

# WINTER'S WORK FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS' RECEPTION COMMITTEE

At Meeting Yesterday Reports  
Were Submitted Showing  
Good Results

Want Central Room For Committee  
Use; Met 15 Steamer With Aver-  
age of 125 Men on Each

Few of the committees doing patri-  
otic work last year gave more of their  
time and efforts for good causes than did

the reception committee which wel-  
comed the soldiers who had done their bit  
and landed in St. John. Not one of the  
committee complained, one of the fea-  
tures of its working being the willing-  
ness with which those who belonged to it  
turned out early in the morning or  
whatever time the boats came in, went  
over to the West side and waited, often  
for hours, to have the pleasure of wel-  
coming the soldiers.

To plan for the winter a meeting of  
the committee was held yesterday after-  
noon in the Board of Trade rooms. S.  
Herbert Mayes was in the chair, and  
there were present Mrs. G. A. Kuhring,  
Mrs. S. H. Mayes, Mrs. H. A. Powell,  
Mrs. Carleton Lee, Mrs. W. I. Fenton,  
Mrs. Jas. F. Robertson, Miss Jack, Miss  
Boyer, Miss Travers, Miss Alice Fair-  
weather, Messrs. A. O. Skinner, H. Ran-  
kine, W. Clawson, R. E. Armstrong and  
Chip Ritchie, the secretary.

S. Herbert Mayes told of the work ac-  
complished last year. Fifteen steamers  
were met with an average of 125 men  
on each steamer. It was pointed out

that the number would necessarily be  
much greater this year. Each man was  
given a parcel with fruit, tobacco, cho-  
colate, etc., papers and magazines were  
distributed.

Mrs. G. A. Kuhring told of letters re-  
ceived from societies and individuals in  
different parts of Canada speaking of  
the deep appreciation felt by the men.  
The pretty parcels tied up with Allie's  
ribbon were enjoyed, but best of all  
they seemed to like the little Canadian  
flag which topped each parcel. It meant  
so much to these brave men to be met  
with a warm welcome as soon as they  
stepped on the land they had gone to  
fight for.

It was decided to try to get a central  
room to carry on the work of preparing  
the parcels. It was also decided to ap-  
peal to all societies to give towards this  
cause. Those who so generously assist-  
ed last year are asked to respond this  
winter. A. O. Skinner will receive con-  
tributions.

Mrs. H. A. Powell offered her house  
for a parlor musicale to be given some

time in November. This idea was en-  
thusiastically taken up and a committee  
appointed consisting of Mrs. Powell,  
Mrs. Kuhring, Mrs. James F. Robertson,  
A. O. Skinner and S. H. Mayes.

Mrs. Carleton Lee was appointed buy-  
er for the supplies with H. Rankin to  
assist her. Mrs. W. W. White and Mrs.  
Stewart Skinner were asked to look af-  
ter the recreation room at the detention  
hospital, West side, as they did last  
year. The magazine committee were  
re-appointed. Miss Alice Fairweather  
was added to the general committee.

It is hoped that there will be a gen-  
erous response to this appeal for funds  
to carry on the work of the returned  
soldiers' reception committee.



