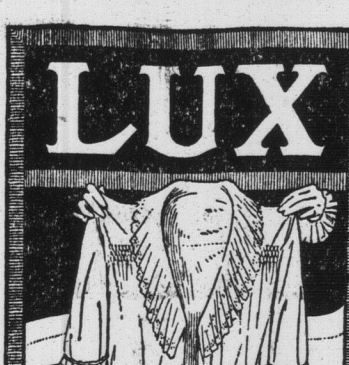


SEVERAL MORE
FORESTRY UNITS257th Closes Campaign—Fourteen
Recruits Signed on in St. John
YesterdayToday at noon recruiting for the 257th
Railway Construction battalion ceased
in the city of St. John. The unit is go-
ing overseas at a very early date.Colonel Cecil G. Williams, assistant
director of recruiting for the dominion,
announced yesterday that he was about
to make a trip across Canada in an en-
deavor to raise several forestry batta-
lions, in consequence of an urgent re-
quest from the war office for a large
force of Canadian lumbermen for work
in England and France.Fourteen recruits were secured in the
city yesterday: Aubrey Clifton, Freder-
icton; Isaac B. Murray, Digby, N.S.;
Macaulay, Burlington; John Sullivan, St.
John; John C. Danks, Glasgow, Scot-
land; Ralph Roberts, England; Isaac
Terrie, Carleton Place; Welford Johnson,
Glasgow, Scotland; Fred Gould, Rex-
ton, 257th Battalion; Robert Flanagan,
Moncton; Edward Bond, St. John, 166th

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RECENT DEATHS

Friends of Judson Bishop, of Harvey
Bank, Albert Co., were shocked to learn
of his death which took place on Thurs-
day, following a severe operation. He is
survived by his wife, five small children,
his mother, one sister, Mrs. Vaughan
Brewster, of Seattle, and three brothers,
George, manager for the McClary Manu-
facturing Company in St. John, and Dr.
Howard and James of Vancouver. A
sister, wife of Dr. Steves, formerly of
Edin, died several years ago.Andrew McNicol, aged seventy-two,
for many years a clerk in the St. John
post office, and a past master of New
Brunswick Lodge No. 22, F. and A. M.,
died yesterday at his home 232 King
street, East. He is survived by a wife
and one daughter. In addition to being
a master of the New Brunswick Lodge,
McNicol was a past deputy of the
grand lodge of the province and was one
of the charter members of Union Lodge,
Knights of Pythias. Funeral services,
which will be in charge of the Masons,
will be from the residence, 230 p. m.,
Sunday.Mrs. Robert Macintosh, aged fifty-
seven, died yesterday at her home, 154
Gerrard street, West St. John, after a
brief illness. She is survived by her
husband, five sons, William, Robert,
Joseph, Albert and James, all of West
St. John, one daughter, Mrs. Ernest
Long, and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Baker
and Mrs. Martha Wells, all of the West
Side. The funeral will be held Sunday
afternoon to St. Jude's church.The death occurred yesterday, after a
short illness of Mrs. William F. Walters,
of 238 Tower street, West End. She is
survived by her husband and five sons,
E. S. Walters, of Bonny (Mass.), T. W.
Walters, J. E. Walters and J. G. Wal-
ters, of West St. John. The funeral
will be held Monday morning at 8:15
o'clock from her late residence to the
Church of the Assumption for requiem
high mass.

U. N. B. MEMORIAL

At a meeting of the senate of the Uni-
versity of New Brunswick, held in this
city yesterday, it was decided to erect a
memorial hall in memory of the gradu-
ates and students of the university that
have been killed in the present war. It
was decided that the building should be
used primarily for science work and that
subscriptions be received immediately
for the new building.The usual engineering camp will be
held this summer in spite of the small
attendance promised.
Colonel T. G. Loggie and family of
Fredericton tendered the university a
gift of \$15,000 in dominion government
bonds, bearing interest of 5 per cent.
This amount is to be used as a
scholarship in connection with applied
science to be known as the Purves Logie
scholarship in honor of their late sol-
dier son.

THE WAR AT SEA.

It is announced from Washington that
the government's plan will be the arm-
ing and conveying of American ships in
the danger zone and that there will be
no declaration of war until Germany in-
terferes definitely with some American
right.A British torpedo boat of the oldest
type was sunk by a mine in the English
channel on Thursday night. The only
survivors were five members of the
crew.
Yesterday's reports show that five
neutral and one British steamer were
sunk by German submarines.
Reports from Brazil tell of cannonad-
ing heard at sea, indicating a naval en-
gagement.

GOVERNMENT CANDIDATES

Candidates were nominated by the
provincial government yesterday as fol-
lows:St. John county, Hon. J. B. M. Baxter
and T. P. Carson.
Westmorland, P. G. Mahoney and
Lieut. Col. Black.
Albert, John L. Peck and Lewis
Smith.
Victoria, Abram E. Kuplek and J. L.
White.
Madawaska, Charles L. Cyr and James
P. Clair.

