

ARTILLERYMEN HELD A PLEASANT DINNER

Enjoyable Evening Spent by Members of No. 1 Battery, in Bond's - Col. Armstrong Guest of Honor.

A very enjoyable time was spent by the members of No. 1 Artillery, Third Regiment of Artillery, at the dinner in Bond's restaurant last evening.

Major W. H. Armstrong presided, and acted as toastmaster, in proposing the toast of the commanding officer of the regiment he referred to the fact that the regiment had been in existence for 123 years, and that Col. Armstrong was the only commanding officer of an artillery regiment in Canada who had seen active service, having been wounded in defence of the Empire in the war in South Africa.

Col. Armstrong, in responding, said he had joined No. 1 company as a bugler quite a number of years ago, and told a number of capital stories founded on incidents that came under his observation during his connection with the company.

Other speakers during the evening were Captain Adjutant Harrison, Lt. McKay, Lt. S. K. McDonald, Sergeant Whitehouse, Quartermaster Sgt. Maj. Cox of the permanent force, Sgt. Dean of the Royal Canadian Dragoons. One of the guests of the evening was Mr. Owens, the oldest member of the militia in St. John.

During the evening an interesting programme was carried out, consisting of a piano solo by Ray Nobles, a tenor solo by Irving Sandell, vocal selections by a male quartet consisting of Messrs. Cox, Sandell, Irvine and Nobles; a comic song by T. Stack; a piano solo by R. Bond; a song by Mr. Kirby; a baritone solo by Ralph Nobles; a juggling exhibition by Mr. Cromwell; a song by T. Stack; solo by Sgt. Maj. Cox; a song by Mr. Kirby; a tenor solo by P. Irvine.

The proceedings were brought to a close by singing God Save the King. The committee in charge of the arrangements consisted of Sgt. A. Ellis and Corporal E. F. Evans, and they deserve credit for the success of the affair.

Doctor Said He Had Diabetes

Dodd's Kidney Pills Cleared Out Every Trace of It

That's Why Mr. David Heon, of Nicolet Co., Quebec, is Recommending the Great Canadian Kidney Remedy To His Neighbors.

St. Wenceslas, Nicolet Co., Que., May 19 (Special).—I started to take Dodd's Kidney Pills because the doctor told me I was threatened with diabetes. After taking ten boxes I was again examined by the doctor, and he told me that all trace of diabetes had disappeared.

This is the statement of Mr. David Heon, a well known and highly respected resident here, and he is only one of many in this neighborhood who have found a new lease of life in the great Canadian Kidney remedy.

It is curious that as this that have given Dodd's Kidney Pills their reputation. They are now known from the Atlantic to the Pacific as the remedy that never fails to cure kidney disease, no matter where or in what form it is found.

Dodd's Kidney Pills are no cure-all. They simply cure diseased kidneys. The reason they cure backaches, dropsy, rheumatism, neuritis, diabetes, urinary troubles, and Bright's disease is that all of these are either diseases of the kidneys or are caused by disordered kidneys failing to do their work.

CHEAP FARES FOR VICTORIA DAY

For Victoria Day, May 24th, the usual holiday excursion fares will prevail over the Intercolonial Railway. Round trip tickets at first class one way fare for the round trip will be sold on May 23rd and 24th good for return until May 27th between all stations on the line and to points on connecting lines.

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A. L. LAW RECIPIENT OF FAREWELL GIFT

Presented with Address and Cane by Macaulay Bros. Staff—Has been Appointed to Customs House.

An interesting event occurred at Macaulay Bros. & Co's store last evening, after closing hour, when the dinner in Bond's restaurant last evening.

Mr. Law is severing his connection with Macaulay Bros. to take up the duties of Deputy Collector of Inland Revenue. The appointment seems to be most popular with the people on both sides of politics.

The address was as follows: St. John, N. B., May 19. Alexander L. Law.—

Dear Sir: We, your fellow employees, before your departure from our midst, desire to express to you our appreciation of the many good qualities which you have manifested during your seventeen years of service with the firm of Macaulay Bros. and Company.

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Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. Frink and Miss Frink Home from Boston - Entertained by Several Prominent Clubs.

Mrs. E. A. Smith, Mrs. J. H. Frink and Miss Frink returned to the city yesterday morning from Boston, where they were the guests of honor at the reception and banquet given by the Women's Canadian Club of Boston on Wednesday evening last.