## Refreshing Tea

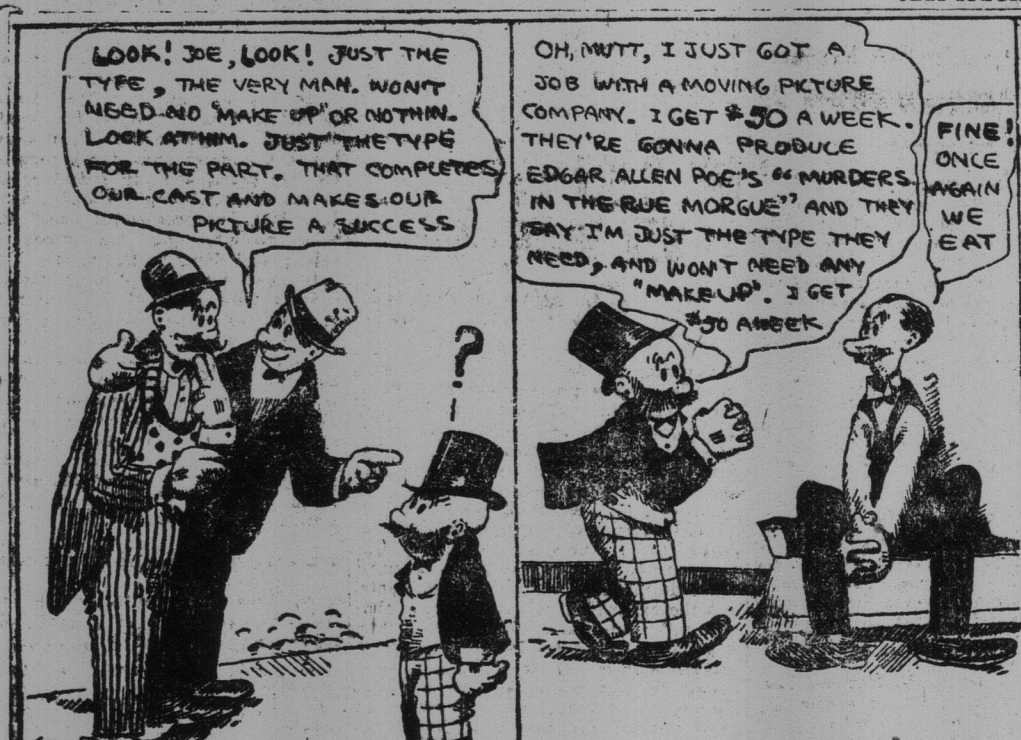
In any season—Summer or Winter—there is  
nothing more enjoyable than a delicious cup of  
tea. The flavor must be "just right," though,  
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## First Recruit For Navy Here

Many Provincial Men in Casualty  
List; Contributions For Kilites  
Equipment; News of the Soldiers

Albert Todd is the first naval recruit  
to enlist in St. John. His home is in  
Liverpool, England, but he has been in  
Canada for some months.

Lieutenant B. W. Russell, who was  
reported in yesterday's Times as being  
wounded, is the son of Mr. Justice B.  
Russell of Nova Scotia, and has many  
friends in St. John.

Midnight List.

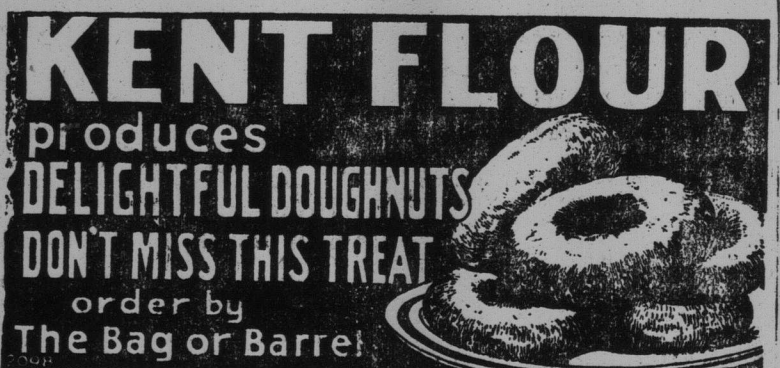
The names of eight New Brunswick  
men appear in the midnight casualty  
list. Killed in action, E. A. Williston,  
Dayside; missing, F. Beres, St. John  
(previously reported); wounded, L. Ber-  
sant A. Walling, Chatham; Gunner A.  
Keith, Havelock; Gunner R. T. Mur-  
phy, Moncton; W. J. Dumas, St. John;  
E. W. Eddy, Bathurst, and F. McGloin,  
Emerson.

In Line for Honors.

The late Lieut. Stanley K. L. Mac-  
donald's commanding officer, in letters  
received by friends in the city, says that  
Lieut. Macdonald had been recommended  
for special mention and award. On  
two occasions he had run telephone wires  
in the divisional artillery, thereby en-  
abling many other batteries to register  
their guns, as they had no wires of their  
own.

