

NEWS OF LOCAL BOYS FROM PTE. GILKER

Mrs. John Gilker of New Carlisle Has Interesting Letter From Her Son in the 26th.

Mrs. John Gilker of New Carlisle has received the following letter from her son who is in East Sarnium camp. In it he speaks of meeting local boys, who are well and the letter will be interesting to many here. Pte. Gilker is with the 26th Battalion. The letter follows:

Dear Mother: East Sandling, Kent Co., Eng., Aug. 10th, 1915.

Just a few lines to let you know we are all safe in dear old England yet, but expect to go to the trenches before long. We have been so busy since we came over that we scarcely get time to write, these last few weeks we have practised Range shooting, trench digging and also some very hard drill, they are certainly doing their best to make soldiers of us.

It is very quiet here where we are camped. We are about 3 miles from the nearest town, so we don't visit town any often than necessary.

The weather is very warm and showery here at present; we have rain every day.

Mother! if you could only see all the troops here, there are about fifty thousand camped around. Aerial Corps, Army Service Infantry, Cavalry and Cycle Corps, everything in the shape of soldiers.

Collin and I are going to make our first trip to London next week, we expect to see Leicester Square, but I guess "It's a long way to Tipperary" alright!

We see lots of fellows from home that we know. Who should come into my hut the other day but Byron Ferguson from Campbellton, he had come from the firing line two weeks ago, slightly wounded, had been through all that fighting at Ypres, and is going back to the trenches very soon again, he was mighty glad to see someone he knew. Also saw Percy Baker from Matapedia, Alma Bissou and Harold LeGallais from Paspébiac.

Mother, you don't get the war news home like we do here. We see fellows "App'rae soupaun au jo no 1424". The hospital where they bring the wounded Canadians is quite close to where we are camped. Edgar, Lionel and I were there the other day to see Dr. Gordon Stewart from Dalhousie. He was very badly wounded and is going home soon. He says he is going down to New Carlisle to see you all when he goes home.

I will have to close as its growing dark and we don't use lights, we might get a lunch of lead and shrapnel for breakfast; there isn't a light to be seen in England at night.

Well mother, don't worry about us, we are alright and having a good time. Goodbye and write soon.

Your loving son, CHARLIE J. GILKER, No. 6969, A Co., No. 3 Platt, 28th N. B. Battalion, 2nd Can. Exped. Force, East Sandling, Kent Co., England.

It is stated that the Borden Government is not disposed to consent to a coalition in Canada. Who asked it to do so?

NEW PRIEST ARRIVES (From the Gloucester Northern Light) Rev. Father Vautour, who was recently appointed to assist Rev. Father Wheten in Bathurst parish, arrived on Friday and took up his duties.

NEW POST OFFICE (From the Gloucester Northern Light) "East Bathurst is the name of a new post office opened last Wednesday at the junction of the Caraquet and Miramichi roads on the east side of the Nepisiguit bridge. Mr. T. A. Baldwin has been appointed postmaster, and the office is situated in his store at the point previously mentioned. The building of the pulp mill and the enlargement of the Nepisiguit mill of the Bathurst Lumber Co. has resulted in a very much increased population in that vicinity and the post office is a move on the part of the postal authorities that will be very much appreciated by the residents of East Bathurst.



Fall is here. So are the new fall styles in Fit-Reform Suits and fall Overcoats.

Prices as usual \$15. to \$35.

McRAE & McRAE, Campbellton, N. B.



THE FAMILY PHYSICIAN

"Fruit-a-tives" is the Standby in This Ontario Home

SCOTLAND, Ont., Aug. 25th, 1915. "My wife was a martyr to Constipation. We tried everything on the calendar without satisfaction, and spent large sums of money, until we happened on 'Fruit-a-tives'. We have used it in the family for about two years, and we would not use anything else as long as we can get 'Fruit-a-tives'."

J. W. HAMMOND. "FRUIT-A-TIVES" is made from fruit juices and tonics—is mild in action—and pleasant in taste. 50c. a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or sent on receipt of price by Fruit-a-tives Limited, Ottawa.

BROTHERS' BABES ARE DEATH'S PREY

Caldwell Families Suffer Bereavement; Fathers Brothers, Mothers Sisters

(From American Paper) Two bright children, one Francis James, youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Caldwell, and Dorothy Hazel, the only child of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Caldwell, lie dead at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Caldwell, 214 North C street, and a double funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock.

The children, whose illness in each case was brief and the cause cholera infantum, rest in little white coffins and in dainty white suits and seem to be merely sound asleep. The boy, who was 2 years and 7 months old was born in this city, and the girl, who was born in Canada while the mother was visiting in that country, was only a few days younger than the boy. The father of the children are brothers and the mothers are sisters. The boy died Saturday evening at 9 o'clock and the girl at 6:15 o'clock last evening. The boy was ill four days and the girl a week. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Caldwell suffered a previous affliction in the destruction of their home, 112 North C streets by fire a few weeks ago.

