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For Boys and Girls

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1. As sly as a.....	9. As limp as a.....
2. As wet as a.....	10. As round as a.....
3. As soft as a.....	11. As straight as a.....
4. As white as a.....	12. As safe as a.....
5. As black as a.....	13. As flat as a.....
6. As hot as a.....	14. As busy as a.....
7. As mild as a.....	15. As dull as a.....
8. As slow as a.....	16. As solid as a.....

Write your phrases on one side of the paper only, and enclose the usual coupons correctly filled up. Also give the size of shoes which you wear. To the boy or girl not over fifteen years of age, I shall award a splendid pair of ROMPER SHOES. This valuable prize has been kindly offered to be won in this contest by Messrs. Waterbury & Rising, of St. John, who have always taken great interest in the work done by members of the Children's Corner of The Standard.

Some boy or girl is bound to get the beautiful shoes, and in the judging every consideration will be given for the ages of those who compete, so that a kiddie only, say, six-years of age will have equal chance with one much older.

All entries must reach this office not later than 2nd February, 1916, addressed to:

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1st Prize a Silver Watch

To the boy or girl, not over fifteen years of age, who sends me in the best drawing of a horse's head, I shall award a BEAUTIFUL SILVER WATCH and as second prize, either a pretty brooch, or a set of cuff links.

All entries must be accompanied by the usual coupon, and arrive at this office not later than February 9th, 1916, addressed to:

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Every allowance will be made in the judging, for kiddies under ten years of age, so that all will have equal chance.

THE CANADIAN PATRIOTIC FUND.

The contributions acknowledged yesterday by the treasurer:

Single—Thos. Gorman, \$25; Wm. Totten, \$1; Jas. McKinney, \$2.
Monthly—Bank Friend, \$5; J. E. Angeline, Hampton, N. B., \$5; Dr. Colter, \$8; Alfred H. Clark, \$5; Dr. T. Fred Johnston, \$5; L. H. Arundell, \$3; Ward C. Hazen, \$10; J. F. Brittain, \$2; The St. John Railway Co., \$100; Capt. L. P. D. Tilley, \$24; J. D. Cudlip (2 months), \$50; F. W. Branscombe, \$5; Fred Hargrave, \$5; Wilela's Cash Store, \$5; W. J. Cherna, \$1; Mrs. W. B. Best (2 months), \$2; M. J. Clarke, \$1; J. H. Parker, \$1; Mrs. Wm. Good, \$1; Rev. J. C. Berrie, \$5; Miss Thomas, \$50; Mrs. F. W. Daniel, \$2; Wm. Brodie, \$10; Col. A. J. Armstrong, \$5; Manchester Robertson Allison, Ltd., \$100; W. H. Barnaby, \$20; T. E. G. Armstrong, \$15; R. J. Hooper, \$10.

MILITARY NOTES AND NEWS

TO HELP IN PROVIDING SUITABLE EMPLOYMENT FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS

Committee organized for King's County to take up this work—Meeting yesterday.

At a meeting of citizens held in Sussex on Tuesday afternoon the following gentlemen were appointed as a local committee for the County of Kings to assist in securing employment for returned soldiers: His Worship the Mayor of Sussex, Fenwick W. Wallace was elected chairman; Alderman G. Adair was elected secretary, and the other members of the committee are: W. H. Culbert, Esq., and S. H. White, Esq., of Sussex; A. D. Murray, Esq., Penobscus, J. E. McAlley, Esq., Lower Millstream; H. A. Meyers, Esq., Norton; F. E. Sharp, Esq., Midland; S. H. Fowelling, Esq., Hampton; David Floyd, Esq., Upham; H. V. Dickson, Esq., M. L. A., Hammond River; David Hamm, Esq., Grand Bay; W. L. Brown, Esq., Browns Plains; and W. T. Sleep, Esq., Sea Dog Cove.

The secretary of the provincial commission, Donald Munro, Esq., was present at the organization and explained the objects and duties of the committee, which are principally to endeavor to secure employment for returned soldiers, of which there are at present about eighty in the province of New Brunswick. Of these only three are in the County of Kings.

The organization of this committee with His Worship Mayor Wallace as chairman and Alderman Adair as secretary and the representative selection of committeemen, all of whom are deeply interested in the movement to have returned soldiers provided with employment, is an assurance that the Kings county committee will do all in their power to further this good work.

PROVISIONAL APPOINTMENTS IN ACTIVE MILITIA

Canadian Garrison Artillery
3rd (New Brunswick) Regiment—To be provisional lieutenants (superannuated): Robert Keltie Jones, Jr., gentleman, 14th December, 1915.
Boris Watson Turnbull, gentleman, 15th December, 1915.

