.

**NEWS OF ST. JOHN SOLDIERS IN HOSPITAL**  
Mrs. William Somers of 479 Main street, has received word from Ottawa informing her that her husband, Corp. Wm. L. Somers has been admitted to No. 1 Canadian General Hospital, Etaples, suffering from trench fever.  
Mrs. Geo. W. London, of 181 Victoria street, has received word that her husband, Sergt. Geo. W. London, who was shell-gassed some time ago, was reported out of danger. He is at present in a hospital in England.

**POLICE COURT**  
Boatsman Burylan of a steamer now in port, was before Magistrate Ritchie in the police court today. He was arrested on a warrant and was charged with assaulting a seaman. Some evidence was taken and he was allowed out on a \$40 deposit. The case will come before the court again tomorrow when several more witnesses will be examined.  
Another prisoner, a returned soldier, was charged with drunkenness in Union street last night. He was arrested by Policeman Patrick Duffy. As the policeman was not present at the opening of the court the magistrate remarked "He should be present; here it is now twenty minutes after ten o'clock, but if I say anything they will say I am roasting the police. Notify them down stairs." The prisoner was sent below.

**THE COMMITTEES IN FREDERICTON**

Affairs of Jordan Sanitarium Discussed

St. John's Death Rate From Tuberculosis Greatly Reduced—Technical Education Committee Nearing End of Its Work

(Special to Times.)  
Fredericton, N. B., April 8.—The affairs of the Jordan Memorial Sanitarium occupied the attention of the public accounts committee today and discussion which arose covered practically all the affairs of the institution. Messrs. Robinson and Murray of the committee also are members of the commission, and Dr. A. F. McAvenny of St. John and Dr. David Townsend, superintendent of the institution also were present.  
The total amount expended last year was \$83,146 and it was recognized that the average cost per patient was high. The average cost will be reduced when the number of patients increases, as will be the co-operation with the Military Hospitals Commission, as many features of the overhead expenses would not increase in proportion. It was announced that rooms are being prepared in the administration building for private patients who are willing to pay larger rates for additional privacy and other extras.  
Most of the patients pay at the rate of \$7 a week. Provision is made for the payment of this amount by municipalities for patients unable to pay their own way, but so far only one municipality has taken advantage of this, that is St. John. Non-resident patients pay \$1.50 a day and when a private room is desired the rate is \$2.

It was said that the cost of operation would be less under the more centralized in fewer buildings, but the pavilion system had been approved by the experts who made the first plans.  
The chairman expressed the opinion that it might be a good investment to spend more money to develop the better paying department. The need of more clinics throughout the province referred to in the superintendent's report was referred to, but it was pointed out that outside duties already interfere with his management of the business with the institutions. The employment of a capable business man to look after this was suggested but the question whether the sanitarium was big enough to warrant this was raised.

In a general discussion it was mentioned that there are at least 9,500 tubercular persons in the province. As an illustration of the value of preventive work, Dr. Townsend mentioned that St. John's death rate from this cause, which was one of the worst in the country in 1909, has been reduced by half.  
Mention was made of the cost of farm operations at the institution, the expenses having been \$1,600 greater than the receipts last year. It was explained that much of this was in the nature of permanent improvements and also that a more experienced farmer in charge this year expects to make a better showing.  
When the public accounts committee adjourned, the commissioners on the sanitarium met in private session to transact routine business.

**Technical Education.**  
The provincial committee on technical education is nearing the end of the work for which it was appointed. At a meeting held this morning the members were revising their report, recommendations contained therein and a bill which they will submit to the legislature during this session. The nature of their recommendations will not be made public at present.  
Fred Magee presided, and the members present were Dr. J. Roy Campbell and A. M. Belding, St. John; J. T. Jennings and Fletcher Peacock, Fredericton; Rev. F. Tessier, Memramcook, and G. H. King, Chipman. Dr. H. S. Bridges of St. John was in conference with the committee this morning.

**FOLLINGS HAS PLEADED GUILTY**

Was Before Judge Armstrong Under Speedy Trials—Wool Case to Be Tried Again

Carl Follings was before His Honor Judge Armstrong under the Speedy Trials Act in the County Court Chambers this morning, and entered a plea of guilty to charges of theft from F. W. Daniel & Company, Ltd., with whom he was employed. His Honor remanded Follings. C. H. Ferguson appeared for the crown and Kenneth, McRae for the defendant.  
In the case of Jack Hayes, Carl Kelly, Stanley Hartin and George Drew, tried last week before His Honor Judge Barry and jury, together with Harry Hayes and Harry Hayes Jr., on the charge of stealing wool from the Colonial Hide Company warehouse, in connection with whom the jury failed to agree, William M. Ryan, on behalf of the attorney general, announced in the Circuit Court this morning that it was the intention of the crown to try these four prisoners again.  
In the case of Harry Hayes, Sr., and Harry Hayes, Jr., the jury returned a verdict of not guilty. Mr. Ryan said that April 28 would be a convenient time for the crown to try the case, and His Honor set that date for the hearing. Before adjourning the court His Honor instructed Sheriff Wilson to empanel sixty new judgesmen. J. A. Barry and E. J. Henneberry were present in the interests of the defendants.

**W. M. KELLY OF KINGSLEAR HIT**  
Ottawa, April 8.—Casualties:  
INFANTRY.  
Died.  
R. H. Smith, Parrsboro, N. S.  
Wounded.  
G. H. Proulx, Egmont Bay, P. E. I.;  
W. M. Kelly, Kingslear, N. B.

**DUTCH MAY HAVE TO GIVE UP LIQUOR MAKING.**  
Amsterdam, April 8.—According to the Handelsblad, the Dutch spirits industry will soon cease operations, owing to the scarcity of grain. The distilleries in the Scheideveld district have for some time been operating on a greatly reduced basis.

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