Citizens of St. John Declare Themselves In Rousing Patriotic Demonstration

Immense Crowds Gather in King Square For Open-Air Meetings on Occasion of Second War Anniversary—Messages From Commanders of Army and Navy

Saturday, Rug. 5

To the Chairman of the Patriotic Meeting, St. John:

The second anniversary of the war finds the British army, which is composed of units from all parts of the empire, acting on the offensive. The great army of working men and women at home and overseas have contributed very greatly to the results. Their continued hard work and their decision to take no general holidays until our objectives are obtained will certainly decisively affect the issues of the war in the coming year of struggle. Two years of desperate warfare in the trenches have still further increased the feeling of comradeship which binds us to our Allies and makes us still more inflexible in our determination to carry through to victory this war, which is none of our making. We look forward with confidence to successful and triumphant peace.

DOUGLAS HAIG.

FROM OUR FLEET COMMANDER.

To the Chairman of the Patriotic Meeting, St. John:

The second anniversary of the commencement of war finds the British Empire full of confidence in the final result. This confidence is due to the fact that the cause in which we are fighting is just, also the knowledge we possess of fighting qualities as displayed by the forces of the Mother Country and the Empire beyond the seas, equally with those of our gallant Allies.

JELLICO.

Seldom have the citizens of St. John demonstrated their whole-hearted interest in the cause of the allied nations or shown more clearly the true and stolid patriotism with which they are imbued, than they did yesterday afternoon and last night by gathering at King Square to celebrate the second anniversary of Britain's declaration of war in defence of the principles of democracy, and to reaffirm their inflexible determination to fight to the end.

Both gatherings were tremendous in size, and enthusiasm was ever ready to burst into applause at the utterance of inspiring words. When in the evening the foregoing cablegrams from Sir John Jellico and Sir Douglas Haig were read, the crowd cheered enthusiastically and when Mayor Hayes informed the people that he would reply and tell Sir John and Sir Douglas the undying zeal of the people of St. John, they gave vent to a magnificent demonstration, which spoke their feelings louder than any words could have done.

The speakers of the day, Lieut.-Col. P. A. Guthrie, Rev. Miles P. Howland, Judge McKeown and Captain (Rev. Dr.) Campbell, delivered splendid addresses, all of a stirring nature and all presenting an irresistible appeal to the eligible men, perhaps without expressing it in straight-forword words.

The stand erected in front of the bandstand was decorated with the Union Jack and flags of the allied nations. In the afternoon the Temple of Honor Band rendered a splendid programme and in the evening the City Cornet Band performed.

While the crowds were assembled a collection was taken up under the auspices of the various chapters of the Daughters of the Empire, assisted by the Young Ladies' Patriotic League, all to be devoted to the patriotic fund. In the afternoon $212.16 was contributed and in the evening the amount was increased to $362.80, and one man donated a monthly subscription of $1.

Although the day was not observed here as a public holiday, as it was at some places, many of the larger establishments closed their places of business for an hour or two during the afternoon demonstration. Flags were flown in all parts of the city and citizens generally contributed to the affair.

The gathering in the evening was much larger than in the afternoon. Every aisle of the square was packed, as was the whole section within radius of the speakers' voices. The City Cornet Band began its concert at 8 o'clock and rendered several splendid patriotic selections ere the main portion of the programme was launched, about 8.30 o'clock.

The mayor presided and Sheriff Wilson was the only one on the platform besides the speakers. The mayor in opening the meeting read the two cablegrams, one from Sir John Jellico and the other from Sir Douglas Haig, which brought forth great applause.

For Returned Soldiers.

More than 100 of St. John's patriotic workers gathered at the Soldiers' Club yesterday afternoon after the exercises in King square for a reception and tea given to returned officers and soldiers. Although the affair was distinctly for those who have done their bit at the front, it brought together several score of St. John people, making it a decided success as a social gathering.

In the large parlor on the right of the entrance Chief Justice McLeod, Senator Thorne, Mayor Hayes, Lieut.-Col. Guthrie, W. E. Earle, George Henderson and M. E. Agar, in line, received the soldiers and extended to them a welcome on behalf of the Canadian Women's Club, under the auspices of which the reception was held.

