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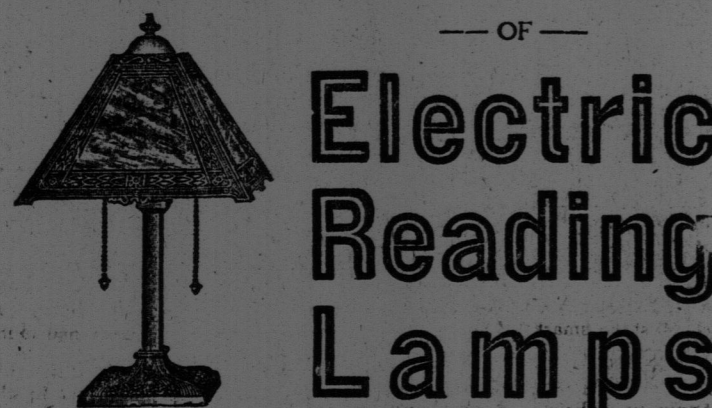
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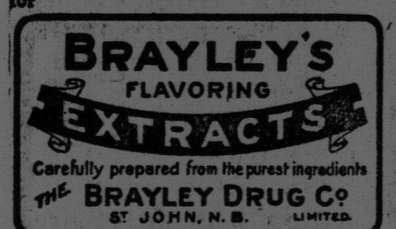
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QUARTERS FOR 115TH ARRANGED

City Will Put New Floor in Agricultural Hall—Grandstand Hall For Mess Room — 69th Company Presents Shield to German Street Church

At a meeting of the city commissioners yesterday afternoon a committee composed of E. P. D. Tilley, E. A. Schofield, and C. B. Lockhart discussed with them the matter of putting the exhibition agricultural hall in shape for the 115th Battalion. The city will lay a new floor in the building, to make it fit for the occupancy of the troops. The long room beneath the grand stand will be used for a mess room, and the poultry shed for the stores of the quartermaster.

At the Mill street recruiting office last evening Rev. W. R. Robinson and Dr. Magee gave addresses. R. J. Walsh presided and a musical and literary programme was given by the Masters Moore, C. P. Johnson and Miss Jean Walsh. The meeting was very well attended and the programme was followed with attention.

Wounded officers of the Canadian forces at the front are being sent home to aid in instructing the new battalions now in formation. The 69th Battalion paraded before a photographer at the exhibition grounds yesterday afternoon. Pictures in different formations were taken.

In the casualty list issued at midnight, Fred Towns, of Sydney Mines, N. S., is reported wounded in the 20th Battalion; Rufus McVeth, Sillerton, N. S., 28th Battalion, killed in action, and Wm. D. McKinnon, Heathersdale, P. E. I., 1st Battalion, killed in action.

The members of "B" Co., 69th Battalion, under Major Williams, last night showed appreciation to the members of the Philalthea Class and Brotherhood of the German street Baptist church by presenting to them a handsome shield which was inscribed an expression of gratitude for kindness extended during the battalion's stay in the city. Major Williams made the presentation and Miss Maude Eatabrooks replied in behalf of the class. H. G. Marr spoke for the Brotherhood and Rev. F. Porter added a few words of appreciation. A good musical programme was given, refreshments served and a pleasant time enjoyed.

Charles M. Scord of the staff of the Bank of Nova Scotia, Charlotte street, joined the new sloop battery yesterday. The members of No. 1 Siege Battery, under Lieut. Col. Minden-Cole, which was mobilized at Halifax and included several St. John men, are now located at Rofsey Camp, Hoveham, England.

Wm. Harriman, a soldier at the Newcastle, N. B., wireless station, was arrested last night on a charge of stealing Allan Black in the leg with a revolver. Black is now in hospital.

St. John Leads. For the week ending Saturday, December 11, St. John leads the province in recruiting, the figures showing fifty-one volunteers, with Restigouche next with forty-seven. A total of 222 men was raised during the week.

Wm. Harris, 20th Battalion, has been promoted to corporal. Ernest Clapp, a sailor on one of the ocean liners now in port, called at the recruiting office last night in Mill street.

