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Warm Welcome For St. John Men Home From War

Thousands Throng Union Station to Cheer Soldiers Who Came on Aquitania—Some of The Arrivals

One of the greatest and most enthusiastic receptions which the citizens of St. John have ever accorded to returning men who have fought and bled in the defense of the honor of Canada and the empire was given to half a hundred heroes of this city and forty whose homes are in Canada and up-river counties when the Aquitania arrived at 9 o'clock Saturday afternoon. The returned men landed at Halifax from the giant Cunard line steamer, Aquitania at 9 o'clock Saturday morning after a good run, and left that city at 2:10 o'clock yesterday morning.

It is estimated that from 4,000 to 5,000 citizens were at the Union station when the special pulled in. The arrival of the boys was greeted by much cheering from hundreds of young folks present, and by the Depot band which played "O Canada." Mayor Hayes represented the city government and also at the train were members of the soldiers' welcoming committee, Charles Robinson, secretary of the Returned Soldiers' Commission; F. L. Potts, M.L.A., Lieut.-Colonel Fred Markham and numerous other prominent citizens, including a large delegation of ladies.

This advertisement is intended to keep the old familiar name

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Cambrai, but was not wounded. He was taking an officer's course when the armistice was signed.

Private Harold McCarthy, son of H. McCarthy, Pitt street, arrived home yesterday and with his coming the third and last fighting member of this family has arrived safely back from the front.

All three brothers—Harold, Arthur and Tyler, the latter two returned a few weeks ago—have done their bit well. They all enlisted in the 2nd Canadian Construction Battalion, but later became scattered in various theatres of the war, but yesterday saw all three brothers united.

Private Harold saw service for nineteen months in France and was still "carrying on" when the armistice was signed. With the breaking up of most of the construction and forestry battalions he was given his opportunity to come home.

Private George Burton, son of William Burton, 366 Main street, was among the North End boys who has played the game through to the finish. He arrived home yesterday after being on active service in France for two and a half years. He enlisted first in the 54th Battalion, but went overseas with the 24th and was transferred to the 58th.

From Essequibo. The men for this district who arrived in Halifax on the steamer Essequibo reached St. John on the early train this morning and went through to Fredericton to receive their discharge or furlough. They were:

- Lieut. R. J. Rawwell, St. Stephen. Major R. F. Macdonald, St. John. Nursing Sister C. F. Gardner, McAdam Junction (N.B.). Pte. A. G. Tracey, St. John. Spr. W. T. Buckley, Chatham (N.B.). Pte. W. S. Anderson, Perth (N.B.). Spr. C. Baker, 41 King Square, St. John. Pte. K. Barbour, Riverside, Albert county (N.B.). Sgt. H. W. Bradford, Pinder, York county (N.B.). Pte. W. Galvin, Grand Bay, Kings county. Pte. J. Chamberland, East Bathurst (N.B.). Pte. H. Crocker, Millerton (N.B.). Pte. J. A. Evin, 228 Carleton street, Fredericton. Pte. McLean, St. John. Pte. E. Hunter, Fredericton. Pte. R. Peterson, St. John. Pte. R. Sutherland, Sheffield, Sunbury county. Cpl. F. Thornton, St. Stephen. Sgt. H. I. Wright, Sussex. Dvr. S. B. Young, St. John.

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\$400.00 Amherst Piano---\$110.00 Talking Machine \$80 Sewing Machine and other prizes to the best, correct, neatest solutions of the Lucky Horse Shoe Puzzle --- Everyone entering an answer will receive a reply whether answer is correct or not.

Do not buy a Piano, Phonograph, or Sewing Machine until you hear from this contest. There is luck in the lucky horseshoe puzzle for some-one. WAIT, REMEMBER Amherst Pianos Limited Start Their Annual House-cleaning Sale of Pianos in FEBRUARY!