Cavalry
8th Princess Louise's New Brunswick Hussars—To be provisional lieutenants (superannuated): Albert Robert Edmund Humphrey, gentleman, 9th December, 1915.

Infantry
62nd Regiment (St. John Fusiliers). Provisional lieutenant (superannuated): R. E. L. Skelton, 24 for 14th December, 1915.
To be provisional lieutenants (superannuated): Ernest Audley March, gentleman, 15th November, 1915.
Guy Lanneston Short, gentleman, 10th December, 1915.
William Campbell McQuade, gentleman, 20th December, 1915.
Stephen Philip Gerow, gentleman, 22nd December, 1915.
James Willard Upham Dickson, gentleman, 28th December, 1915.

67th Regiment (Provisional Light Infantry)—To be provisional lieutenant (superannuated): Donald Ray McKendrick, gentleman, 20th November, 1915.

67th Regiment (Carleton Light Infantry)—To be provisional lieutenant (superannuated): William Allan McDougall, gentleman, 2nd November, 1915.

71st York Regiment—To be provisional lieutenant (superannuated): Russell Roderick Rutherford McLean, gentleman, 1st December, 1915.

72nd Regiment (Seaford Highlanders of Canada)—Provisional lieutenant (superannuated): R. T. Stewart is permitted to retire, 24th December, 1915.

73rd Northumberland Regiment—To be provisional lieutenants (superannuated): Stewart Smith McLean, gentleman, 1st December, 1915.
Francis John Lawlor, gentleman, 11th December, 1915.

Mount Allison University Contingent—To be provisional lieutenant (superannuated): Sergeant Ralph Uriel Phalen, 1st December, 1915.

OFFICER OF THE 104TH TAKES BRIDE

Special to The Standard.
St. Stephen, Feb. 1.—Lieut. James A. Inches, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Inches, and a popular young officer of the 104th Battalion stationed at Woodstock, came in on the noon train and went out on the evening train today, taking with him a bride, Miss Helen Louise Pierce, a charming daughter of the Methodist parson at Oak Bay. The ceremony was performed at the bride's home, her father, Rev. Thomas Pierce, being the officiating clergyman. Lieut. and Mrs. Inches proceeded from here to St. John and tomorrow will proceed to Woodstock where the groom will rejoin his battalion. The best wishes of a host of friends are extended to them.

WOMEN APPEAL TO MEN TO ANSWER THE EMPIRE'S CALL

Recruiting meeting last night under their auspices—Their earnest words secure two recruits—A splendid musical programme part of evening's rally.

ROLL OF HONOR.
James Murphy, St. John.
D. J. Roberts, Clarendon Sta.

The meeting last night at the recruiting rooms was under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club. Mrs. G. A. Kühring occupied the chair. D. A. Fox acted as pianist, and songs were sung by Miss Velda Panton, Miss Belle Amdur and S. H. Mayes.

The speakers were Mrs. R. A. Jameson, Mrs. James F. Robertson and Mrs. Kühring. Mrs. Jameson was the first speaker. She said: Some people said "any country right or wrong" but she did not think that was right. She referred to the fact that in the olden times the man who would not fight for his country was punished by losing his head, which at least kept him from repeating the offence. She said the wife or mother who sacrificed their loved ones was doing her bit in this great conflict and a great many of them were saying so and "God bless you."

She believed in the triumph of the Allies because their cause was just. She thought a great many people had not yet realized that this was a life and death struggle for the existence of liberty and justice.

Mrs. James F. Robertson, who was the next speaker, was asked only in the morning to speak but in spite of the short notice she delivered a very eloquent and instructive address. She considered first what would happen if Germany should win. Our men would become hewers of wood and drawers of water for them. They would take all the good positions and we would have to take what was left, to say little of their treatment of women. She closed by reading two poems "To the Call," and "Fall In."

Mrs. Kühring said the Empire was going to win but it would require every man. We could do the job if the men would do their duty now and not wait. There was no middle way. In this case every man must either be for the Empire or be against it. No man should hide behind the skirts of the women and wait for them to send him, he should go to them and say "I am going."

WESTMORLAND COUNTY LED PROVINCE

Corrected list shows total recruits for week 203, with 58 for Westmorland.

