SPLENDID RECORD HELD BY ST. JOHN, SAYS COLONEL GRANT

This City Free From Disease Among Soldiers Since War Began—Expansion Arranged For—Cline Residence in St. James Street Taken Over.

Word was received last night by Colonel Grant from General Benson, O.C. of this military district to the effect that Ottawa had approved of his proposition to annex the Cline property to the Evangeline Home military hospital in order to take care of infectious diseases.

Colonel Grant only arrived in the city yesterday and some idea of his great executive ability is to be gleaned from the rapid manner in which he relieved conditions here in his department and made arrangements in a few hours for an extension of the hospital conveniences. Today the first movements will be made towards the occupation of the newly acquired premises by the military authorities.

"St. John has the finest record, in so far as sickness among troops is concerned, of any city which I have ever visited," said Lieutenant-Colonel Grant, assistant director of medical service who was in the city yesterday in connection with securing additional military hospital facilities here.

"I would like to say that the record of this city and its authorities in combating with disease is most excellent and while you have been lucky here it cannot all be placed to the credit of chance. I am persuaded that your civic health authorities have had a great deal to do with the establishment of this record and their careful oversight of health conditions in the city has made your position in this regard very excellent indeed.

"You have been practically free from contagious and infectious diseases in St. John, so far as the troops are concerned, ever since the war began," he added. "If my memory serves me right, there has been only one case of menengitis during that time and I would go as far as to say that your record in this respect is a model one."

It is found that of late, measles and mumps have been making their appearance among the troops quartered in St. John and as the Isolation Hospital is full at the present time, it was necessary to take them to the new military hospital at the Evangeline Home. Here these cases are being kept as isolated as possible from the others but at the same time the need of a building for the housing and treatment of infectious and contageous cases is great.

Arrangements for Expansion.

While Colonel Grant was in the city yesterday, he held a conference with the owners of the Cline residence, which adjoins the Evangeline Home building. He told a representative of The Telegraph last night that he had been offered this building for a rental of $400 per year and that he considered it a very splendid location for the purpose required.

In accordance with this decision, Colonel Grant wired Major General T. Benson, O. C. of Military District No. 6, advising him to accept this offer in order to enlarge the facilities here. This telegram and recommendation was forwarded to the militia department at Ottawa and the military authorities here last night were authorized to close the deal.

It is understood that the Cline residence will accommodate at least sixty-five patients when it is fitted up, and Colonel Grant believes that it can be made ready for use in twenty-four hours. Work will begin today.

At the present time there are eighty cases being treated in the Evangeline Home military hospital, thirty of which are measles and mumps. This causes more or less of a congestion at the institution and Colonel Grant yesterday secured permission to remove sixteen of the patients who are convalescing in this institution to the Parks Home, which will in a measure relieve conditions. He has also instructed the medical officer of the 140th Battalion to make use of the military hospital at the Discharge Depot in case of any further illness among the men of that unit and in this way the situation which at one time looked rather serious has been straightened out.

None of the cases among the soldiers in this city is by any means serious in their nature and the present conditions do not depreciate in any measure from the splendid record thus far maintained. Colonel Grant dined last night with Colonel H. H. McLean, O. C. of the New Brunswick command at the Union Club and left on the late train for Halifax.

OBITUARY

John MacVey.

Passekeag, Kings Co., N. B., April 30—The death of John MacVey removes one of the oldest and most respected residents of Kings county. He passed peacefully away at 5.30 o'clock Sunday morning after a lingering illness from heart trouble in the same house in which he was born on July 2, 1834. Mr. MacVey was the last of his generation of an old Scotch family, a life-long Presbyterian, having been an elder of Salina Presbyterian church for many years. He leaves a widow, formerly Miss Elizabeth Ann Robertson, three sons and three daughters, all of whom were with him during his last moments. The sons are J. Lawson and W. Arthur, of Passekeag, and C. Andrew, of Fredericton, and the daughters, Misses Ada A., Prudence E. and Martha M., at home. One daughter, Mrs. A. Sterling Gunn, of Moncton, died two years ago. They mourn a kind husband and loving father. Funeral service will be conducted by Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, of St. David's church, St. John; interment at the old Kirk burying ground, Central Norton.

Leo La Pierre.

