

PROVINCIAL NEWS

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS

Shediac

Shediac, Nov. 15.—Rev. Mr. Tomlinson, pastor of St. Martin's Church, who recently came home from Toronto, where he had undergone medical treatment, is in better health and of the services of St. Martin's and St. Andrew's Churches on Sunday. Rev. Mr. Lewis of Knox Presbyterian Church, occupied the pulpit of the Methodist Church on Sunday evening while the pastor of the latter church, Rev. Dr. Weddell, occupied the Knox Church pulpit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mowatt, of Campbellton, have been recent guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. A. Smith, "Galleys." Mrs. O. M. Melanson was among Shediac people in St. John recently. Mrs. Blais Gay, Moncton, was in town during the week. Mrs. Alayne Cassidy has returned from Halifax and resumed his position with the League Drug Co. Miss Beatrice Harper left town on Thursday to spend a week in Moncton, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. H. S. Bell.

Mrs. G. A. White entertained the Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church on Thursday afternoon. Miss Selina Bourque has returned from a visit to her sister, Mrs. F. Conner, of Halifax. Mrs. D. S. Harper, and Miss May Harper, left town on Tuesday to spend a fortnight at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Harper, St. John. Mrs. A. J. Webster visited in St. John during the past week. Mrs. Freena and Miss Bray were among Shediac people in Moncton on Saturday. Mrs. George McKeown of Moncton, is spending some time at the home of Mrs. Albert Walling, Shediac Cape. Mrs. Gillespie, after some time spent with Mrs. Tomlinson at the Rectory, Shediac Cape, has returned to St. Stephen.

Among enjoyable social events to take place recently in town was a musicale at which Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Livingstone entertained a number of lady and gentlemen friends at their home, Main street, East. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Macdonald and family motored to Amherst on Saturday, where they have purchased a property and expect to reside. The citizens of Shediac hope they will return in the summer to re-open their bungalow, Main street, East. The W. M. S. of the Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. Weddell at the Methodist parsonage, on Friday afternoon. The G. W. Y. A. of this place celebrated Armistice Day by providing a most enjoyable entertainment which was held on Tuesday evening at the Weldon House, which had been kindly offered for the purpose by the manager and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wood.

With the assistance of a committee of Red Cross workers consisting of Mrs. F. J. Robitoux and Mrs. J. E. White, arrangements were made for a programme of music, cards and dancing to which the public extended a liberal patronage, the sale of tickets amounting to \$100.00. Previous to the carrying out of the entertainment the Assumption Band very fittingly rendered the "Dead March" from the platform of the hotel in memory of the brave men who laid down their lives in the cause of liberty and justice, and in his opening remarks, Mr. W. Wasson, a member of the Association, asked the audience to bear in mind the boys who had gone from our midst to engage in the great struggle who would never return, having made the supreme sacrifice.

Hampton

Hampton, Nov. 13.—Capt. and Mrs. Smith of St. John, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Knowlton. Mrs. Knowlton held a bridge party in Tuesday evening in honor of Capt. and Mrs. Smith. The following were guests: Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson, Rev. G. C. and Mrs. Lawrence, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Compton, Mrs. A. C. Thompson, Dr. Leatherbarrow, Mrs. Garden, Texas, Miss Lawrence and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Hicks, Mrs. Frank Compton and Dr. Leatherbarrow won the prizes. Major Brooks spent last Sunday at Weyburn Inn.

Mrs. Nora Sears died suddenly on Sunday morning at the home of her brother, John Keohan. She is survived by three sons, two sisters and two brothers. The body was taken to Boston for interment on the G. P. R. train. Rev. Mr. Boothroy spoke on Sunday morning in the Baptist church and in the evening in the Methodist church on Prohibition. Miss Edith Hutchinson of St. John, spent the week-end at the Baptist parsonage, a guest of Rev. and Mrs. Johnson. Mrs. Ralph Hughes, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Crandall left on Tuesday for St. Amos, Quebec. Mrs. Teanyon McDonald came returned from a visit to Sackville. The ladies of the Baptist Guild held a tea and sale on Thursday afternoon from three to seven o'clock. Mr. John McAvity and party motored to Hampton on Sunday and were guests at Weyburn Inn. Mrs. Harrison of Cambridge, Mass., is a guest of Mrs. M. H. Parlee. Miss Madeline Flewelling returned from Weyburn on Monday. She will remain home until after Christmas.

Chipman

Chipman, Nov. 13.—The Misses Winifred and Kathleen Smith, of St. John, who have been visiting their aunt, Mrs. Harry King, returned home on Friday. Mrs. Frank Taylor, who has been the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Richardson, returned to Halifax on Saturday. The Rev. Murray Mansel, of Florenceville, occupied the pulpit of the Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Mr. R. C. Ritchie spent part of last week in St. John. Mr. John McCollum returned from St. John on Saturday. Mrs. C. G. Baird and Mrs. George Richardson spent a few days in St. John last week. Mr. C. G. Baird was a visitor to St. John last week. The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. George H. King and Miss Vera King are pleased to welcome them home after their sojourn for the past few months in Western cities. Mr. John Sayre was a visitor here on Thursday and Friday of last week. Mr. Gordon Baird left on Saturday for Plaster Rock, where she will join her husband.