FIRST PRIZE \$400.00 AMHERST PIANO



THIRD PRIZE \$80.00 SEWING MACHINE

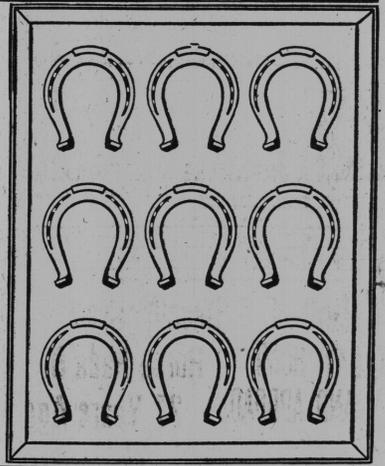


Second Prize \$110 PHONOGRAPH



Fourth Prize \$102.50

Fifth Prize Sewing Machine Discount Worth \$10.00 any Phonograph, large or small, not redeemable in cash.



Can You Solve the Lucky Horse Shoe Puzzle?

IT CAN BE DONE Try your luck with the Lucky Horseshoe Puzzle. This contest is open to families who do not own pianos, talking machines and sewing machines; only one solution accepted from any individual or family.

DIRECTIONS Use any number from one to twelve, inclusive. Place a number in each horseshoe, in such a manner that when added in any direction the total will be 24. Use no number more than once. It can be done using nine numbers, without using any number twice. Answers can be worked out on this or a separate sheet of paper, or on any other desired material. Mail or bring answers. Be sure solutions bear the proper amount of postage.

INSTRUCTIONS The First, Second and Third Prizes will be awarded to the neatest correct solutions. Neatness, originality of layout, as well as workmanship will be deciding factors in deciding the final winners. Bear in mind: There is no prize for a correct solution. All answers are final. Each contestant agrees that the answer submitted becomes the property of the Amherst Piano, Ltd. No one can withdraw or substitute an answer. Amherst Piano, Ltd., and music stores in general, are debarred from participation in this contest. The decision of our Judges shall be final.

AWARDS The First Prize is a Brand New Piano. The Second Prize is a Brand New \$110 Phonograph. The Third Prize is a Brand New \$80 Sewing Machine. The Fourth Prize is a valuable purchasing voucher on a Piano. The Fifth Prize is a valuable Phonograph Discount. The Sixth Prize is a Sewing Machine Discount. Take your time in making out the solution to this puzzle. Gather the whole family round, let them all have a try, let them all have an equal interest in the Piano, Talking Machine or Sewing Machine, should you win one of them. Some one will win a Piano, some one will win a Talking Machine, some one will win a Sewing Machine. It should be you. Try hard. There is luck in the lucky Horseshoe Puzzle for some one.

SEND ANSWERS TO Amherst Pianos, Ltd. 7 Market Square St. John, N. B.

NEW HEALTH BOARDS

Dr. G. G. Melvin, who returned early Saturday from an organizing visit to Victoria and Carleton counties announces the following sub-district health boards for the two counties:

- Victoria—Dr. L. Chapman, Grand Falls; Dr. R. W. L. Earle, Perth; J. J. Sirois, Grand Falls; Lewis R. Rivers, Amosook Junction; Theodore Marston, Plaster Rock. Carleton—Dr. Cummings, Bath; Dr.

Field, Centreville; Dr. Curtis, Hartland; John O. Lindsay, Woodstock; W. E. Fleming, warden of the county. Dr. Desmond, district medical health officer, has organized Westmorland and the sub-district board there is constituted as follows: A. A. Chapman, Port Elgin; H. A. Stevens, Memramcook; Dr. A. Sornany, ex-M.P.P., Shediac; William A. Gass, Sackville; H. C. Charters, Moncton. The municipal council has voted \$10,000 for public health purposes.

The Queens county municipal council has appointed H. B. Bridges of Carleton and Howard Branscombe of Cumberland Bay as members of the health board, leaving the appointment of three others to the government. They rejected a motion to fix the limit of assessment for health purposes at \$2,200 and left this also to the government.

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Y. W. C. A. Directors

The adjourned meeting of the board of directors of the Y. W. C. A. of St. John was held on Saturday afternoon. The president, Mrs. John A. McAvity, presided. A lengthy discussion took place on the plans for the opening of the new home in King street. Miss Douglas, a trained cafeteria worker, is making the preliminary arrangements for the installation of the equipment. Plans were made for the girls' conference which is to be held in the city at the coming week-end.

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