

Patriotic Fund Grows Steadily

Now More Than \$21,600 — Today's List Includes Prayer Meeting Collection, Day's Pay From Employes of Two Concerns and Cash Balance of Bankers' Club

The Soldiers and Families Patriotic Fund is steadily growing. Private subscriptions, collections, gifts of a day's pay from employes of some of the larger concerns and contributions from societies all are included and there have been many promises of further help as it may be needed, some in the form of promises to repeat the original gift monthly.

UNIVERSAL TRAINING IS THE EXPLANATION

Australian and New Zealand Readiness to Send Men Quickly

ARE AHEAD OF CANADA

Calvin Lord Describes Cadet System Which Begins at Age of Thirteen and is Continued For Nine Years—Not Enrolled For War Purposes

While Canada has responded nobly to the call for volunteers to aid in fighting the battles of the empire, the work of mobilizing an effective army division has been hampered somewhat by the lack of previous organization and also by the fact that a large percentage of the volunteers are absolutely untrained.

The Man In The Street

Did you get one of those dolls? Just one last night to help the fair!

Are you still wearing your straw sail-or?

The Kaiser's bathing average is on the slump again.

Those new street cars look very nice, but they might be better ventilated.

Russians have used an aeroplane as a bear's den. But, well—suppose the deceased wasn't bound in that direction?

Building Notes

The Kaiser has evidently decided against plaster Paris at present.

To say that a fellow's going to the dogs this week was rather ambiguous, for he might have had a ticket for the dog show.

Passing along our city streets we cannot help wondering why some dealers allow quarters of beef and other meats to hang outside their doors. We've never yet eaten meat that had an added flavor from street dust.

If Thanksgiving is as big a "holiday" for the newspapers as Labor Day was, that will be one thing for which we won't have to say "thanks."

"No American Money Accepted"—Isn't it nearly time that sign was taken out of the street cars?

The German ambassador at Washington is talking too much. He's getting about as popular as rain at a moonlight excursion.

Many people now feel pleased that their country cousins have returned their mid-summer visit. The exhibition visitors from the old farm spent a day and a half in town with their city cousins in return for the two weeks' vacation each one put in in the country. The farmer always gets the "week-end" of things, anyhow.

The fifty-one wife deserters at Valcartier probably prefer war in the field to scrapping in the kitchen.

It's certainly somebody's duty to remove that unpleasant, unhealthy odor from about the Union Depot, caused by the caving train. Whose work is it?

Our chief regret after the fair is comparing our board bill with what we spent trying to get one of those baseball dolls.

Perhaps the censors are getting more generous, but if they hadn't, some of us would have to learn the deaf and dumb language.

Since the city seems to insist that road-digging be in its height when there's an extra crowd in town, at the exhibition for instance, it is pleasing to note that despite all obstacles the car drivers during the fair was entirely satisfactory.

Those who have watched the motor car games at the exhibitions have been impressed with the remarkable skill and coolness with which the drivers handle their cars. The ability, as well as the daring nerve, gives the spectator the conviction that a man must be a top-notch to even venture into the game.

This opinion does not seem to be shared by all the spectators, among some of whom the most cordial relations do not exist. The other day two of the cars had been retired because of accidents, and the drivers were watching the finish of the game from the side lines when there was another crash and the remaining cars were put out of business. One of the drivers on the side lines enquired, "Amateurs," he said, with infinite scorn. "That's what comes of hiring drivers who don't know the difference between a motor car and a dump cart."

For the convenience of subscribers and advertisers, The Telegraph and Times will have a booth at the exhibition directly facing the main entrance in the gallery, where subscriptions will be taken, information given regarding advertising rates, etc.

RECRUITING MEN.

Editor Times:

Sir:—With regard to recruiting men for foreign service, men should not merely be examined from the waist up. A man's body may look good, but he may have bad legs and feet. The doctor should not pass any man for foreign or home service unless he is sound all over. No boy should be allowed to sign unless he is with his mother or father. No man under the influence of drink should be allowed to sign. No married man should be allowed to sign unless he is with his wife. There are rumors that these rules have not always been observed.