The death of Leo La Pierre, son of Edward and Sarah La Pierre, of 87 Newman street, occurred Sunday evening. He was four years old. The death was caused by burns.

Mrs. Annie Breen.

Tuesday, May 2.

The death of Mrs. Annie Breen occurred early last evening after a lengthy illness at her residence, 288 City Road. She was the widow of David M. Breen, who died twenty-two years ago. Mrs. Breen is survived by one son, Irvine C., af Macaulay Bros & Co., Ltd.

John Killen.

Wednesday May 3.

The death occurred at an early hour this morning of John Killen, a well known resident of this city. He had been ailing for the past eighteen months and gradually grew worse until the end came. He was an employe of the postal department here during the past four years. A number of years ago he was prominently identified with the labor movement in St. John and was a staunch member of the old Ship Laborers' Union, holding office on several occasions, at one time as its secretary. He is survived by his wife, one son, Thomas L., and one sister, Miss Annie and two brothers, Thomas and Patrick, all of this city.

J. F. Forrester.

Wednesday May 3.

Early yesterday morning in the General Public Hospital, James Frederick Forrester passed away. He was a carpenter and was in the employ of Edward Bates. He leaves his wife, one son who resides in Boston, and one daughter, Mrs. Walter Preston of this city.

Mrs. Susan Kerr.

Summer Hill, May 1—The death of Mrs. Susan Kerr took place at her home, Summer Hill, Queens county, on Wednesday, 26th ult., after a long illness. She had reached the ripe old age of 88 years and was a member of the Presbyterian church for over seventy years. Her life was the model of a Christian woman worthy of the high esteem in which she was held by all who knew her. She leaves four sons, Andrew, James and William at home, and Adam, of Pendiction (B. C.), and one daughter, Mrs. James Russell, of Summer Hill. J. LeRoy Kerr of C company, 115th Battalion, C. E. F., is a grandson. The funeral on Friday was very largely attended. Service was conducted by Rev. L. J. Wason, assisted by Rev. J. S. Gregg, of Welsford. Interment was made in the family burying ground at Summer Hill. The death of Mrs. Kerr removes the last member of the old Galy family of Castledug, County Tyrone, Ireland, recorded among the early settlers in St. John.

Mrs. James Manzer.

Andover, April 29—Mrs. James Manzer, widow of James Manzer died at the home of her son, T. Herbert Manzer, at Aroostook Junction, early this morning. Mrs. Manzer had lived at Aroostook many years nad had a great many friends who will hear with sorrow of her death. She was in the eighty-ninth year of her age and although in failing health for several months was only ill for a few days. She is survived by three sons, T. Herbert, of Aroostook; Judson C., of Cuba, and Charles, of Woodstock, and three daughters, Miss Alice, of Aroostook, and the Misses Elizabeth and Gertrude, nurses in New York, who arrived home yesterday.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon, Rev. R. W. Demmings conducting the service. Interment will be made in the Baptist cemetery at Andover.

James Coburn Watson.

Grand Falls, May 1—James Coburn Watson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, died at his home here on Wednesday morning. He was within a few days of thirty-five and his health has been poor for some years. Three weeks ago, his father got word to go to St. John to see him as he was dangerously ill. He was brought home and lived less than three weeks after reaching here. He is survived by his parents, two sisters, Misses Lulu and Helen, at home, and six brothers, Frederick, his twin, and Lawrence, at home; George, in Vancouver; Harry, in Idaho; John, in New York; Robert, in Boston.

The funeral was held at All Saints church on Friday afternoon, and was largely attended. The pall-bearers were: James and George Day, Everett McCluskey, John McLaughlin, William Wilson, and Ward Burpee.

Miss Ethel Kennedy.

Many friends will learn with regret of the death of Ethel, youngest daughter of Joseph and Annie Kennedy, which occurred after several months' illness, at her home, Youngs Cove, on Thursday, April 27, 1916. The young lady was only in her nineteenth year, and was beloved by all who knew her.

The funeral took place on Saturday, April 29, and was conducted by Rev. E. Rowlands, and in spite of the rough weather the services both at the house and in the Methodist church were largely attended, and there were many floral tokens of sympathy and respect. Interment was in the Methodist burying ground, Youngs Cove.

