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**Competitions For Boys and Girls**

On Saturday I will publish a picture of Jumbo which I want all boys and girls who are not over 15 years of age to color with either water colors or chalk.

To the young artist who does it the best I will give a first prize of a valuable Art Book.

It's a simple competition, no hard rules, no entrance fees, just cut the picture out, paint or color it the way you think best, save Three coupons the same as the one shown on this page, cut from The Standard, fill them up, pin them to the painting and send them all addressed to

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Age Last Birthday \_\_\_\_\_  
July 23, 1915.

The Prize winner's name will appear in the Children's Corner of The Standard on July 31st.

**Special Knitting Contest**

In Aid of The Red Cross Society (St. John Branch)

I am publishing particulars of a fresh contest and I want you all to enter for the prize, as the work you send in will be given to the above society, and the poor wounded soldiers will be greatly comforted by your efforts. Here are the particulars: Make a knitted face measuring 7 1/2 inches square, using No. 6 knitting cotton, and knit plain, crochet a loop on the corner to hang up by. Then pin the above coupon to same and forward not later than Thursday, July 29th, 1915 to

**UNCLE DICK, Standard, St. John, N. B.**

This contest is open to both girls and boys not over 18 years of age, as I want you to make as many face cloths as possible, knowing that they are to be used for the wounded soldiers.

To the girl or boy who makes the best I shall award a valuable story book. I shall also give a special book prize to the one who sends in the most.

**FUNERALS.**

took place yesterday afternoon from his late residence, Prince William street. Rev. Ralph Sherman conducted the services. Interment in Fernhill.

The funeral of Warren J. Vincent took place Thursday afternoon from his parents' residence, Main street. Rev. R. S. Crisp conducted the service. The interment in Cedar Hill.

The funeral of James H. Adams

**CANADA'S SOLICITOR GENERAL**

(Continued from page 1)

Europe is under fire we can eat, drink and be merry. Those are the men who are always looking for some one else to carry the burden while they lull around at ease. Wonderful it is how such men as that fall in with any stupid theory that harmonizes with their inclinations. Take this from me—if you never hear another word—the man who cannot hear this country's call now, will never hear it this side of the grave. The man who can go to the front and does not go, that man has no place at the front in life's battle. He will be in hiding forever. If Great Britain should go down in this struggle then our country, your province, your city is at the mercy of the foe. Is there anybody who doubts that? If there is, put your hand on your forehead and think it out. It is a time for serious thinking just now. Britain's only chance to survive this storm was by joining hands with her allies on the fourth of August last. Canada's only chance is to throw every man and every gun behind the arms of Britain.

**Our Duty Plain.**

"Many a time I have heard it said, not so much in the maritime provinces as in another province of the Dominion, that there is not as much compulsion on Canada in this present great war as if our own province were under attack, and we meet many brave men, who say what they would do if Canada were attacked. They say Britain is under obligation to protect us even if attacked by a European foe. The duty of defending Canada is right here. It is the duty of every Canadian. I say to the young men of St. John, think this matter out and think seriously. Here is the conclusion you will come to—there is no time to jump into this struggle, the young strong man, fit to go, who will not defend his country now on the battlefield of France, that man would take to the cellar if a German fleet were to arrive in the River St. John and march upon his home. The Empire is one in defence; we stand or fall, we live or die, according to the issue of the battle over there in Poland and in Flanders. For Canadians there is but one place and time to save our colony. Now is the time and the place is over in France. Who is there today who has any hopes that if Britain falls there is any hope for Canada. Everyone ought to be convinced that only the time Britain had to save herself in history was on the fourth of August, and her only hope to save herself was by joining her allies. And if that was Britain's hope, where, I ask you is Canada's, but to stand shoulder to shoulder with the Mother Country in her present battle.

**Our Rights Challenged.**

"If the Austro-German combination can triumph over the league of powers that face it now, what do you think would be the lot of Canada? Where would the successor of this country come from? Fifteen million armed men have challenged our right to live, and if they can help it, we shall not live except as the bondslaves of Germany. We have to do our duty with the unity of a British people if Great Britain is to triumph in this war, let others rise to the realization of the perils that civilization stands in."

Hon. Mr. Meighen said that he appealed to the man first of all in the name of Britain's allies, who without offence on their part, without the shadow of a cause, were themselves assailed because they stood in the path of German ambition, because Germany's wild hope meant their destruction they had to stand up and defend themselves. He made an appeal in the name of the 3,000,000 gallant French soldiers defending four hundred miles while our Empire holds only 40.