Yours truly,

OLD SOLDIER.

FIVE BABIES

St. John's population was increased by five births this week. Four of the youngsters are boys. Fifteen marriages were reported to Registrar John B. Jones.

Straight Dealer Talk

R. H. Durbin, the advertising manager of one of the largest and most successful department stores in the country recently addressed a meeting of buyers in New York.

He made a strong plea to local merchants to support the manufacturers who advertise in newspapers.

Such national advertising, Mr. Durbin declared, should inspire the retailer to come out and buy. "I carry 'such and such a product,'" Mr. Durbin gave this advice to the buyers.

"Do not forget that the goods you have in stock are to be sold right there in your town and that the way to sell them is to advertise in the home newspaper."

"Pay no attention to the manufacturer who sends you a lot of circular matter, saying, 'We are going to buy a \$10,000 spread in the Sun and Moon Magazine on such a date and we hope you will co-operate with us by advertising in your local newspapers that you handle our product.'"

TODAY'S LOCAL BATTLE

Late bulletins from the bureau of censors' offices in the new armory indicate that a lively skirmish is expected this afternoon in the vicinity of S—P—road. The exact location of the scene of the expected conflict, which will take place between a company of picked men from the local defending force of the regiment is withheld until after the advance of the invading troops from "A" Co. has been checked.

LOCAL NEWS

A CORRECTION.

An error was made in the report of the dog show in Friday's papers which had Miss V. Ryan's Boston terrier Hobbs Jr., as getting third prize. This dog was not present at this year's show but received first prize at last year's show.

ST. GEORGE WITHDRAWN

The twice-a-day service on the Bay of Fundy route of the C. P. R. will be discontinued today with the withdrawal of the steamer St. George. She will lay up at Reid's Point for a while. Representatives of the company could not say this morning if she would be put into commission this winter. The Yarmouth will continue on her regular schedule.

JOHNNY, GET YOUR GUN

The season for shooting big game and partridges will open on Tuesday next, September 15. According to the present indications, moose and deer will be plentiful this fall, many having been seen in the thickly settled districts within the last month. The shooting of partridges for market is prohibited this year as last.

AFTER MANY YEARS

A visitor to the city at present is John Reihan, of Bloomfield, Mass., who is being welcomed by old friends after an absence of nearly thirty years. He has done well in the United States, but this is his first visit to his old home since he first left St. John when quite a young boy. Old acquaintances have been pleased to welcome him.

FAIRVILLE NEWS.

Last evening in Temperance Hall, Fairville, a meeting of the committee selected earlier in the week to collect the patriotic fund was held. Councillor John O'Brien was in the chair and there was an excellent attendance. All except representatives from the most outlying sections being present.

Territory was divided, so the entire parish would be carefully canvassed, and collecting will commence the first of next week.

John Donaldson left this week for Bath, Me., where he will make his home with his son Thomas.

DEATH OF CHILD.

The friends of Miss and Mrs. William J. Harrington of 88 Millidgeville Avenue, will sympathize with them in the loss of their little son, William Vincent, aged seven weeks, who died at an early hour this morning. The burial will take place this afternoon.

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School Days Here Again!

You Will Want a Change In Headwear For Your Boys and Children

WE ARE READY TO MEET YOUR NEEDS IN

Fall Style Hats and Caps in Great Variety

J. L. THORNE & CO., LTD.

Hatters and Furriers — 55 Charlotte Street

POLICE COURT

Patrick Walsh, who said he belonged to Frederick, was arrested last night between twelve and one o'clock, charged with wearing a hat in King street and not giving a satisfactory account of himself. Asked by the magistrate where he had been on previous nights, he said he was in Carleton street last night, and on Wednesday night in Rockwood park, and on Thursday night he did not know where he had been. "You'll know where you are tonight," said the magistrate and sent him to jail for two months.