Mr. Robert Bell, who is enjoying a well-deserved vacation, spent Saturday in Fredericton. Mr. Clarke is relieving Mr. Bell of his duties at the C. P. R. station. Last Wednesday, Mrs. John Colwell, Mrs. E. B. McLean and children, Mrs. Hugh Smith and children and Mr. Roy Colwell motored from St. John and were guests of the Misses Harper. Mr. Harold Armstrong and Mr. Berton, of St. John, were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Armstrong over Sunday. Mrs. Fred Killien and family returned on Monday from a visit to Annapolis. Mr. Cook, Bank Inspector, who was in town the latter part of last week, left on Monday. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Darrin is made happy this week by the arrival of a little daughter. Mr. and Mrs. George Lockhart have taken a house in town for the winter. Mr. John Harper has returned from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Wilford McMillan, of Upper Gagetown. Miss Ethel and Miss Elsie Wasson have taken rooms at Mrs. Michael Hawkes' for the winter, where they will do dressmaking. Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGinley and Miss Olive Douglas left on Monday for Fort Fairfield, Maine. Mrs. Harry Butler spent the week-end with relatives at Newcastle. The young people of Chipman will be glad to hear that plans are being made for a skating rink this winter. Mr. A. E. Hanson, of Fredericton,

Jemseg

Jemseg, Nov. 10.—The Ladies Sewing Circle was held last Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Eben Slocum. Refreshments were served. The amount of the collection was \$1.15. The Lumbermen through this vicinity have started work for the winter. Mr. Arnold Dykeman is spending a few days in St. John. Mr. Eben Slocum was in St. John last week. Mrs. E. P. Dykeman and Miss Phyllis Dykeman, of St. John, spent Sunday with Mrs. A. Purdy. Mr. Kenneth Slocum is very sick, suffering with pleurisy. Mrs. Fred Sypher and Mr. Oland Sypher were visiting friends in St. John last week for a few days. Mrs. Rebecca F. Currie, Miss Bertha Currie and Mrs. Tyler Mullin have moved to their home in St. John after spending the summer here. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. McElroy, of St. John, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mylen Olmstead. Mr. William Dykeman was in St. John last week for a few days. Mrs. Amy Colwell is closing her house and going to Pease Lake to spend the winter. Mr. Herman Dykeman is visiting friends in St. John. Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Colwell have returned home from a visit with friends in St. John. Mr. William Kennedy, of Waterboro, was here this week. Mr. William Currie is visiting friends in St. John. Miss Julia Gunter spent a few days in Upper Gagetown last week. Mr. A. F. Camp was visiting friends in St. John last week for a few days. Mr. Charles Willis, of St. John was here last week buying beef. Mrs. Sypher, of Newcastle, is spending a few days with Mrs. Fred Sypher. Mr. Walter Colwell is visiting friends in Campbellton. Mrs. Needham Springer and Mrs. Gilbert, of St. John, spent Sunday the guests of Mrs. A. R. Purdy. Miss Muriel Mobery of St. John, spent Sunday with Mrs. Mylen Olmstead. Mr. Nellie Rankine spent a few days with friends in Gagetown last week. Mr. William E. Dykeman is visiting Mrs. George Farris of Cambridge this week.

Richibucto

Richibucto, Nov. 13.—Miss Nan Bell is visiting Miss Gertha Hutchinson at Moltis Rivier. Mrs. Fred McDonald has returned to Portland, Me. after visiting Mr. and Mrs. R. McDonald. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pine and daughter, Edith, have returned to their home at Long Island, N. Y. after spending the summer here. Mr. W. Purcell of Charlottetown, P. E. I. is visiting his sister, Mrs. Thos. Vator. Miss Jeanne Pierce has returned from visiting friends in St. Stephen and Woodstock. Mr. and Mrs. R. O'Leary, Captain Harry O'Leary and the Misses Elsie and Eleanor O'Leary motored to Moncton on Wednesday. Mr. Andrew Loggie, of the firm of A. and E. Loggie, was in town on Wednesday. Mrs. A. Michaud has returned to her home in West Branch after spending some time here the guest of the Misses McLean. Mrs. Robertson who was visiting Mrs. E. Phinney has returned to her home in Canistota, Ont. On Wednesday Mr. O. K. Black was taken suddenly ill while on a business trip to Moltis Rivier and was unable to return home. His many friends are glad to hear of his sufficient recovery to have brought home and hope for his full recovery. Mr. Alfred Murray and little daughter, Margaret, of Tabusintac, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. G. Halkoran. A very enjoyable dance was held in the Globe Hall on Tuesday evening to celebrate the anniversary of Armistice Day. A gaily luncheon was served at midnight and everyone had an enjoyable evening. Those who attended from out of town were Dr. and Mrs. Girvan, Misses Caulte, Alice and Evelyn Mulnerney and Miss Emma Short from Rexton.