**The French Tenacity.**

The brilliancy and tenacity of the French was unparalleled. It exceeded all the annals of the past. They were defending not France alone but standing in loyal comradeship between the war machine of Germany and the homes and hearts of Britain. These men had borne the brunt of the battle for eleven months, and they called out to us to respond with assistance. Think, too, of the burden on the back of Russia, of her fidelity long tried and standing true through these eleven months of the cruelest of wars. Russia's burden was sure to be ours before the war was over. One was not doing his duty, who stayed at home and enjoyed the freedom which they had not won and were not fit to preserve. If that was not enough, keep in mind the splendid deeds of thousands of soldiers of Britain, which had warmed the blood of every son of Britain.

**British Heroism.**

"The heroism that has characterized the British soldier in the eleven months of the war is a heroism that brings success to British arms just as sure as we are in this war, provided that the men at home are equal to the men at the front," said the speaker.

"All we have to do is to be equal to the men who have borne the brunt of the battle and Germany must go down because you must admit that a German soldier is not the equal of the British or the French."

**Britain Unprepared.**

"Great Britain came to this war unprepared. Britain has

**SOLDIERS WELL KNOWN HERE ARE DOING WORK FOR EMPIRE**

Lieut. Cyrus F. Inches writes of Artillery work at the front—Major Paul Hanson has gone on the Lecture platform since his return from France.

Several interesting letters from New Brunswick boys at the front have been received recently. Lieutenant C. F. Inches of the artillery, writing to Lieutenant Colonel B. R. Armstrong, says:

"You asked me some time ago for some particulars about the St. John men of this battery. The following is a list of their names: J. J. Barber, Frank Hall, W. Hunter, C. F. Ingraham, Fred Phelps, J. C. Stackhouse, W. J. Thompson, A. G. Cobham, Jas. Haley, C. F. Inches, F. G. Laskey, H. Pike, W. C. Stop, A. Weatherhead, W. R. Day, T. Haley, J. L. Inglis, F. C. Magee, T. E. Ryder, E. R. Tucker, H. Wasson.

"Day, Hall, Phelps, Stackhouse, Stop, Hunter and myself received our transfer from the Divisional Ammunition Column shortly after the Major took command of the battery. The others came at later dates. Cobham and Laskey are with No. 3, Gun Detachment. Thompson is with No. 2 until a few days ago, when he received an appointment as aeroplane look-out. Parker belongs to No. 3, and Hunter, Stackhouse, Stop, Weatherhead and Pike to No. 4. The battery is divided into five sub-divisions, A, B, C, D and E. A and B compose the right section, C and D the left, and in E sub are the battery commander's party and specialists. The gun detachments of A, B, C and D sub are known respectively as 1, 2, 3 and 4. Attached to the battery is an ammunition column. I was with the column until we first went into action, March 1st, on which date I was given the left section.

"Lieut. Ryder at present has the ammunition column. Day and Tucker are signallers with E sub. The remaining men are drivers in the battery and column. Stackhouse is now a sergeant in charge of No. 4 gun. Tucker and Weatherhead are bombardiers. Tucker is at the base at present nursing an injured foot. The other men are all well and apparently in good spirits.

"I think you have been informed of the work of the battery up to the 15th April. On that date we were loaned by the Canadian Division to the First Group Heavy Artillery. We were first ordered to the pluck and that group ever since, at first as an independent unit under group headquarters and latterly as part of a

**Every Man Equipped.**

Mr. Meighen was prepared to say in the name of the government of Canada—and he could also give the assurance of the Imperial government—that every man would now go to the front well equipped in every way to meet the enemy. The great Kitchener had made the statement that Great Britain was now in a position to give to every young man who offered his services in the present war, full equipment as well as proper arms and training. That means that the soldier of Britain, who now goes to the front, will meet the soldier of the enemy armed as he is armed, and as that is so, there will be but one result—the triumph of our country. It behooved the men of Canada, and of the Empire, to see to it that democracy did not fall down, to see that the voluntary system would bring forth the best possible results.

"You hear people talk of the voluntary system and of compulsory service and conscription," said Mr. Meighen. "I ask you to consider whether there is any standard to judge between the system, other than that which brings forth the best results, that is which brings the most men into the war. Whichever will bring the maximum to the service of the state, that is the only system we have any right to follow. To suffer any other is to ask other nations to fight our battle. The British government still believes the voluntary system stands the test. I hope it always will."

**Canada's Valor Proven.**

Hon. Mr. Meighen said that Canadians must remember last of all and at all times their sons and brothers who have gone forth to the battlefield. They have stood stronger than the steel they carry. At Ypres and at Julien their courage and coolness were noble inspirations, and the pages of history will record their glorious effort. He urged upon his hearers to remember the men who left St. John, also those who went forth from other parts of the Province of New Brunswick, and the different provinces of the Dominion, and who stood today under fire at the front. These heroes by each mail sent out to the world, "We need more men and munitions."