Private Quinn Killed.

Another St. Andrews boy has been  
called upon to make the supreme sacri-  
fice in the person of Private Thomas  
Quinn, son of Henry Quinn, who received  
word of his death on Oct. 3. It was  
due to shrapnel wounds. The telegram  
stated that he lived only a few hours.  
He had been absent from St. Andrews  
for some years, but is still well re-  
membered, and many letters have been  
received from friends relating experi-  
ences. He enlisted with the 6th French  
Canadian Battalion, and was transferred  
to a battalion on the western front on



arrival in England. He is survived by  
his sister, Miss Bessie Quinn, profes-  
sional nurse, who returned from France  
a few months ago, after having accom-  
plished splendid work in a field hospital  
there.

Private Townsend Dies.

Mrs. W. C. Good, of this city, wife of  
Colonel W. C. Good, who is now at the  
front, received word last night that her  
adopted son, Private Percy Townsend,  
who was reported wounded some time  
ago, died on Oct. 2, at No. 9 clearing sta-  
tion, from a fracture skull. Private  
Townsend enlisted with the 58th Bat-  
talion at Jacksonville (N. B.), and was  
later transferred to the 28th.

Private Craik Killed.

A report from Newcastle says that  
sad news came to Mr. and Mrs. James  
Craik, when they received word that  
their son, Private George Craik, of the  
29th Battalion, had been killed in action  
on Sept. 20. Private Craik was twenty-  
one years old and is survived by the  
following brothers and sisters: David,  
at home; James, of the 29th; Frank  
and Hubert, of the 182nd Battalion;  
Harold, Jean, Brander, Alden and Kil-  
chener, at home. It will be noted that  
four of the boys were in the king's ser-  
vice and this is the first one to be slain  
on the field of battle. Private Craik ex-  
actly springs of fighting stock, and the  
sacrifice of this family in the present  
national crisis is one of which the province  
may be justly proud.

Moncton Man Killed.

Moncton, N. B., Oct. 20.—Malcolm  
McKinnon, of this city, tonight received  
a telegram stating that his son, John,  
had been killed in action. Deceased is  
survived by his wife and one child. He

was formerly employed in the Interco-  
lonial round house, Moncton.

A Former Resident.

W. J. Wright, an Englishman, formerly  
employed as a tailor with Gilmour &  
Co., and later with E. R. Taylor, St.  
John, was enlisted with the 29th  
Battalion in the County of London  
War Hospital, Epsom, suffering from  
wounds in the left arm, left thigh  
and right leg. He was admitted Sept. 15,  
and was wounded near Thiepval. In a  
letter to St. John friend, Private  
Wright reports that he is progressing fa-  
vorably and expects soon to return to  
France. He says: "The Canadian  
branch of the Red Cross looks after us  
well here. We want for nothing."

To Equip Company.

One of the most striking gifts to any  
C. E. F. unit yet authorized in Canada is  
that to the 29th Kilites by E. W. Beat-  
son, general counsel of the C. E. F. R., who  
yesterday wrote to Brigadier-General  
Hugh H. McLean, stating that he was  
prepared to fit out a company of Colonel  
Guthrie's unit himself. It is understood  
that the fitting out of an entire com-  
pany of the Kilites' Battalion represents  
an expenditure of about \$4,000. This  
company equipped, it is understood, will  
represent western Canada in the unit.

Other donations recently received by  
General McLean are as follows:

H. B. Angus, \$200; Colonel C. W. Mc-  
Lean, \$100; T. V. Monahan, Frederic-  
ton, \$200; J. Morris, of Montreal, \$200;  
Marry McLean, Montreal, \$200. About  
\$8,000 is still needed for the fund, which  
must reach \$20,000 before it is com-  
pleted. There is little doubt that the  
amount required will be secured in the  
very near future.