Gagetown

Gagetown, N. B. Nov. 11.—Some time ago news reached Gagetown that Lieut. Stephen S. Hall, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hall, who formerly resided here; but now of Lloydminster, Sask., had been awarded the Military Cross. The manner of his receiving the decoration was not then known, and according to the press of his adopted town, the details were not provided by himself on his return home. The following is the heading: "How Lieut. Hall Won the M. C."

In the Manitoba Press Press, under the heading of "How Manitoba Officers Won Decorations in the Last Hundred Days of the Great War," we noticed the following: Lieut. Stephen S. Hall, of the Scout Officer of the 78th Grenadiers, was awarded the M. C. for his good work during the Battle of Wood Fighting between September 27th and October 2nd. He repeatedly went forward under very heavy shelling and machine gun fire to make a personal reconnaissance of the forward area, bringing back information of the greatest value. Later, when the position of the forward troops was very obscure, he visited the most advanced posts of the battalion in day light, and the report which he obtained enabled a very awkward situation to be satisfactorily cleared up. Steve's many friends are glad to learn these particulars, for he is modest about it himself.

Another and later paper says: "On Sunday night the town postponed the usual hour for slumber till the arrival of No. 2 westbound train. Word had been passed during the day that Lieut. Steve S. Hall, M. C., was expected to arrive that night. As everyone was anxious to share in the welcoming of one of their hero sons, a larger crowd turned out than was expected, as the notice had been so short. When the train pulled into the station, and our Lieutenant alighted for a rousing cheer from the gathered citizens, which went to prove that his efforts during the war had been appreciated, and all wished to do their bit. Lieut. Steve is like the other returned boys, very reticent in recording his many experiences. Several times 'over the top' has given him an experience that quite a few who were unable to go, are envious of. We are pleased to have him in our midst again, and doubly thankful that he has escaped without any visible injury. Lieut. Steve is now enjoying

a well-deserved holiday before donning civias, and getting back into harness." On Wednesday afternoon a session of the Probate Court was held. S. L. Peters, Judge of Probate, presiding. In the estate of Robert Anderson, late of Weyford, letters testamentary were issued by the Probate Court, to James E. Anderson, of Weyford, a son of the deceased. Samuel L. Peters, Judge of Probate granted letters testamentary to Mrs. Gertrude Lilley, executrix of the late Catharine Gregory of Weyford. On hearing read, the petition of the administrator of the estate of the late Richard Joyce of Peterborough, and upon hearing evidence, the Probate Court granted an order to the administrator to sell real estate of the deceased, the personal estate being deficient to pay the debts of the estate.

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Thirteen National Conventions
Thirteen National Conventions are about to assemble at the call of the United National Campaign. The dates arranged, and the places of meeting here follow:—

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| November 24th and 25th | Toronto and Montreal. |
| November 25th and 26th | Montreal and Moose Jaw. |
| November 26th and 27th | Regina. |
| November 27th and 28th | Saskatoon. |
| December 1st and 2nd | Edmonton and St. John. |
| December 2nd and 3rd | Calgary, London and Halifax. |
| December 4th and 5th | Charlottetown and Vancouver. |

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The Objects of the Conventions
1. To give thanks to God for Victory.
2. To rouse the Canadian people to a keener sense of their religious privileges and national responsibilities.
3. To stimulate the practice of prayer for individual and national needs at this difficult period.
4. To re-affirm the principle that the Gospel of Christ is the only cure for those conditions which produced the world war, and the only foundation for ensuring national stability, social welfare and individual happiness in the day of peace.

The Reason for United Action
His Grace, the Archbishop of Canterbury, preached the opening sermon of the Church Congress held at Leicester, England, on October 14th, 1919. On that occasion, he said:—

"We ought to be able to make more of the oneness, which, thank God, is already ours, the oneness, both in faith and in potential action, of all who can and do kneel to Christ as their living Lord. We want to dwell upon and foster the power of that fellowship for united action, its impact upon the world, or penetration of the world, at an hour so inexpressibly difficult as this. That need not, it will not, interfere with complete loyalty to the distinctive truths, which in our smaller circles within the Church of God we conscientiously hold dear."

"The corporate life which belongs definitely to our own Churchmanship claims our whole-hearted allegiance. But that allegiance acquires an element of peril if it becomes so disproportioned as to obliterate or mar our loyalty to the larger whole, the Christian fellowship, the God-guided life and energy of all who profess and call themselves Christians."

The United National Campaign
G. H. Wood - Chairman of the Executive Committee