MORNING NEWS OVER THE WIRES

The Dominion government has decided
to issue no more passports for Great
Britain unless the applicant can show
urgent and weighty reasons and also
sufficient financial ability to pay his ex-
penses and return.During the last three weeks war sav-
ings certificates of small denominations
have been purchased to the value of \$1-
000,000, chiefly by persons in moderate
circumstances.
At a meeting of the Town Improvement
League in Newcastle last evening
it was decided to organize a Children's
Aid Society and to re-organize the As-
sociated Charities.The Labor Platform
At a meeting of the Trades and Labor
Council held in Odd Fellows' hall last
evening a communication was read from
Mayor Hayes asking that a representa-
tive be sent to the city solicitor regard-
ing the boarding house law. A plat-
form was approved by the council and
the candidates in the provincial elec-
tion will be asked to declare themselves
upon the Workmen's Compensation Act,
equal suffrage, direct legislation, free
school books, compulsory education, fac-
tory act, bureau of labor act, fair wage
schedule, the health act and the eight
hour day question and other matters.The council went on record as having
objected to the action of the city fath-
ers towards reducing the number of
watchmen at West St. John as this
would increase the number of hours of
work for those remaining.
Moncton Fire Losses
Edgar H. Fairweather, E. Percy How-
ard and F. S. Whittaker of St. John,
have been in Moncton appraising losses
caused by the fire in Minto hotel block.
A. B. Bellevue gets \$2,000; Edward
Bourgeois, \$1,000; John Winter, \$800;
Harry Kirsch, \$4,000 on stock and \$200
on fixtures. Other persons have been
awarded their losses in smaller amounts.DON'T WEAR
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LOCAL NEWS

ALMANAC FOR ST. JOHN, FEB. 10
A.M.
High Tide 1.28 Low Tide 8.04
Sun Rises 7.27 Set Sets 5.40
Time used is Atlantic standard.Frank Galvin was taken to the Gen-
eral Public Hospital last evening suf-
fering from a fractured arm. He slipped
on the sidewalk.The price of pork has advanced an-
other dollar a barrel, bringing it to the
record price of \$45. In 1915 the same
article was available for \$28.The Boston train was two hours late
last evening owing to the fact that, on
leaving Harvey station, there was such
an outpouring of steam that the engine
had to be stopped and the engineer and
fireman were forced to leave the cab.
The fifth and final week day service,
held in connection with the sixtieth an-
niversary of the Exmouth street Metho-
dist church, took the form of a social
last evening. Rev. W. H. Hearts, who
was pastor of the church from 1867 to
1910, delivered an address.Mayor T. L. Church of Toronto was
a guest in the city yesterday. In
speaking of the way that St. John pro-
prietors of the city used the west he said:
"St. John has done nothing to more
strongly cement the good feeling between
the east and west than her splendid
treatment of the western visitors arriv-
ing here."Under the Speedy Trials Act yester-
day afternoon before Judge Armstrong,
Agnes Graham, charged with the theft
of a muff, the property of Mrs. Hum-
phreys of Coldbrook, was allowed to go
on suspended sentence. Fanny Osborne
was remanded and a suitable home will
be secured for her. She was charged
with theft of \$40 from a relative. Kun-
dolph Brown appeared on the charge of
cutting and wounding a fellow sailor.
He was remanded for sentence. The six
seamen charged with theft of several
articles from a C. P. R. ship elected to
be tried under Speedy Trials. A hearing
will be taken up next week. C. H. Fer-
guson prosecuted in all the cases.Marks on woodwork made by scratch-
ing matches will disappear when rubbed
with a cut lemon.

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stains off knivesHastings rang the bell and
the blackmailer shot him deadThat's practically the start of the story—we're almost
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but as Jack London, Robert W. Chambers, Gouverneur
Morris, Fannie Hurst, John Galsworthy, Samuel
Merwin and George Randolph Chester also contribute
to the same issue, it must be ranked, like Wilhelm, in
the German Federation, as first among equals.

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the Redistribution of Surplus Wealth," who call upon
the leading millionaires of America to divide their
fortunes with the community. Refusal means death.
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demand, rings for help, and gets his.But we've told you quite enough, here. You'll have
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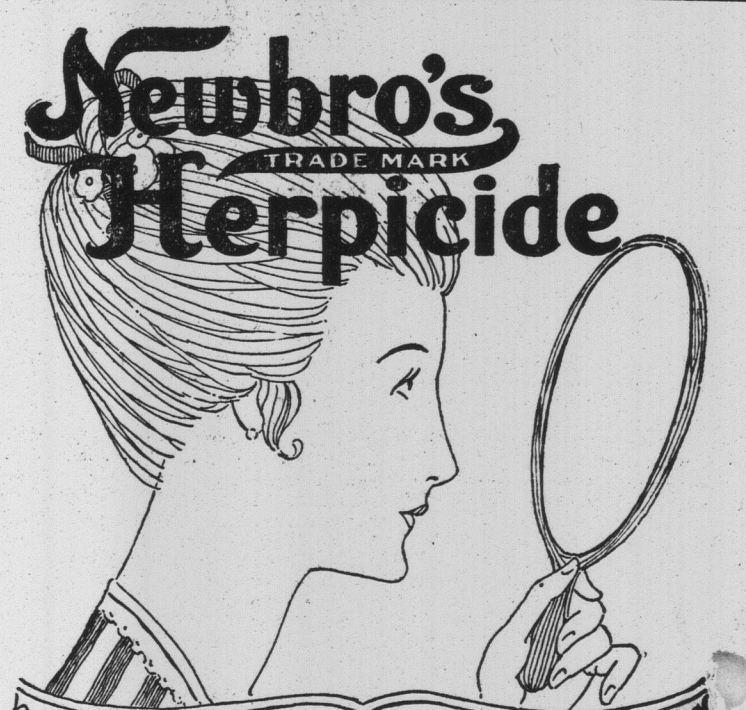
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POLICY & ANNUITY RESERVES	17,337,011	18,659,352
PREMIUM INCOME	3,232,237	3,373,598
TOTAL INCOME	4,387,763	4,659,641
SURPLUS	2,254,655	2,527,835
ASSETS	20,744,678	22,694,435

The mortality experienced was over 30%
less than amount provided for. The pay-
ments to policyholders amounted to
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