The fund for the 29th Battalion is rap-

## THE SECRET

All true success is the outcome of real  
personal interest and genuine endeavor.  
You may be designing a battleship or you  
may be thinking out a bright idea for a  
15 cent toy, controlling a commercial  
or puzzling and experimenting with fruits  
and spices in order to perfect a new re-  
cipes for the home table, but the real road  
to success is just the same in one case as  
in each of the others. It is not what work  
you are doing, but how you are doing  
your work that really counts. You cannot  
know, unless it were told you, how much  
personal interest was shown in the  
manufacture of H. P. Sauce before its  
name began to be a household word. The  
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one delicious whole—this is the secret of  
H. P. You had better test it for your-  
self, it's easy. Grocery over here are al-  
ready selling it freely.

idly growing and Lieutenant-Colonel Mc-  
Avity is putting all his energy into the  
work. Yesterday he sent a check to  
Lieutenant-Colonel MacKenzie, now O.  
C. of New Brunswick's splendid fighting  
unit, expressing his personal appreciation  
of their recent work on the western front  
which he has already collected. The latest  
contributions reported by Colonel  
McAvity are: A. E. Casswell, Gagetown,  
\$100; W. B. Leck, \$1; Sir Howard Don-  
ald's Charity, C. O. D. E. Fredkin, \$50;  
Friend, \$20; S. D. L., \$5; and Lieuten-  
ant-Colonel T. D. Walker, \$10. The  
total amount of the fund now stands at  
\$585.92. Lieutenant-Colonel McAvity is  
aiming at securing at least \$2,000  
for the gallant boys of his unit, and  
is making every effort to  
secure all the money possible for  
them with which to purchase com-  
forts. New Brunswick should attend to  
their unit at the front as well as Nova  
Scotia looks after her 29th Battalion.  
The boys have delivered the goods; they  
have suffered and when necessary died  
for the great cause. The least New  
Brunswick can do is to support them in  
the best way possible.

Missing.

C. C. MacIntyre of the Seacoast Can-  
ning Co., Eastport, has received word  
from the Canadian war department that  
his only son, Gordon C., of a Montreal  
regiment, had been missing since Sept.  
20.

## BOYS' CONFERENCE

Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, Rev. W. H.  
Barraclough, Rev. Gilbert Earle, Rev.  
P. R. Hayward, Rev. G. F. Scott, L.  
W. Simms and A. M. Gregg, acting for  
the New Brunswick advisory board for  
co-operation in boys' work met in the  
Y. M. C. A. building yesterday after-  
noon and heard reports from the various  
committees at work preparing for the  
conference that is to be held here next  
week. The ladies' auxiliary reported  
that it would be necessary to have ladies  
assist from churches in serving lun-  
quet, which is to be one of the features  
of the gathering. A reception commit-  
tee of fifty St. John boys will be on  
hand at the station to welcome the vis-  
iting delegates. Eight automobiles will  
be placed at their disposal in taking the  
visitors to their quarters. Many of the  
visiting leaders are to fill the city pul-  
pits a week from tomorrow. Reports  
from the committee on the athletic meet  
and the finance committee indicate that  
both departments are doing satisfactory  
work.

Miss Ellen Lee swam 3 1/4 miles in  
ten hours seventeen minutes recently,  
thus beating the world's record for wo-  
men. She started at Teddington, Eng.,  
at five minutes past seven in the morn-  
ing, catching the ebb tide, and reached  
Wapping Pier after swimming six hours  
and a half minutes. Returning on  
the flood tide, she arrived at Kew Bridge  
at 5.30.

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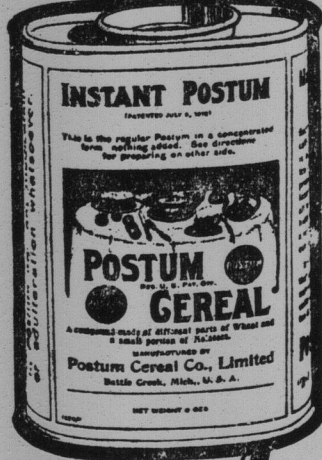
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