James McKelvey 115

St. George, May 1—James McKelvey, of Red Rock, is dead. He was 115 years of age—the oldest man in Charlotte county and probably the oldest in the dominion. This was the first winter in his long life that he had been confined to the house, and he enjoyed his pipe and tobacco up to the last. For several weeks he has been failing and last night the end came.

Mr. McKelvey came from Ireland, a man over thirty years of age, landing in St. John. He was for a number of years a resident of Grand Manan and Indian Island, moving from the latter place to St. Andrews, where he was employed on the railroad, one of the first to be built in Canada. From St. Andrews he came to Second Falls, where he was for years an employe of the late Daniel Gillmor in the lumber business. While there he became owner of the home and farm at Red Rock, where he died. His wife, who died over thirty years ago was formerly Miss Lynch, a sister of Thomas Lynch, well known in this vicinity.

In his younger days Mr. McKelvey was a jockey, riding many winners in old-time races. He was a great horseman, and up to a few years ago was always owner of a number of good horses. Many fishermen and hunters, who have visited the Red Rock section, will remember the home and beautiful farm with the old gentleman residing there, and not a few of the quaint stories and humorous sayings of his are known far and wide.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday, interment will be in the new Catholic cemetery.

The old gentleman was always a staunch Liberal.

Frank L. Ervine.

Thursday May 4.

Many will learn with regret of the death of Frank L. Ervine, of St. John West, which occurred yesterday morning. He leaves his wife, six children, mother, one sister and one brother, George, of Dorchester (Mass.)

Miss Mary McCluskey.

The funeral of Miss Mary A. McCluskey took place Tuesday morning from her late residence at Maugerville. The funeral procession left the house at 9 o'clock the remains being taken to St. Anthony's church, St. Marys, where Rev. Father Murphy celebrated high mass of requiem in the presence of a large number of mourning friends. Father Murphy, preached an eloquent sermon in the course of which he paid tribute to the esteem in which the deceased lady was held. Though in failing health for several years she had, passed away suddenly Saturday evening.

The deceased is survived by four sisters, Mrs. S. Keilliher, an dthe Misses Susan, Margaret and Katherine, also one brother, Harry R., of Maugerville, and three nieces, Miss Gertrude Killeen, St. John; Mrs. B. C. Vachon, Campbellton; also three nephews, John P. Killeen, Albert P. McCluskey, Maugerville, and Charles Leo McCluskey, of Hamilton, West Virginia.

WEDDINGS

Chambers-Irvine.

A quiet wedding took place Thursday evening, April 27 at the home of Charles MacKenzie, Richardsville, Restigouche Co. (N. B.), when his sister-in-law, Miss Nellie Irvine of Matapedia, Bonaventure county, Quebec, was united in marriage to Private Donald Allan Chambers, of the 104th Battalion. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Wellington Camp, B. D., of Campbellton, in the presence of a few immediate friends.

Fowlie-Williston.

A very quiet and pretty military wedding took place in St. Stephen's Presbyterian church, Black River, Northumberland county, on April 19, when Lieutenant F. F. Fowlie of the 132nd, North Shore Battalion, was united in marriage to Miss Minnie Williston, daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Williston, Bayside. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. G. A. Grant, B.D., minister of the church. The bride was given away by her brother, Duncan, who with two other brothers are also members of the 132nd Battalion. A large number of relatives and friends gathered at the church and at the close of the service gave their hearty congratultaions and good wishes to the popular couple, who drove at once to Loggieville where they took the evening express for Dalhousie.

McInerney-Foster.

A wedding of much popular interest was solemnized yesterday morning in the Cathedral, when, at nine o'clock, at nuptial mass, Rev. William Duke united in marriage Eleanor Josephine Foster, daughter of Mrs. and the late Francis H. Foster, and E. Blake McInerney. The bride, who is well known in social circles about the city, was becomingly attired in a suit of white serge, with hat to match and carried a beautiful bouquet of white roses. They were unattended. Thomas Morgan gave the bride away.

The groom is a son of Mrs. and the late Geo. V. McInerney, ex-M. P., and is one of St. John's most successful young commercial men, and one who is steadily advancing in the banking life of the Dominion. He has many friends in this city who wish him and his bride every happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. McInerney left on the Montreal train last evening for Montreal and Quebec, whence they will proceed to Toronto, where Mr. McInerney has recently been appointed accountant for the chief Toronto branch of the Royal Bank of Canada.