The above was sent in from Aberdeen, Washington. The Caldwell brothers were formerly of New Carlisle and are sons of Captain James Caldwell. Their wives are daughters of Mr. Donald Anderson of New Carlisle. The sorrowing parents have the sympathy of the entire community in their bereavement.

NEW POST OFFICE (From the Gloucester Northern Light) "East Bathurst is the name of a new post office opened last Wednesday at the junction of the Caraquet and Miramichi roads on the east side of the Nepisiguit bridge. Mr. T. A. Baldwin has been appointed postmaster, and the office is situated in his store at the point previously mentioned. The building of the pulp mill and the enlargement of the Nepisiguit mill of the Bathurst Lumber Co. has resulted in a very much increased population in that vicinity and the post office is a move on the part of the postal authorities that will be very much appreciated by the residents of East Bathurst.

TRAIN INFORMATION

Campbellton is governed by Atlantic Standard time, but trains to and from the North are run on Eastern time. This latter is one hour ahead of Atlantic time.

ARRIVALS, Northbound. No. 33, Maritime Express from St. John and Halifax, arrives 3:00 a. m. Atlantic time. No. 39, Mixed, from Moncton, arrives 11:35 a. m. Atlantic time. No. 35, Local from Moncton, arrives 6:30 p. m. Atlantic time. No. 199, Ocean Limited from Halifax, arrives 7:15 p. m. Atlantic time.

ARRIVALS, Southbound. No. 34, Maritime Express from Montreal, arrives 1:10 a. m., Eastern time. No. 200, Ocean Limited from Montreal, arrives 9:40 a. m., Eastern time. No. 42, Mixed from Mont Joli, arrives 4:30 p. m., Eastern time. No. 150, Local from Levis and Riviere du Loup, arrives 8:30 p. m., Eastern time.

DEPARTURES, Northbound. No. 33, Maritime Express for Levis and Montreal, leaves 2:10 a. m., Eastern time. No. 41, Mixed for Mont Joli, leaves 6:30 a. m., Eastern time. No. 151, Local for Riviere du Loup and Levis, leaves 11:30 a. m., Eastern time. No. 199, Ocean Limited for Montreal, leaves 6:25 p. m., Eastern time.

DEPARTURES, Southbound. No. 34, Maritime Express for St. John and Halifax, leaves 2:20 a. m., Atlantic time. No. 36, Local for Moncton, leaves at 8:15 a. m., Atlantic time. No. 200, Ocean Limited for Halifax, leaves at 10:50 a. m., Atlantic time. No. 40, Mixed for Moncton, leaves at 7:30 p. m., Atlantic time.

Trains No. 199 and 200, Ocean Limited, run daily Sunday included, all other trains daily except Sunday. No. 33, Maritime Express north bound runs daily except Monday morning. Sept. 1st, 1915.

POSTAL INFORMATION

Street Letter Boxes in town are cleared each evening at 10 p. m. Drop letters for town delivery should not be mailed in the outside box at the Post office after 10:30 p. m.

MAIL CLOSING Mails close for Trains 33 and 34 at 11 p. m. For Ocean Limited No. 199 for Levis and Montreal, at 6:15 p. m. For Ocean Limited No. 200 for Moncton, St. John and Halifax, at 10:15 a. m. For Train No. 36 morning local for Moncton, at 11 p. m. For Matapedia and Paspébiac via Cross Point at 9:00 a. m. For Shives Athol and Ferguson Manor daily at 9:30 a. m. For McKinnon Hill, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays, at 9:00 a. m. For Seven Mile Ridge, McKendrick's and Matais on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9:00 a. m.

Mail matters for Post offices between Matapedia and Cross Point both inclusive is sent with train No. 33 each evening, box closing at 11 p. m. Sept. 1st, 1915.

When little ones are peevish, give Rexall Orderlies; constipation is often the cause. Sold by Thos. Wran. The Rexall Store, 10c, 25c, & 50c boxes.

JOINT TEACHERS' INSTITUTE MEETS HERE

Thursday and Friday, Sept. 23rd and 24th, have been chosen as the dates on which the combined Teachers' Institutes of Restigouche, Gloucester and Northumberland Counties will convene at Bathurst. Fully 200 teachers will be in attendance, and the programme being prepared is probably the most interesting that has been arranged for in years.

There is likely to be some difficulty in accommodating such a large number of visitors at one time, so it would be very much to the credit of the town and would add greatly to its reputation for hospitality, if private houses are thrown open to the visitors so that all may be provided with comfortable shelter during their stay.

This gathering will mean a good deal to the town, and as in the past, it is to be hoped that the citizens will rise to the occasion, and give the teachers a welcome they will never forget.