A young man, given in charge by W. J. Myles, of the High School yesterday afternoon on a charge of looting pieces of chalk and ink from the school building, where he was afterwards found lying and lurking, was fined \$8 or two months in jail, which was allowed to stand. Mr. Myles said the man had been drinking and he did not wish to press the charge.

Macaulay Bros. & Co.

KING STREET, ST. JOHN, N. B. Our Stores Open 8 a. m., Close 6 p. m., Saturdays 10 p. m.

Spic Span New Puffs and Comfortables For The Cool Autumn Nights

For the cool Autumn nights which are now with us, there is nothing warm and light as a Real Eiderdown Quilt. They save the extra weight and continual washing of blankets.

We are now offering a splendid assortment of English-made Puffs, filled with extra quality selected down, and covered with best French down-proof sateen, in beautiful floral designs and combination colorings to tone with any room.

As these goods were contracted for some months ago, and have only just been delivered, it will be impossible to repeat same at anything near the price.

THE SIZES ARE:—

6 feet by 5 feet.....Special price \$4.90 each

6 feet by 5 1/2 feet.....Special price \$5.90 each

6 feet by 6 feet.....Special price \$6.35 each

MACAULAY BROS. & CO.

The Very Latest Styles For Early Fall!

WE have just received our first order of Ladies' High-Grade Boots—patent colt with a grey vesting top and kidney heel, a very classy shoe for the latest dresses—Also black cloth tops in all styles.

SEE OUR WINDOWS!

THE SLATER SHOE SHOP - - 81 KING ST.

R. P. SWEETMAN, MGR.

HEADQUARTERS IN ST. JOHN FOR THE CELEBRATED Dr. Jaeger's Pure Wool Goods

The Jaeger name and trade mark guarantee pure wool in place of frequently mixed with from 25 to 75 per cent. of cotton or other cheap and inferior adulterants; it also guarantees that the stockinet underwear is made of undyed yarns in place of yarns dyed to resemble the natural color. We hold the principle depot for these reliable goods and invite your inspection of the new Fall garments.

Pure Wool Knitted Socks.....\$1.00 to \$3.00

Dr. Jaeger's Wool Gloves.....50c to \$2.50

Men's and Ladies' Sweaters, all colors, \$5.00 to \$14.00

Men's Pure Wool Taffeta Shirts.....\$3.25

Men's Half-hose in plain and fancy colors, 50c, 65c, 75c

Men's Golf Stockings.....\$1.00, \$1.50 Pair

Men's and Ladies' Bed Socks.....\$1.35 Pair

Men's Pure Shetland Wool Shirts and Drawers, \$1.50 Garment

Men's Pure Wool Combinations.....\$3.00, \$4.00

Ladies' Gauntlet Wool Gloves.....75c to \$3.00

Ladies' Knitted Hoods with Scarf to match, \$1.75 to \$2.75

Fleece Hats.....\$2.00

Turbans.....\$1.25

Men's Caps.....\$1.00 to \$2.00

Motor Style Caps.....\$2.00, \$2.50

Jaeger Camping Rugs.....\$6.50 to \$10.00

Travelling and Motor Rugs.....\$5.00 to \$15.00

KING STREET, COR. GERMAIN GREATER OAK HALL

SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED, St. John, N. B.

OUR FURNITURE

is guaranteed to stand up with the coming years. It is not to be thrust aside when the journey of life is half over, it will see you through to the end. All the prevailing woods fashioned in exquisite taste into dainty and substantial works of art. Sets for every room and individual pieces as well.

A. ERNEST EVERETT

91 CHARLOTTE STREET

This Fall—A New Soft Hat

means wearing some entirely different. The shapes are new—the colors are new—the way the Hats are trimmed is new.

The new shapes have higher crowns and narrow brims. The new colors are Navy, Browns, Greens, Elephant Grey and Plum.

The new trimmings are contrast bands and large bows. We have the swellest shapes to be found and the makes we carry are unequalled for quality.

English, Canadian and American makes. Now come in the first time you are passing and see what's new. \$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$4.00, \$5.00

D. MAGEE'S SONS, Limited

Hats and Furs 63 King Street