Owing to the fact that Moncton had not sent in full returns the report of recruiting in the province, as it appeared yesterday, is subject to correction. The corrected report shows Westmorland in the lead, St. John second and Carleton third. The return by counties is as follows:
St. John—St. John city, 24 for 115th; 1 for 140th; St. John west, 5 for 140th; 41; Restigouche—Campbellton, 9; Dalhousie, 2—11; Charlotte, 4; Carleton—11 for 140th; 9 for 115th, 1 for Army Service Corps—21; Westmorland—Moncton, for 165th 34, for 145th 29; Port Elgin for 145th 5—58; Northumberland, 11; Victoria, 11; Gloucester, 19; Kent, 2; Albert, nil; Kings, 2; Queens and Sunbury, 5; Madawaska—Edmundston, nil; St. Leonards, nil; York, 18. Total 203.

INSTRUCTIVE ADDRESS AT N.S. MUSEUM

William McIntosh speaks of "Our Common Wild Flowers"—New members and donations.

"Our Common Wild Flowers," was the subject of an instructive and pleasing address by William McIntosh in the audience room of the Natural History Society last night. A number of views thrown on a screen by the reflector lent additional interest to the address. W. F. Burditt presided, and there was a large attendance. The address was followed by a round table talk concerning matters suggested by the subject dealt with and the proceedings throughout were in every way enjoyable.

At the business meeting earlier in the evening the following new members were announced:
W. F. Jordan, Rev. Gilbert Earle, A. C. Skelton, Mrs. Skelton, Miss K. H. Brittain, Miss Edith Barnes, Miss Doris Barnes and Miss Evelyn Currie. The following donations for the museum were announced: Drawings of New Brunswick wild flowers prepared by Miss Morris, presented by J. D. Howe; silver from North America.

W. F. Barreclough Offers Services.
Of the thirty-seven fourth year students of the medical faculty of the University of Toronto, who have undertaken to go overseas next November, if qualified and the University make it possible for them to go, one is W. Ray Barreclough, son of Rev. W. H. Barreclough, who recently completed a lieutenant's course at the Royal Military College, Kingston, Ontario.

WELL MERITED ADVANCE FOR LOCAL SOLDIERS

Lieut. Ellis of 69th gets captaincy—Sergt. Peacock of 26th also steps up.

Lieut. William H. Ellis of the 69th Battalion has received a well deserved promotion to captain and given command of D Company and will probably be made company major. Lieut. Ellis was born in Quebec but has lately been living in Ottawa where he was in business for himself as a chartered accountant. Last fall he gave up his business and enlisted with the 69th. He went to Halifax and took the qualifying course for lieutenant which he passed with flying colors. Later he was sent to Halifax to take the captain's course and was one in four of the class of a class of thirty-five to pass. He has been in charge of No. 5 Platoon in B Company but took over his new command yesterday.

Lieut. Ellis, while he is an Englishman, has been given command of a French company as he can speak French as fluently as his native tongue.

The many friends of Sergt. W. H. Peacock, who left here with the 26th, will be glad to know that a letter recently received by a friend contained the news of his promotion to quarter master sergeant in the 12th Battalion. Sergt. Peacock is a son of E. S. Peacock of West Saint John and a brother of Corporal Reg. Peacock who was killed last October in the crater fight. Another brother, Ted, is still with the 26th in the trenches. Sergt. Peacock was wounded some time ago in the thigh while fighting with the 26th. In his letter he speaks of Private Garry Brown and B. Delaney of Dalhousie of the 26th, who had been wounded but were recovering nicely.

Will Go to Sussex.

The Travelling Platoon of the 104th Battalion which has been training in West St. John for some weeks past, will leave for Sussex today. A band will meet the soldiers on their arrival on the east side ferry boats and will play them to the depot at noon.

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Tobacco does not seem to affect all alike. Many men enjoy their smoke, live to a good old age, and apparently suffer no ill effects from the use of the weed.

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WILL GIVE PREFERENCE TO RETURNED SOLDIERS IN WAY OF EMPLOYMENT

Committee organized yesterday to look after this work in city.

At a meeting of citizens held in the Board of Trade rooms Monday afternoon the following were appointed as a local committee to assist in securing employment for returned soldiers: James G. Harrison, W. H. Thorne & Co., Ltd., T. E. G. Armstrong, M. R. A. Ltd., James Lewis, Wm. Lewis & Son, Walter Smith, Mgr. Portland Rolling Mills, J. Fraser Gregory, Murray & Gregory, Frank B. Ellis, Globe Publishing Co., R. G. Haley, Haley Bros. & Co., H. B. Cudlip, Cornwall Cotton Mills, A. L. Fester, S. Simms Co., Ltd., R. E. Armstrong, Secty. Board of Trade, W. G. Gunn, Canadian Consolidated Rubber Co., C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A., West St. John, H. M. Hopper, Gen. Mgr. St. John Street Railway, H. Russell Sturdee, James Pender & Co., Ltd., Hon. J. B. M. Boxter, Princess street, James L. Sugrue, 19 Richmond street, H. C. Rankine, 212 German street, Thomas Ball, president of the Provincial Returned Soldiers' Aid Commission, called the meeting to order and explained the necessity for the Citizens' Employment Committee. C. B. Lockhart, M. L. A., was elected chairman of the committee and Donald Munro, M. L. A. was elected secretary.