While in Boston the St. John ladies were also the guests of the Boston Professional Women's Club and the Authors Club. The entertainment provided by the Boston Professional Women's Club was a breakfast of three hundred, and represents seventeen professions.

On Saturday afternoon last they were also the guests of the Authors Club at a reception at the residence of ex-Governor Long, at Hingham, Mass. The ladies were also the guests of the Boston Literary world were present and the function proved most enjoyable.

Besides attending several other functions given in their honor, and being forced, owing to the press of time, to refuse many invitations, the St. John ladies managed to visit all the historic places about Boston. The Women's Canadian Club made an effort to make their visit enjoyable.

Several cases heard in court yesterday

In the police court yesterday afternoon John Laracy, Robert Campbell and David Ryan of the West End, were charged under the Vagrancy Act, by Sergeant Finley with having obstructed the sidewalk on the corner of Union street and Rodney wharf last Saturday morning between eleven and twelve o'clock.

The defendants gave evidence that they had not been standing on the sidewalk very long for assault.

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Troubled with kidneys could not sweep floor. It is hard for a woman to look after her household duties when she is suffering from a weak and aching back, for no woman can be strong and well when the kidneys are out of order.

Whatever may be said of "fall," the lexicons of a coroner's jury in Michigan certainly contain the word "fallure," as witness this finding: "We, the jury, find that the deceased came to his death from heart failure, superinduced by business failure, which was caused by speculation failure, which was the result of failure to see far enough ahead."

TOWN MAN TO NORMAL SCHOOL ANNEX

Contract Awarded to J. Fred Ryan, the Lowest Tenderer—Will Give Increased Accommodation.

Special to The Standard, Fredericton, N. B., May 19.—Hon. John Morrissey, Minister of Public Works, who arrived today from Newcastle, this afternoon awarded the contract for the annex to the Provincial Normal School to J. Fred Ryan of this city. The contract price is about \$45,000.

The Normal School extension will comprise a main building 100x77 feet with an annex 20x10 feet, both two stories high with a basement.

The main building will stand directly in the rear of the present Normal School and will contain on the ground floor a hall for physical drill 40x80 ft., two large rooms for manual training (carpentry) with lumber room, office and exhibition room.

On the second floor will be four large class rooms, a chemical laboratory, a rest room for the lady teachers and a private room for the principal. In the basement will be the heaters and fuel supply, a blacksmith shop and a room for use in connection with the work of the school gardens.

The annex contains the passage connecting the new building with the present structure, and of this passage will be placed the toilet ranges for the entire building.

The foundations and basement walls will be of cement, with hollow brick walls above. The roof will be flat, laid on a bed of gravel, with a narrow slope and overhanging cornice all round covered with galvanized iron.

The design of the present building is to a certain extent repeated in the features of the annex, but it has been altered in many particulars. The window surface in connection with the class rooms, etc., than could have been provided by a continuation of the design of the present building.

The main part of the extension will not attempt to adopt the old lines but has been designed as an independent unit.

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PREMIER BORDEN RECEIVES GREAT WELCOME AT TORONTO; 10,000 PEOPLE AT MEETING

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Laurier's Separatist Policy. "One of the prominent Nationalists in the House of Commons, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, in the course of moving the sixth motion, Sir Wilfrid won by a neck, but the Nationalist immediately arose and said that he seconded the motion. Two souls with but a single thought, two hearts that beat as one," he paraphrased.

It is needless to suffer any longer with rheumatism, and be crippled up, and bent out of shape with its heart-wrenching pains, when you can surely avoid it.

AMHERST LAD STRUCK BY CAR; LIKELY TO DIE

Amherst, N. S., May 19.—A serious accident occurred at noon today, only a short distance from the railroad crossing on Victoria street, in which Frank, the four-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Teddy Gaudet, Electric street, was the victim, and the injuries that the tiny lad received will probably prove fatal.

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Boost Your Saturday Trade and increase business all the time, with a KRISTY SILBERT SALESMAN, the handsome, modern case that will show your goods at their best, creating the desire to buy.

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We have on hand and in transit a few cars of Choice Banner and Other Varieties

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Marine Disasters - Steward Jumps to Death - Steamers Load Wheat - Bark Wrecked - Dangers to Navigation.

TAKES CHARGE OF BARK.

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