"Do not forget the picture drawn by that great man of the nation—Lord Kitchener—in Guild Hall about two weeks ago, when he made a vivid but a real and faithful picture of the sol-

**Men and Munitions.**

The Solicitor General said the call came from those fighting at the front as well as from those who had been invaded home that Britain needs more men and munitions, that there should be ten men at the front for every one now there. He urged his audience to emulate the example of those men who have donned the khaki and sworn to take arms and help to smother the Prussian. If every one in Canada would do their duty their consciences would be stronger and their hearts the lighter.

The men who march nobly forward and offer their services were the men who occupied the first place in this country. These were the men who could hold their head high and take a place to which no others were entitled. To them Canadians owed a great debt of gratitude.

Mr. Meighen spoke briefly to the mothers and wives and said that while the one who does the most was the soldier the one who suffered the most was the mother. It was the duty of Canada to offer to the mother and wife inspiration and solace that was her due because of the sacrifices the wife or the mother made.

"Concluding Hon. Mr. Meighen said if the men gathered around the standard of their country and signed the roll it meant that they had paid the debt they owed. If all Canadians did their duty their homes and country must survive.

Mayor Prink proposed three cheers for Hon. Mr. Meighen and Mrs. Meighen which were heartily given, after which Mr. Sktazer extended to the Solicitor-General a vote of thanks for his eloquent address.

**HOTEL ARRIVALS.**

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**MUCH MONEY WAS RAISED AT RED CROSS FETE**

Beautiful weather favored the large number present at the garden fete at Rothsay yesterday, held under the auspices of the Rothsay branch of the Red Cross Society, and it is expected that between \$500 and \$600 will become available for Red Cross work as a result of the gathering, which proved a success in every way. The Temple band was in attendance and played throughout the afternoon.

Among those present were His Honor Lieutenant-Governor Wood, and the Mayor and Mrs. Prink, who were the guests of Lady Tilley, the total number attending being in the vicinity of 500.

The many features of the gathering were well patronized, and the different committees in charge were kept busy all the time. The raffle, in charge of Miss Annie Puddington, Miss Mary Robertson and Mrs. L. P. D. Tilley, resulted as follows:—Gold watch bracelet, presented by T. Bell, won by Mrs. George K. McLeod; mahogany curate, donated by Joseph Allison, won by Miss Gilbert. The mahogany table sent by the same donor will be drawn for today, when it is expected that all tickets will have been disposed of. The gold cameo and pearl brooch given by Mr. Page, was won by Mrs. Ford, and the electric iron was won by another ticket holder whose name will be announced later.

The members of the raffling and advertising committees desire to thank Mr. Barnes for his generosity in providing tickets, posters, etc., in connection with the fete.

Purchases of the various articles on sale were so satisfactory that when the time came for breaking up there was but little more to sell, and what was left was easily disposed of by Frank West, who proved himself a persuasive auctioneer. Of the many articles sold those from Miss Madge Robertson's stall were distinctly unique. They consisted of new ideas in pottery, cushions, toys, bird houses, flower sticks and late designs in garden furniture made and donated by Messrs. Breen, Henderson, Wright and John and George Dobbins, of Rothsay. And the attraction was won for the children, which consisted of a well tree on which had been tied flocks of birds, each containing a prize package. This feature was arranged and presided over by Mrs. Foster.

The bridge tables were in charge of Mrs. W. R. Turnbull, Miss Muriel Robertson, and Mrs. H. F. Puddington had charge of the department for fresh eggs, butter, chickens and garden produce. The committees in charge of other departments were as follows:

Tea—Mrs. T. Bell, Miss Donville, Miss E. Gilbert, Mrs. Charles Taylor, Mrs. Henderson, Mrs. T. E. G. Armstrong and other ladies.

Candy table—Miss Lily West, Miss Ella Turnbull, Miss McKean.

Ice cream—Miss Sophie Robertson, Mrs. Hibbert, Mrs. Percy Fairweather, Strawberries—Mrs. Prink, Mrs. Allison, Miss Armstrong.

Soft drinks—Miss Nan Fairweather, Miss Agnes McLean.

Flowers and Ferns—Miss Brock, Miss Daniel, Miss Davidson, Miss Dorothy Bevan.

The decorations were tastefully distributed and added much to the effectiveness of the surroundings. The flags were provided by Manchester Robertson Allison; Mr. Cowan personally supervising the display. In every respect the garden fete at Rothsay was the success that had been foretold concerning it.

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