MILD WITH SHOWERS

PATIENTS IMPROVING.

The smallpox patients at the Isolation Hospital are improving stead-

A STILL ALARM. A still alarm was sent in to the fir department yesterday for a sligh dump fire near the foot of Duke street

The Department of Public Works placed an automatic tide register in the river at Indiantown yesterday to assist them in ascertaining the amount of water which passes through the falls at any time and under all conditions.

The month of April has been a good one for the harbor and receipts will be a considerable amount in advance of those of a year ago. The receipts in April, 1917, were a little over \$17,000 and already nearly \$18,000 has been collected by the harbor master for this month and this with a payment from the C. P. R., due today, is expected to bring the total well up to \$20,000, an increase for the first four months of 1918 of over \$12,000.

West St. John and Lancaster has been completed.

For West St. John the work of vaccinating the residents has been assigned to Doctors F. L. Kenny, W. L. Eilis, R. G. Day and B. F. Johnson. In Lancaster this duty will be performed by Doctors Allingham, Morris and Comeau.

In order to make the vaccination complete, the physicians will make a house-to-house visitation and each occupant will either have to show a certificate proving that he or she has been vaccinated recently or else bare the arm to the doctor.

UNION OF CALVIN AND ST. ANDREWS IS CONSUMATED

resbytery Formally Declare Congregations One Last Night—Charge to Congregations Delivered by Rev. W. M. Townsend.

A still alarm was sent in to the fire department yesterday for a slight dump fire near the foot of Duke street.

WAR GARDENS.
Close to 200 names are now on the War Gardens' Association membership roll, and the list is growing daily JOINED ENGINEERS.
Norbet T. Foley, teller in the Royal Bank of Canada, North End braach, left for St. John's, Que., Saturday night to Join the Canadian Engineers.
There are eight men in the tank crew and Lieut J. Key has been appointed commander of the local crew which are to proceed to Ottawa for training.

THE ASKESSMENT.
Good progress is being made with the preparation of the assessment for 1918, but it will be probably a month before the final figures are ready and the assessment fyled with the mayor.

RECEIVED CASE OF PIPES.
The employes of A. Gilmour & Company have presented P. R. Hisgins bas enlisted with the Slege Battery.

PRESENTED WITH RING.
During a meeting of the Knight of Columbus held Sunday afternoon one of the members, Joseph N. Kennedy, was presented with a K, of Cring. Mr. Kennedy will soon go over seas.

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POSTAL CLERKS' ASSN.

T. Frank Walsh has returned from an executive meeting of the Postal Clerks' Association, held at Ottawa. They had interviews with reference to the reorganization of the outside service of post office department, and also requested immediate financial relief in the shape of a war bonus.

SHAND PROPERTY BURNED.

On Sunday morning fire destroyed the residence of Adam Shand, at Ashburn (near Coldbrook) and ruined about 400 feet of greenhouse, causing a damage of about \$10,000. About 50 per cent. is covered by insurance. The fire is presumed to have started from the kitchen chimney.

MARSH ROAD REPAIRS.

The Barrett Co., Ltd., who have been awarded the contract for the building of a tar-macadam roadway from the One Mile House to the Three Mile House, on the Marsh Road, have begun operations. The new surface will be laid sixteen feet wide and will have gravel shoulders Stone crushers will be set up and a large crew engaged to carry on the extensive surfacing.

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WAS IMPERIAL SOLDIER.
Thos. Monaghan of Derby Junction
was in city yesterday. Mr. Monaghan
is a former resident of Belfast, Ireland,
and saw three years service in the
imperial armies, with two additional
years in a Canadian unit. He feels
jubliant regarding the outcome of the
present struggle.

HAVE YOUNGSTERS AS THEIR GUESTS

eventy-Eight Rotarians and Soldiers' Sons Enjoy Ban-quet at Bond's—Addresses by Mayor Hayes and Others

The Rotary Club held a banquet last evening in Bond's restaurant, and the Big Brothers, brought along their little brothers and gave them a good time. It, in theelf showed the interest which is taken in the little fellows by some of the business men in this city. These little chaps have their daddles away to the war and the big brothers of the Rotary Club are looking after the youngsters. It is a great and noble work in itself and deserves commendation.