Last evening Mr. McInerney was the guest at a very pleasing social function in the Union Club, when friends gathered to extend to him their good wishes.

Groom-O'Leary.

Richibucto, May 3—An event of much interest to maritime province people took place this morning when Miss Mary O'Leary, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard O'Leary, of Richibucto, was united in marriage to Harold Groom of London (Ont.) The ceremony was performed in St. Aloysius church by the Rev. J. J. MacLaughlin in the presence of only immediate relatives of the family. The bride was becomingly attired in a costume of navy serge with trimmings of chamois cloth and carried a bouquet of roses and lilies of the valley. Mr. and Mrs. Groom have left to spend their honeymoon in upper Canadian cities, and on their return will reside in London (Ont.)

Sweeney-McCafferty.

The marriage of Private Stanley Sweeney, of Ellenstown, a member of the 132nd Battalion, and Miss Esther McCafferty, of Newcastle, was solemnized by Rev. B. J. Murdoch in St. Mary's church, Newcastle, Monday. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Michael McCafferty.

Northrup-Fraser.

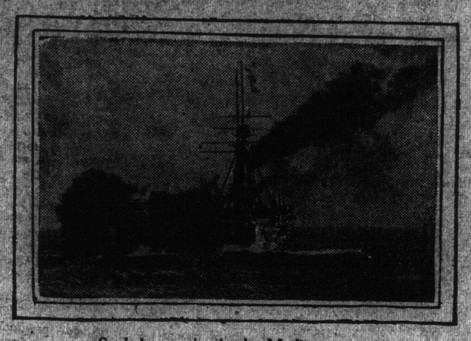
Thursday May 4.

A quiet wedding of much interest to Kings county people was performed last evening at Centenary parsonage, when Rev. W. H. Barraclough united in marriage Ora DeWitt Northrup, of Quispamsis, to Miss L. Hazel, daughter of Thomas J. Fraser, of Nauwigewauk. The principals were unattended and immediate relatives only were present. The happy pair will reside in the city.

N. B. MEN IN CASUALTIES.

The midnight casualty list contains the name of Peter A. Forestall, of Hampton Village (N. B.) He is reported "missing." He went overseas with a New Brunswick unit, and has a brother, Luke Forestall, with the 115th Battalion. Two other New Brunswick men are mentioned in the list, H. Flagg, of Grand Manan, and E. M. Kirk, of Fredericton, both reported killed in action.

H.M.S. RUSSELL



Sunk by a mine in the Mediterranean.

NEW SCHEME ADOPTED BY GOVERNMENT FOR HANDLING WOUNDED MEN

Col. DesRosiers, Who Has Been Transport Officer at This Port, Leaves Today for Quebec and Goes to Old Country to Work Out New Scheme the Last of the Month—With the O. S. Units.

A new method has been devised in the handling of wounded soldiers returning to Canada as well as those on leave. Heretofore the men were placed aboard the steamers at Liverpool and given transportation to the Canadian port, then the transport officer at the port on this side equipped the party with transportation to the Quebec Discharge Depot and again on arriving there further transportation was issued the men so that they might reach their homes.

All this procedure entailed a very large amount of work and the new scheme will be much more effective whilst not nearly so cumbersome. Colonel DesRosiers, who has been transport officer here during the past season, leaves today for Quebec, and on or about May 27 will sail for London where he will have charge of the transport duties there.

The new scheme is that each soldier, whether discharged, wounded or on leave, will be furnished with transportation at the office in London direct to his home in Canada both by water and rail, so there will be no loss of time nor inconvenience.

A big discharge depot is to be established at Bath, England, and Colonel DesRosiers will have full charge of the new scheme and its workings. He does not know yet just where he will be located, but likely at London, which is mid-way between Liverpool and Bath.

During his stay in St. John, Colonel DesRosiers has won many staunch friends who will regret exceedingly his departure from the city, but who on the other hand will be pleased to note that his ability has recommended him to such an important post in the old country.

With the 115th.