Miss Grace Lovett and Mrs. Frederick Foster were in charge of the change tables at the entrance to the main tea room on the right, and at the improvised dining room for the officers and soldiers at the rear of the main corridor. Mrs. Stewart Skinner, Mrs. Herbert Mayes, Mrs. Richard O'Brien and Mrs. Hunter White poured, and were assisted in the serving by the Misses Grace Kuhring, Vivian Freeze, Louise Holly, Blanche Beattey, Marion Moore, Val and Norma Fenton, Lyde Brown, Nan Powers, Louise Topping, Jennie Munroe and Mrs. Robert Melrose. Mrs. T. E. Powers and Mrs. F. E. Holman were in charge of the ice cream, and a general committee of Mrs. H. A. Powell, Mrs. C. B. Allan, Mrs. Frederick Fisher, Mrs. J. U. Thomas, Mrs. Lewis Barker and Mrs. W. I. Fenton devoted themselves to looking after the wants of the soldier guests.

At a few small tables in the dining room lads in khaki were the centre of attraction while enjoying the long list of delicacies that goes to make an afternoon tea all that could be asked. The boys at the tables were Pte. G. E. Curran, of the Signal Corps; Pte. E. J. Pruddy, of the C. F. S.; Pte. W. J. Cohoolan, of the 3rd Batt.; Pte. "Bud" Tibbets, Pte. Garfield Brown, of the 26th; J. G. Dryden, of the 1st Contingent; Pte. Leslie Singer, of the 26th; W. Coughlan, of the 1st Contingent; Pte. W. J. Thompson, of the M. H. A.; Sergt. F. I. Hyatt, of the 55th; Pte. A. Andrews, of the 26th; J. E. Bond, of the 6th C. M. R.; Pte. J. R. North, of the 26th; Sergt. McMullin, of the 6th; Pte. P. C. Beckingham, of the 1st Artillery; Pte. E. Derrick, of the Artillery; Pte. F. H. Lodge, of the 14th R. M. C.; Pte. J. Beckwith, of the 14th; Pte. G. W. Parlee, of the 6th C. M.; Pte. J. W. Nelson, of the 6th; Pte. W. C. Hayes, of the 70th Reserves; Pte. J. J. Donohue, of the 14th, and Pte. Gordon Nuttall, of the Signal Corps.

The officers who were present were: Major Laurie, Capt. F. F. May, Lieut.-Col. P. A. Guthrie, Lieut.-Col. G. W. Anglin and Lieut. Anglin, of the Siege Battery. After tea had been served to nearly all those present, Mrs. G. A. Kuhring, president of the Canadian Women's Club, asked Hon. J. D. Hazen to make a few informal remarks to the soldiers.

Other speakers were:—Sergeant Hyatt, Col. Anglin, and Charles H. McIntyre of Boston, president of the Canadian Club of Boston, and secretary of the British Relief Fund of New England.

OBITUARY

J. Fitzpatrick.

St. George, Aug. 8—The death of J. Fitzpatrick at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Murphy, on Tuesday afternoon, was a shock to the community. Mr. Fitzpatrick returned on Monday from Red Beach, where he had been visiting at the home of another daughter, Mrs. George Agnew. He had been in failing health for the past six months, suffering from heart failure but death came suddenly and unexpectedly.

Mr. Fitzpatrick was 70 years of age, born at Chatham (N. B.), going to Calais when a young man. He was a charter member of the A. O. H. in the border town and well known throughout Maine and New Brunswick. For many years he was collector at the Calais end of the old toll bridge and became a member of the Calais police force on the building of the new bridge. Genial and of a kindly disposition he made many friends who will hear of his death with regret. Four daughters, Mrs. George Agnew, Mrs. Ralph Agnew, Mrs. Frank Murphy and Miss Kate and two sons are left to mourn a kind and loving father.

Funeral services were held in St. George's Catholic church, Rev. Father Holland officiating. From the church the body was taken on the N. B. Southern to Calais, where interment took place. The pall-bearers were, James O'Neill, Levi Goodiel, John Hartt, Caleb Hennessey, Patrick McLaughlin and Geo. E. Frauley.

Alfred W. Briggs.

The death occurred at Eau Claire, Wisconsin, on Thursday, June 15, of Alfred W. Briggs, formerly of Lake Stream, Kent county, at the age of fifty-six years. He was a son of the late Stephen and Amanda Briggs.

He is survived by his wife and two daughters, also three brothers and five sisters. They are Charles, of Stellarton (N. S.); George, of Chipman; Samuel, of Carman (Man.), and Mrs. Samuel Girvan, of Coal Branch (N. B.) Mrs. Andrew Stewart and Mrs. Price Mallory, of Carman (Man.), and Mrs. A. M. McLean and Mrs. Isaac Baird, of Chipman.

Mrs. Thomas Hammond.

Hammond, Ind., Aug. 8—Mrs. Thomas Hammond, widow of the founder of this city, and reputed to be one of the wealthiest women in Indiana, died here today. She was seventy years of age.