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Address, A. M. Belding.

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Song, Mr. Punter.
Banjo solo, G. Davidson.

Address, Dr. W. M. Broderick.

Recitations and songs, Steve Matthews.

Some of the little fellows songs which were enjoyed. One little colored chap gave a selection on the euphonium which drews great ap plause, and he came again with an encore "Somewhere in France."

The National Anthem brought the pleasant evening to a close.

LAST SESSION OF

THE OLD COUNCIL

Business Meeting Today -Will Consider New Lease for Canada Nail and Wire Co.-New Council Next

CHIMNEY FIRES.

The firemen were given a run yesterday afternoon for a small chimney fire in the Shea House on the Shore Road. No damage was done. The department was called out by an alarn. about 3.15 o'clock last evening from Box 132 for a chimney fire in a house on Chesley street. The fire was quickly extinguished, no damage resulting.

Mollie King an "Blird Man's Luck" at the Star tonight. Virginia Pearson in "When False Tongues Speak." on Wednesday and Thursday.

THE GOVERNMENT RAILWAY OFFICES

Young Men Leaving Work in Office and Shop to Join the Colors - Returned Officer Says Youths Signing up are

GIVE MANY MEN

The Military Service Act is hitting hard at the Canadian government Rallway offices and shops at Moncton. During the past couple of weeks many young men have arrived in St. John from the rallway town to don the khakt in the different units. Among the number to join Canada's new army are sixteen men from the rallway offices, and no less than eight from the office of the superfuendent of car service. Nearly every department of the rallway service is being affected, and more men will follow.

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TO ATTEND FUNERAL

Many Priests from Provincial Points Arrived in the City to Pay Last Respects to late Fr. O'Donovan.

A large crowd came to the city last vening, many from different centres o attend the funeral of the late Fr. D'Donovan today. Among those numered were Rev. B. Lecavaller, C. S. C., resident of St. Joseph's College, Fr. Acavaller himself a man as Fr. O'Don. John himself a man as Fr. O'Don. John has the talarge number of young. Lecavalier himself a man as Fr. O'Donovan, has met a large number of young men, and through this medium a large percentage of their parents. His position enables him this opportunity, and the past graduates of St. Joseph's College will always remember him as a staunch friend to them, who always put forth his best efforts in their behalf To all the boys who have Joined the colors he has given good advice and his words it is hoped may carry. He exhorts the boys to lead good lives, that quality which makes a soldier, and never to forget the early training given at their mother's knee, when they were tots. This war is small oompared with that inward war which is ared with that inward war which is pared with that inward war which is waged incessantly among all mankind. Boys and young men must ever re-member him as a gentle father and good counsellor. Accompanying the reverend gentleman were the Rev. Fathers F. Robichaud, Moncton; Rev. Fathers F. Robichaud, Moncton; Rev. F. H. Cormier, Moncton, and Rev. Monsignor Belliveau of Grande Digue. All are In the city to pay their last respects to the late Fr. O'Donovan, their late brother in the Lord's Vineyard, who was known to all as a true friend and gentle admonisher.

VISITING REDEMPTORISTS

Very Rev. Thomas Brown, C. SS. R. Provincial of the Redemptorist province of St. Louis, and Rev. Edward Weigel, C. SS R., arrived by Montreal train yesterday afternoon. The reverend gentlemen, who are making a visitation of houses of their Order in the United States and Canada, were the United States and Canada met at the depot by Rev. Peter Cos tello, C. SS. R., rector of St. Peter's and Rev. John McPhail, C. SS, R Their visit to this city completes th tour. They will likely leave for hometomorrow evening.

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AN OPEN LETTER TO OUR CUSTOMERS.

stello, C. SS. R., rector of St. Peter's, and Rev. John McPhail, C. SS. R., Their visit to this city completes the tour. They will likely leave for home tomorrow evenings.

INTERESTED IN WEIRS.

H. McCanne of Duluth was in the city yesterday. Mr. McCanne is interested in weirs and contemplates purchasing a few prospective ones in Nova Scotia. He aliuded to the part the United States was playing in the war and added, "Strangers coming in their annie, food regulations being strict."

TAKEN TO HOSPITAL.

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