So far as sports are concerned in the 115th battalion, baseball is now holding the centre of the stage and four splendid teams have already been formed, one representing each company in the unit. On Wednesday "A" and "B" companies played the first game in the new schedule, "A" company winning out by a score of 12 to 5. Yesterday's game, however, between "C" and "D" companies was of a different calibre, and "D" company emerged from the contest with the victor's laurels by a score of 10 to 9. This latter game was very closely contested throughout and a large number of the men of the battalion gathered around the diamond watching the progress of the game with great interest. Not only were the men interested, but the officers were also engrossed in the baseball fortunes of their respective companies, and the regular mess dinner was postponed half an hour so that the officers might see the game completed. The 115th will challenge the 140th baseball team soon and very likely a big game will be pulled off next week. The boys are also practising soccer and many spirited contests have taken place during the past few days. In the matter of sport the new daylight saving scheme is particularly advantageous as it gives the men an extra hour of daylight in the evening in which to participate in their games.

Captain J. R. Miller of the local militia unit and recruiting officer for St. John county, is handling the duties of quartermaster. Captain Sanford, who is absent on the recruiting tour with the band of the 116th. "B" company was out on a route march yesterday under Major Jones, whilst the preceeding day "C" company under Captain Goodliff, and "D" company under Major Kennedy took a route march.

Another important feature of yesterday's activities in the 115th was the first mess dinner in the evening at the armory of the officers of the unit. Some time this week all the unmarried officers of the unit will move into the armory and eat and sleep there. About twenty-five men were present last night at the first mess dinner and as a result of the "swell" attendance the chefs were taken unawares and the catering while good was not as voluminous as it should have been. However, this was taken with grace by the officers who realized that anything might be expected during a house cleaning interval. The orderly officer of the unit today is Lieut. March, whilst the next for duty is Lieut. Steeves. There will be a march-out this afternoon by companies. Lieut. Price appeared officially in orders yesterday as having been appointed machine gun officer of the unit.

With the 140th.

The men of A and B companies, 140th Battalion, put in a busy day yesterday at the west side barracks. Two men were taken on the strength of the battalion and Armorer Sergt. S. H. Kelleher returned from Halifax, having completed a special course at the Royal School of Infantry there and passed his examinations with flying colors, earning special mention from his instructors.

The men were confined to routine drill during the entire day and the officers are making a special effort to see that all are thoroughly acquainted with each and every form of drill as it is reached in the syllabus. Lieut. Osgoode is the orderly officer in charge of the unit today, whilst Lieut. Thorne is the next for duty. There will be another big march today for the 140th. The men will march out in the afternoon and will have a lunch at 6 o'clock in the open, returning to barracks at night. In the afternoon visual training will be carried out as well as advance guard work and other forms of drill calling for a large amount of space in which to operate. The concert of the King's Daughters will be repeated tonight in aid of the band fund of the 140th, owing to the fact that a large number of people were unable to gain admittance to the concert on Tuesday evening.

With Soldiers at School.

The boys attending the new provisional military school at the armory are delving deeper and deeper into the mysteries of military lore each day. Yesterday each man was served with a rifle, which shall be his "to have and to hold" until the completion of the course. In the morning the school was drilled in the rudimentary movements with arms and in the afternoon a lecture was given on the mechanism of a rifle and its component parts and how best to take care of it. The cots were put in the different rooms in the armory today and the men assigned to their quarters. There was a muster roll call at 9.30 last evening and from this date onward the students at the school will be required to eat and sleep at the armory.

On Wednesday there was a general clean-up and in the afternoon the men wielded the scrubbing brushes and mops with great zeal cleaning their quarters a la the Gold Dust Twins. The cots were received yesterday from Sussex but the heavyweight of the school could not trust his amazing avoirdupois on such a flimsy bit of furniture, with the result that he was issued an iron bed. Henceforth he may court Morpheus without any apprehension as to the breaking of his couch.

Wounded Man Recovering.

Mrs. Alice Peacock, of this city, has received a letter from her son, Pte. W. F. Peacock, of the 26th N. B. Battalion. The young soldier, who was previously reported wounded, says that he was wounded in the head but is making rapid progress towards recovery and expects to get a furlough to England in a short time. He was wounded on the 29th of March and was taken to No. 18 General Hospital at Boulogne, France, for treatment and had been confined to that institution for a period of fifteen days on the date the letter was written.