HALIFAX EXHIBITION

SEPT. 8 TO 16. Special Fares Via Canadian Government Railways

Round trip tickets will be sold, plus 25c for admission coupon. Leave all stations in New Brunswick at first class one way fare, good going Sept. 7, 9, 14, good for return until September 17th.

FATHERS AND MOTHERS OF BOYS School is now open and it is the time to pick out your Boy's Suit. We are offering this season great values in Boy's Suits. Made of a fabric especially selected because of the wearing qualities. These suits will wear, as you often wished you' could have your Boy's Clothes wear. Prices \$3.00, 4.00, 5.00, 5.50 to 10.00 Save your piano votes and make every one count ANDREW'S CLOTHING STORE Clothes Satisfaction We Guarantee.

TO ARRIVE HARD COAL Via Schooner Furnace, Stove and Nut Low prices for Delivery from Schooner. Apply to W. T. COOK HARDWARE MERCHANT ROSEBURY ST. OPP. SUBWAY

The New Store GENERAL DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC. New Stocks are arriving daily. All articles are new and fresh, high class and at the right prices. A share your patronage is solicited. Thomas Ellsworth, General Merchant. Cor. Gerrard & O'Leary Sts. Phone 129

The Manufacturers Life Insurance Company "NOTHING SUCCEEDS LIKE SUCCESS" Insurance Issued and Revived 1912 Increase over 1911 Force Increase Premium and Interest Income Increase Assets Increase Paid Policy Holders in 1912 Reserves Surplus The E. R. MACHUM Co., Ltd., St. John, N. B. HUGH A. CARR, Agent, Campbellton N. B.

PRINTING Of Every Description Promptly and Neatly Done at GRAPHIC OFFICE

Local Items

ARTILLERY APPOINTMENT 4th Brigade—12th (Newcastle) Battery—To be provisional lieutenant (supernumerary). Robert Malcolm Hope, gentleman. 19th June, 1915.

THE USUAL Five or six drunks were run in during the week a few of them sailors, and they paid the usual penalty of their indiscretion.

SHACK MOVED The temporary building which was used by Miller Bros. as a meat store in Water street, has now been moved to Gerrard street, where instead of the meat there will be sold articles made from the hides of the animals.

MUSICAL INSTRUCTIONS Vocal, pianoforte and violin. Classes in theory and sight-singing. Full particulars by applying to either Miss DeCorrevont, L. M., Campbellton, N. B., or Miss Ferguson, Dalhousie, N. B.

CONCERT AT MATAPEDIA We understand that Miss DeCorrevont and Miss Ferguson purpose giving one of their popular concerts at Matapedia on Friday evening at eight o'clock, September 17th. We have every reason to believe this concert will prove most enjoyable.

A MEDAL WINNER Miss Isabel McNichol, daughter of Dr. McNichol, of Campbellton, is receiving congratulations on winning the governor's medal, having made the second highest marks in the province. Miss McNichol was a pupil of Miss M. M. Mitchell, St. John. Miss McNichol's pupils have won the medal the last three years, always being among the highest in the province.

MEETING OF CREDITORS Chatham World. There was a meeting of the creditors of M. L. H. Russell, Loggieville, on Friday, at Newcastle, when Hon. L. J. Tweedie and Mr. Thos. Malby were appointed inspectors and Messrs. O'Brien, Bissett, and Macdonald were appointed liquidators. The debts amount to about \$5,000 and the real estate and stock to something more than that amount. A writ for \$500 issued at the suit of the A. & R. Loggie Co. compelled the assignment.

FOR THE 55TH. On Tuesday morning, at Newcastle, ten of the wireless garrison—Corps. M. Amos, Beverly Barron and Colin Logan and Privates J. A. Barry, E. D. Dillen, Robt. Green, J. Braynon, A. P. Peasley, Ray Travers and T. St. Onge—left for Sussex to join the 55th. They were given a royal sendoff at a smoker by the military and the Citizens' Band Monday night and by the band and citizens at the station Tuesday.

BAIN-MORRISON The marriage took place at the residence of Mr. Walter C. Smith, Claire Fontaine street, yesterday afternoon, of Miss Ada A. Morrison, daughter of the late Mr. Robert Morrison, in his lifetime barrister at Sussex, N. B., and Corporal J. Alexander Bain, of the Signal Corps, Fifty-Fifth Battalion, C. E. F., now training at Valcartier camp. The ceremony was performed by Rev. S. T. Martin, pastor of Chalmers' Church. The marriage was witnessed only by the immediate friends of the contracting parties—Quebec Telegraph. Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bain are now at Charlie Station visiting their parents before returning to Valcartier.

Penstar Penslar T Penslar T Penslar House WHICH WE McDONALD'S CAMPBELLTON USE OUR Mail Orders Recd