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**LOCAL NEWS**

**IS SAFELY ACROSS.**  
Rev. J. H. Jenner received a cablegram this morning from his daughter, telling Sister Lenna Jenner, announcing her safe arrival in England.

**BATONS FOR THE M. P.'S.**  
The military policemen will now carry batons—formidable looking billets with strap handle and all the trimmings. Woe betide the khaki lad who gets mixed up with his own cops after this, if it ever gets down to duels.

**STREET WORK.**  
Union street, between Chipman's Hill and Wellington Row, is closed to traffic while repairs are going on. At present it is being filled in with small stone, gravel catch basins and other drainage piping work is being rapidly completed to make way for the paving.

**MRS. THOMAS REED.**  
Many friends will regret to hear of the death of Isabella Aiken, widow of Thomas Reed, at her home in Thorne avenue this morning. She had long been a resident of that part of the city, and although at the advanced age of sixty-three years, she maintained all her faculties up till about a week ago. Her husband, who died about seven years ago, was a successful manufacturer. She was a native of Danfermling, Fifeshire, Scotland, and leaves one son, William, at home, and two daughters, Mrs. John J. Scott of West Rosbury, Mass., and Miss Isabella Reed, at home, also three grandsons.

**ROCKWOOD PARK PLAYGROUND.**  
There is an error in the city council report regarding the Rockwood playground. The word "purchased" should not appear. There is no question of purchase but simply of transfer by the Horticultural Association to the city. The association has expressed its willingness to make the transfer. Mayor Hayes suggests that the city go on and spend the \$1,000 granted for the purpose of fitting up a part of the area as a playground and leave until later the question of transfer, which might perhaps at a later date include the whole park property. The question concerning the transfer will be decided by the council tomorrow morning.

**FINES OF \$1,100.**  
That Was the Aggregate in The Police Court This Morning  
Maximum penalties were in vogue in the police court this morning and three defendants alone were fined \$1,100. Charles Anderson was fined \$400, John Lane \$200 and Fred Cochran \$500. The first two were fined for violation of the prohibition act and the last for wearing a returned soldier's badge without being entitled to do so.

**The Man In The Street**  
Our apologies are due to St. Swithin; he is in no danger under the anti-looting law.  
Residents of Grandy Point district are talking of establishing a submarine service through the roads to the city.  
Allied commissioners have resumed their annual drive against the police magistrates' renewing offers of peace terms. Overtures might have been referred to the Hague convention if the British had not destroyed the usefulness of that body.  
Fish dealers say prices can be reduced only if deliveries are done away with. In that case, advantage of buying does not seem to be obvious. Customer selects his fish, lays down his money and whistles—then his purchase follows him home.  
Military experts concede that Allied operations like a victory but warn us not to be too optimistic. Someone is always taking the joy out of life.  
Tumble with a lot of food conservation is that it is mostly food conversation.  
But the man who has developed callous spots on his hands is going to treat garden in his backyard is going to treat food products with more respect in the future. Fancy wanting one of the potatoes that he has nursed along from infancy to lusty maturity!  
Suburbanite says his summer so far has been spent catching trains, colds and potato bugs.  
Since we decided we really are at war everybody works but—except in the alien enemies, Canada's only leisure class.  
Under the circumstances, striking workmen find themselves in poor company.  
Kaiser was right when he said he would stand no nonsense from the Americans. "Nonense" is not exactly what the U. S. troops are handing him.  
Comments on "law's delays" have no reference to action of the supreme court on the military service act matter. That august body was traveling in high gear when it struck the obstruction.  
Present League Standing.  
Employees of the power company asked for increase of seven cents an hour and majority of conciliation board awards them six cents. The sporting editor's method of writing the story was as follows:  
Won. Lost. P.C.  
Power Company..... 6 1 257

**QUESTIONS THE LOYALTY OF SOME PEOPLE HERE**  
New Brunswick, Home From Cleveland After 30 Years, Gets a Bit of a Shock  
An interesting visitor to the city today is George Fox, a native of Fox's Beach on the St. John river, but for more than thirty years a resident of Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Fox regrets to have to say that he finds less patriotism among some New Brunswickers he meets than is found in Cleveland, which is perhaps one-third German in its citizenship.  
He bluntly says that if some remarks he has heard since he came to the province were made in Cleveland it would mean jail, without the option of a fine. For instance, in Cleveland a policeman casually remarked that he wished they had a president like the Kaiser. It cost him twenty years.  
Mr. Fox says that men are arrested in Cleveland on the slightest pretext, so determined are the people to put down disloyalty and win the war. They have had wheatless days and one meatless day per week, and now there is talk of three meatless days, and the most rigid food restrictions are enforced without fear or favor. As to what Cleveland has done financially the following record of contributions to Liberty loans, etc., speaks for itself.  
Liberty Loans.  
June, 1917, 1st loan—Quota, \$46,000,000; subscribed \$7,500,000.  
October, 1917, 2nd loan—Quota, \$80,000,000; subscribed over \$80,000,000. (Cannot get exact figures.)  
May, 1918, 3rd loan—Quota, \$55,000,000; subscribed \$7,288,500.  
Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., Etc.  
June, 1917, Red Cross—Goal set, \$2,800,000; subscribed \$1,687,000.  
November, 1917, Y. M. C. A.—Goal set, \$1,000,000; subscribed \$1,878,000.  
May, 1918, War Chest Fund—Goal set, \$6,000,000; subscribed over \$10,000,000. (Exact figures not yet ready.)

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Stores Open Till 10 o'clock Every Friday Evening—Closed Saturday at 1 p.m.  
**Specials in Several Departments**  
\$4.25 per pair for extra large White Shaker Blankets; regular \$5.25 quality.  
98 cents a yard for pussy willow Jap dress and waist silk. Black, white, navy, rose, pink, brown, grey, wine, sand, purple, green, etc. All are \$1.10 quality. Sale price now 98 cents.  
\$3.80 a pair for Marquise Curtains, lace and insertion trimmed, 2 1-2 yards length of each curtain. \$6.00 quality at \$3.80 a pair.  
Real hand-embroidered Pure Irish Linen Bureau Scarfs, Side-board Cloths, 5 o'clock Covers, d'Oylies, Tray Cloths, etc., at less than one-half their cost. We held these in stock, so selling at the old low prices. Every piece is a big bargain, as such goods could not be imported to sell at prices satisfactory to buyers here.

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10.00 Ladies' Raincoats ..... Now 8.50  
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**MRS. JOHN TAIT RECEIVES WORD FROM WOUNDED SON**  
Mrs. John Tait of 71 Somerset street, yesterday, received word from her son, Charlie, who was wounded on June 26 and admitted to hospital in France. He wrote himself and said he was wounded in three places, as stated before; but was getting along fine at the time of writing. He was in an Australian Red Cross hospital. He spoke of how well he was used. Mrs. Tait also received a card from one of the nurses of that hospital telling her about her son.  
**NO PICNICS.**  
The Anglican Sunday schools of the city will not hold their summer outings this year because of transportation difficulties. This will be the second summer of no picnics.