The matter of employment of returned soldiers was discussed and it was decided to have an advertisement in the papers appealing to employers of labor to give a preference to returned soldiers in all positions which they had to fill. It was also decided that the employers of labor be circulated in order to secure their cooperation.

A sub-committee from the Citizens' Recruiting Committee appeared before the committee and expressed very strongly that it was very important that energetic measures be taken to secure employment for returned soldiers and that a hearty response by employers of labor giving returned soldiers a preference would very materially improve and assist recruiting efforts in the city. The sub-committee were assured that every possible effort would be made by the employment committee to get positions for returned soldiers.

YESTERDAY WITH THE LOCAL SOLDIERS

115th
Yesterday was pay day for the 115th Battalion and the soldiers received about six hundred cheques being issued. If the boys in St. John want to go in what is going to be the crack New Brunswick regiment they had better hurry or they will be too late. The men made a fine appearance on the street, "B" Company in particular eliciting much favorable comment. Today will be spent in the usual routine work.

140th
The 140th spent yesterday in squad and company drill and the usual instruction classes.

69th
The 69th spent yesterday in trench work and musketry drill. Today A and B companies will spend the day on a route march, leaving at seven o'clock in the morning and returning at seven in the evening.

OBITUARY.

William A. Wallace.
Hopewell, Jan. 31.—The death of William A. Wallace, a prominent farmer of Hopewell Cape, occurred at his home today. Mr. Wallace was fifty years of age and just one week ago he went to his wood lot to cut some wood, was taken ill and returned to his home where he was seized with a hemorrhage of the brain and was unconscious until his death. He leaves a widow and eight children, one brother, two sisters, three half-brothers and one half-sister. He was born in New Ireland. The brother is John in the West; the sisters are Mrs. Bruce Day of Albert and Mrs. Malcolm McLean of St. John; the half-brothers are Patrick McLean of New Mills, and Philip and Dennis of Harvey; the half-sister is Miss Annie McLean of Rousesay. The funeral will be held on Wednesday at the Catholic church at Riverside at nine o'clock.

Mrs. R. Mackin.
The death took place at the Mater Misericordiae Home, Sydney street, yesterday morning, of Mrs. Rose Mackin, aged 89 years. She has no near relatives surviving and was formerly of Upper Loch Lomond.

Mrs. S. C. Skinner.
Yesterday the death of Mrs. Sarah E. Skinner, widow of W. H. Skinner, was announced. She was the daughter of the late Capt. Albert Betts, a well known citizen in his day. The deceased leaves one brother, Capt. Henry Betts, now at New York and formerly of Liverpool, and one sister, Mrs. George B. Hegan of 51 Hazen street, St. John. Messrs. A. O. and Fred Skinner are brothers-in-law of the deceased.

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The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulled coconut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

You can get mulled coconut oil at any pharmacy, it's very cheap, and a few ounces will supply every member of the family for months.

The deceased. The late Mr. Skinner conducted a grocery business at the Oak Hall corner on King street, before the fire of 1877.

J. Harold Foster.
The death of J. Harold Foster occurred on Sunday at his home at Sandy Point, Me. He was formerly of this city, the son of Annie E. and the late Andrew F. Foster of Dorchester, Mass. He leaves besides his wife and mother, one brother Frank, and one sister, Marion, both at home.

FUNERALS.

The funeral of Mrs. Jane Cameron took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her brother, C. E. Lowe, 197 Princess street. Services were conducted by the Rev. Hammond Johnson and interment was in Fernhill.

The funeral of John Hurley took place yesterday morning from his late residence, 9 Visart street to St. Peter's church for high mass of requiem, celebrated by Rev. Father O'Hare. The funeral was attended by many friends, and members of the painters' union, walked in a body. Many floral tributes were received including a wreath of roses and carnations from the painters' union, also a large bunch of pink and cream roses from the Power Boat Club, of which he was a member.

The funeral of Donald McIntosh took place yesterday afternoon from N. W. Brennan's undertaking rooms; services were conducted by Rev. W. E. Thompson. Interment was made in Fernhill.

WHY HAIR FALLS OUT

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loosen and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Dandruffine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.