Passed Lieutenant's Examination.

The following members of the Dalhousie training corps have passed their examinations qualifying for a lieutenant's certificate: Harry Dean, Reginald, V. Harris, A. A. Turnbull, Osborne R. Crowell, W. R. MacClelland, P. H. Whitman, J. S. Fraser, S. S. Allen, H. C. Frame, A. Gordon Melvin and H. S. Rayner.

Soldiers Buried.

An impressive ceremony took place in Fernhill yesterday morning when the bodies of seven soldiers were laid at rest in the new military and naval lot recently set aside by the directors. Six of the soldiers died here while training with overseas units, and one was a Crimean war veteran. Their names and battalions were: Pte. James Stuart Brown, of the 52nd Battalion; Trooper Alexander Buchanan, of the 9th C. M. R.; Pte. Adam Lowe, 79th Cameron Highlanders of Canada; Pte. Vivian Bingham, R. C. R., Halifax; Pte. William Clifford, No. 477180, of the R. C. R.; Pte. William Valentine, No. 19788, of the 10th Battalion, C. E. F., and Pte. James R. Quinn, Crimean veteran.

A firing squad of twenty-five and a bearer party of thirty-six members of the 115th Battalion, under command of Lieut. Ernest March, marched to the cemetery yesterday morning, led by the band of the 140th Battalion and took part in the services.

SUGAR AT HIGH WATER MARK NOW

It and Molasses Continue to Soar—Wholesale Quotations in the Local Markets Yesterday.

Further advances in several lines are noted in the markets during the past few days. The unsettled conditions continue to exert an adverse influence. In many cases, general scarcity of the article in question is the cause of the advance in price while in others the lack of bottoms has made distribution impossible, thus affecting the local market. Sugar and molasses continue to do sensational turns until today sugar, in particular, has reached a mark never before attained in the local market. Ordinary, common beans, the kind that mother used to employ for baking purposes are now away up and there is but little prospect of a decline in price. Prevailing prices are as follows:

COUNTRY MARKET.			
Potatoes, per bushel	1.25	to	1.50
Beef, western	0.12	"	0.14
Beef, country	0.08	"	0.12½
Mutton, per lb	0.12	"	0.14
Pork, per lb	0.13	"	0.14½
Veal, per lb	0.08	"	0.11
Eggs, case, per dozen	0.21	"	0.22
Tub butter, per lb	0.30	"	0.32
Creamery butter, per lb	0.30	"	0.33
Fowls, fresh killed, per lb	0.23	"	0.25
Fresh chicken	0.00	"	0.30
Bacon	0.00	"	0.22
Ham	0.20	"	0.22
Turkey	0.25	"	0.35
Cabbage	0.50	"	1.00
Turnips, bbl	0.00	"	1.25
Retail prices are given for green goods:			
Radishes	0.00	"	0.05
Mushrooms	0.00	"	0.50
Cranberries	0.00	"	0.20
New beets, per bunch	0.00	"	0.12
New carrots, per pound	0.00	"	0.12
Cucumbers, each	0.00	"	0.15
Celery	0.15	"	0.20
Cauliflower	0.25	"	0.50
Rhubarb, per lb	0.00	"	0.15
GROCERIES.			
Choice seed raisins, 1s	0.10½	"	0.10¾
Fancy, do	0.10¾	"	0.11
Currants, cleaned, 1s	0.12½	"	0.13
Cheese, per lb	0.20	"	0.20½
Rice	5.75	"	6.00
Cream tartar, pure box	0.50	"	0.52
Ricard, soda, per keg	8.20	"	8.25
Beans, white	4.00	"	4.60
Beans, yellow eye	4.50	"	4.55
Split peas, bags	6.25	"	6.50
Pot barley, bbls	6.20	"	6.35
Cornmeal, per bag	0.00	"	1.85
Granulated cornmeal	0.00	"	6.35
Liverpool salt per sack ex store	1.05	"	1.10
PROVISIONS.			
Pork, Canadian mess	30.50	"	30.50
Pork, American clear	30.50	"	32.00
American plate beef	25.25	"	25.75
Lard, compound, tub	0.14¼	"	0.14½
Lard, pure, tub	0.17¾	"	0.18
Molasses, fancy Barbados	0.60	"	0.60
SUGAR.			
Standard granulated	8.10	"	8.15
United Empire, gran	8.00	"	8.05
Bright yellow	7.90	"	7.95
No. 1 yellow	7.70	"	7.75
Paris lumps	9.00	"	9.25
FLOUR, ETC.			
Roller oatmeal	0.00	"	6.25
Standard oats	0.00	"	6.75
Manitoba, high	0.00	"	7.35
Ontario, full pts	0.00	"	7.15
CANNED GOODS.			
The following are the wholesale quotations per case:			
Salmon, pinks	5.15	"	5.25
Salmon, red spring	8.00	"	8.60
Finnan haddies	4.50	"	4.60
Kippered herring	4.50	"	4.60
Clams	4.00	"	4.25
Oysters, 1s	1.70	"	1.75
Oysters, 2s	2.50	"	2.55
Corned beef, 1s	2.90	"	3.00
Peaches, 2s	1.80	"	1.85
Peaches, 3s	2.40	"	2.45
Pineapple, sliced	2.17½	"	2.20
Pineapple, grated	1.70	"	1.75
Lombard plums	1.50	"	1.55
Raspberries	2.17½	"	2.20
Corn, per doz	1.10	"	1.15
Peas	1.07½	"	1.10
Strawberries	2.42½	"	2.45
Tomatoes	1.32½	"	1.35
Pumpkins	1.10	"	1.15
String beans	1.10	"	1.15
Baked beans, 2s	1.15	"	1.20
Baked beans, 3s	1.65	"	1.70
GRAINS.			
Bran, small lots, bags	28.00	"	29.00
Pressed hay, car lots No. 1	17.00	"	18.00
Pressed hay, per ton, No. 1	20.00	"	22.00
Oats, Canadian	0.57	"	0.62
Middlings	0.00	"	0.29½
HIDES AND WOOL.			
Tallow	0.05	"	0.06½
Wool (unwashed)	0.28	"	0.30
Hides	0.18½	"	0.15½
Calfskins	0.15	"	0.17
Lambskins (Feb)	1.00	"	1.75
FISH.			
Small dry cod	4.75	"	5.00
Medium dry cod	6.00	"	6.25
Grand Manan herring, half-bbls	3.15	"	3.25
Smoked herring	0.15	"	0.16
Pickled shad, half-bbls	8.00	"	12.00
Fresh cod, per lb	0.06	"	0.07
Bloaters, per box	0.80	"	0.90
Halibut	0.12	"	0.18
Kippered herring, per box	0.00	"	0.90
Swordfish	0.12	"	0.13
Haddies	0.07	"	0.08
FRUITS.			
Marbot walnuts	0.16	"	0.17
Almonds	0.18	"	0.19
California prunes	0.09	"	0.15
Filberts	0.15	"	0.16
Brazils, new	0.14	"	0.15
Peanuts, roasted	0.11	"	0.14
Bag figs, per lb	0.10	"	0.15
Lemons, Messina, box	3.50	"	3.75
Cocoanuts, per doz	0.60	"	0.70
Cocoanuts, per sack	4.00	"	4.50
California oranges	3.25	"	4.50
Apples	2.25	"	6.00
OILS.			
Palacine	0.00	"	0.20
Royalite	0.00	"	0.16½
Turpentine	0.06	"	0.72
Extra lard compound	0.00	"	0.91
Extra No. 1 lard compound	0.00	"	1.14
"Premier" motor gasolene	0.00	"	0.35
HIDES.			
Hides	0.15	"	0.15½
Calfskins	0.22	"	0.23
Woolskins, April	1.50	"	2.00
Shearlings	0.15	"	0.25
Spring lambskins	0.15	"	0.20
Wool, washed	0.40	"	0.42
Wool, unwashed	0.30	"	0.31
Tallow	0.06½	"	0.07½

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Canada, received its contract on August 15, two months later.

"Yet," said the British expert, "both started to make deliveries simultaneously."

Before adjourning Mr. Carvell said that Mr. Kyte was being called to Nova Scotia next week and would be unable to give evidence if wanted within this particular time. Any information which the commissions thought Mr. Kyte could supply he (Carvell) would be glad to produce.