LOCAL NEWS

Rev. A. E. Kochaly, B. A., of Persia, delivered an interesting lecture in the school room of Brussels street Baptist church last evening. He spoke of the conditions of his native country and said it would be well for them to remain neutral.

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The fortnightly meeting of the Young People's Association of St. David's church was held last evening, at which a pleasing musical entertainment was carried out under the direction of Miss Edith Doherty. Dr. Leonard, Miss C. Bailey, Mrs. J. M. Barnes and Miss Williams assisted in the rendition and interpretation of several famous songs which were greatly appreciated.

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Several papers on missions were read last night at the meeting of the Young People's Society of St. Matthew's church. Among the speakers was Rev. John Harbridge, of Montreal, who has been chosen to fill the pulpit in the absence of the pastor, Rev. J. J. McCaskill.

Speakers on missions were Misses Annie Aird, D. Leggett, M. Turner, M. Daley, and Jennie Klein.

seeking to enlist, but would not be accepted, as he was engaged in the mercantile marine. Clapp has been to the front, and now, recovered after wounds, wants to go back.

Wm. W. Dorman, of the staff of the McClary Mfg. Co., was honored by friends last night, who called at his home, 80 City Road, and presented a wrist watch to him in honor of his having joined the 115th Battalion. He has been six weeks in the 69th Regiment.

In Oddfellows' Hall, Charlottetown, last night, soldiers of the 115th Battalion were pleasantly entertained by members of the Soldiers' Comfort Circle, West End branch. Refreshments were served and a fine programme given.

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THE U. S. AND THE WAR.

St. John, N. B., Dec. 13, '15. To the Editor of the Times— Sir— Hoping that you will spare me a few lines in your valuable paper, I have written this—

I have attended many of the recruiting meetings, and other public gatherings of late, and am very sorry to say that I have noticed a growing tendency to criticize, and in some cases to ridicule the stand and attitude that our great nation and neighbor to the south has taken. This, I think, is entirely uncalled for, and I believe that it shows poor judgment on the part of our public speakers.

Now, I am not writing haphazardly, but what I have seen and heard myself both in the "States" and Canada. In the States nothing but the friendliest feelings are shown towards Canada and the allies, and any reasonable Canadian is bound to admit when he recalls the millions of tons of war supplies that were shipped from the "States" before the allies were in a position to do their own manufacturing of war munitions.

And I believe that the greatest mark of fidelity is shown on our border lines which stretch from the Atlantic to the Pacific and never in the last hundred years has it ever been crossed for hostile purposes. You will not find a record of such a nation in the history of the world—two great nations living side by side for a hundred years with a three thousand mile border line unprotected.

Why do we criticize the "States" and President Wilson for not entering this war? For surely when peace is declared the pensions and gratuities paid to incapacitated men are off-times admittedly inadequate, it has been necessary to estab-

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OUR RETURNED SOLDIERS

The Work of the Canadian Patriotic Fund and the Soldiers' Commission

The establishment of the Soldiers' Aid Commission for Ontario, of which the secretary is C. N. Cochrane, Parliament buildings, Toronto, is the first result of the report recently issued by the Hospital Commission, and the forerunner of others.

The care of the soldier who has returned to Canada, mutilated or weakened as a result of active service, is the prime duty of Canadians. For some months the Canadian Patriotic Fund has been endeavoring to ensure that the men already back from Europe should suffer no want. This work has been voluntarily undertaken by local committees of the fund, although in most instances their time is fully occupied with the task of making provision for the families of soldiers.

Each soldier is interviewed by a representative of the fund, and a confidential report sent by the latter to the patriotic committee of the town to which the soldier is going. This serves the two-fold purpose of protecting the fund against the greedy or unscrupulous and of giving the local committee information that is helpful in finding employment for the deserving. Not every man who returns to Canada wearing the Majesty's uniform is included in the latter category, but the great majority have done their duty in the fullest degree. To disappear altogether, thus ending a soldier's life, is a tragedy that would not be shared by the city, because or tight cough and heals the inflammation in a painful cough with remarkable rapidity. Ordinary coughs are conquered by it in 24 hours or less. Coughing better for bronchitis, winter coughs and bronchial asthma.

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