Mr. Hellmuth said that so far as he was concerned it might not be necessary to call Mr. Kyte at all, but he would be glad if Mr. Kyte would furnish him with any information he might have which could throw additional light upon matters under inquiry.

Mr. Nesbitt—"If Mr. Hellmuth does not want Mr. Kyte, I will want him.

Mr. Carvell—"You need not worry over the matter, Mr. Nesbitt. I can assure you that whenever you wish to call Mr. Kyte he will be on hand."

TURKS FEAR ATTACK ON ASIATIC COAST

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Hill were repulsed. To the southwest of the hill the enemy obtained a foothold in one of our advanced posts."

"Of several enemy aeroplanes which dropped bombs this morning upon the garden of the Royal Castle of Ostend, one was shot down in an aerial battle near Middelkerke. The pilot, a French officer, was killed. West of Lievin German anti-aircraft guns and machine guns brought down two enemy aeroplanes. In the district of Fort Vaux two French biplanes were put out of commission by our airmen.

"Eastern theatre: The situation is generally unchanged. Our airships successfully attacked railway establishments at Molodechno and Minsk and the railway junction at Luniniec, northeast of Pinsk.

"Balkan theatre: There have been no important events."

GERMANY'S REPLY DISAPPOINTING

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peror William's general staff has declared war on humanity. It adds: "To combat infamous Prussianism is the duty of every nation."

O. Pais says: "Brazil sees in this world-war no place for neutrals. Whoever remains neutral will be vanquished. Germany deserves no longer from our government the consideration which has been shown it against the general sentiment of the country. All Brazil looks to President Bras, confident that he will measure up to the destinies of Brazil."

SALISBURY NOTES

Salisbury, N. B., May 4—Mrs. G. Allison Trites, who was called to her former home at Sydney a couple of weeks ago owing to the death of her mother, Mrs. Robert Drake, has returned home.

Mrs. Victor E. Gowland, who has been enjoying a few weeks' visit with relatives and other friends in New York and Boston, returned home this week.

Samuel S. Taylor, of Shediac, is paying a visit to Salisbury and North River, and is a guest at the home of his son, G. A. Taylor, county secretary.

Frank MacNeill, of Summerside (P. E. I.), is the guest at the United Baptist parsonage of his uncle, Rev. Norman A. MacNeill.

H. C. Barnes is confined to his home with la grippe. Dr. C. A. King, of Petitcodiac, is attending him.

G. A. Trites, who was quite ill last week, is able to be out again. Dr. Fleming, of Petitcodiac, was his physician.

Another loyal Canadian comes home from Massachusetts and dons the khaki for overseas service. Peter Duhy, who, with other members of his family removed from Salisbury to a town near Boston some fifteen years ago, is spending a few days here before joining his battalion. Mr. Duhy was one of our popular boys and he is receiving the glad hand and many hearty congratulations and words of praise from his relatives and other friends in the homeland. In coming home to serve his king and country Mr. Duhy gives up a steady job with good pay.

HOPEWELL HILL NOTES

Hopewell Hill, May 3—The fortnightly meeting of the Women's Patriotic have aided so materially, presided, and considerable work was done by the League yesterday afternoon at the home of the secretary, Mrs. W. J. McAlmon, was well attended and showed that interest continues to be well kept up. Miss Ada Russell, the president, whose excellent abilities and enthusiasm in the work ladies during the session, besides a number of business items being attended to.

Another nice programme of entertainment was furnished at the regular meeting of the Golden Rule Division, S. of T., last evening. Among the numbers, besides the temperance speeches, were a solo by Miss Mary Russell, solo by Mrs. Henry Nelson, readings by Mrs. Alex. Rogers, Stanley Steeves and Charlie Tingley. The division has long been considered a fine school for the young people and the young boys who have recently become members have shown a gratifying interest in the meetings, which are designed to teach not only total abstinence, but to give good training along many lines.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Killam came down from Moncton by today's train. Mr. Killam, who is manager and part owner of the steam mill now operating near here, has been in the hospital taking treatment for a severe attack of rheumatism. He still uses crutches.

Cardinal Sevin.

Paris, May 4—Hector Irenaeus Sevin, Cardinal Archibishop of Lyons, died today. Cardinal Sevin was 64 years of age, and was created cardinal in May 1914.