Mrs. Eliza Q. Anderson.

Saturday, Rug. 5

Mrs. Eliza Q. Anderson, widow of John M. Anderson, died yesterday morning at her residence in Mecklenburg street. Mrs. Anderson, a life-long and highly esteemed resident of St. John, was a daughter of the late W. H. A. Keans, a native of the Isle of Wight, who in his day was a very prominent man in municipal, Masonic and political affairs. She had not been in good health for some years, but was not seriously ill until some months ago. Mrs. Anderson is survived by one daughter, Mrs. H. P. Hayward, and one son, G. F. A. Anderson, of the Simms Company.

Mrs. Frank J. Lynch.

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Many friends will learn with the deepest regret of the death of Mrs. Frank J. Lynch, which occurred last night at the St. John Infirmary after a brief illness. Last week she was seized with an attack which upon examination proved to be appendicitis. It was believed that her condition was improving during the last few days but a relapse set in last night and she passed away about 11 o'clock.

She leaves besides her husband, three small children. She was a daughter of the late John Warnock and Mrs. Warnock, of Arnpior (Ont.), and she leaves her mother, one brother, Rev. Joseph Warnock, of Maynooth (Ont.), and three sisters, who also reside there.

Mrs. Mary Dooley.

Saturday, Rug. 5

Many will learn with regret of the death of Mrs. Mary Dooley, wife of the late Richard Dooley, who was killed while digging a trench for the water works department on the west side, eleven years ago. Mrs. Dooley is survived by three daughters, Mrs. B. Yarde, Mrs. William Seymour and Miss Louise, all of this city; two sons, William and Gordon, both of this city, and one sister, Mrs. Frank Haley, of West St. John.

George Little.

Woodstock, Aug. 4—George Little, senior member of the firm of Burpee & Little, died at the Fisher Hospital this evening, after an operation for appendicitis. In his death the town loses from its ranks a young and promising business man and one the town can ill afford to lose. His passing is particularly sad and an occasion of deep regret throughout the community and parts of the country where he was well and favorably known. His family lived in Waweig, Charlotte county, and his mother, brother and sister were with him at the time of his death.

Mr. Little was one of the proprietors of the Sanitary Dairy, and the business only established a few months ago had already become one of the town's important industrial concerns. He was of an energetic nature, and a factor in the success of his business venture. He is about 34 years of age. Interment will be at his old home. The body, accompanied by his sorrowing relatives who were with him at the last, is going by an early train tomorrow.

Mrs. Thomas McWilliam.

Rexton, N. B., Aug. 5—Mrs. Thomas McWilliam, a well known and highly respected lady of Ford's Mills, passed away at her home there Wednesday evening after a long illness of paralysis. Mrs. McWilliam was a daughter of the late Terrance Curran, of West Branch, and was born there seventy-four years ago. She is survived by her husband, eight sons and two daughters. A. J. Curran, of Moncton, and Frank Curran, of Richibucto, are her brothers. Mrs. William Lennox, of this town; Mrs. William Murray, of Moncton, and Miss Elizabeth Curran are sitsers of deceased. The funeral will take place this afternoon at 2 o'clock.

G. B. Fowler.

Gr. B. Fowler, C. P. R. telegraph operator and Dominion Express Co. agent, Dorchester, died Friday, aged 59 years. In former years he had served the I. C. R. as station agent at Dorchester. He conducted a fruit and confectionary business in addition to his other duties. The deceased, who was unmarried, for a number of years was town clerk, and very little is known of his relatives.

George Little.

George Little, senior member of the firm of Burpee & Little, died at the Fisher Hospital, Woodstock, Friday, after an operation for appendicitis, aged 34 years. His family lived in Waweig, Charlotte county, and his mother, brother and sister were with him at the time of his death. Mr. Little was one of the proprietors of the Sanitary Dairy.

Fred Mitton.

Salisbury, N. B., Aug. 5—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Mitton was saddened this week when they received official notice of the death from appendicitis at Valcartier of their eighteen-year-old grandson, Fred Mitton, who joined the 145th Battalion a few months ago. The body will arrive here this afternoon under military escort and the burial will take place this afternoon at the Five Points cemetery. On Sunday evening, Aug. 12, a memorial service will be held at the Five Points church, of which Rev. N. A. MacNeill is pastor.

Dorothea D. Logan.

Monday, Aug. 7.

After a brief illness at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wellington B. Logan, 98 Chesley street, Dorothea D. Logan, aged six years and four months, died yesterday afternoon, leaving besides her parents, four brothers and four sisters. The eldest brother, Walter Logan, is with the first contingent in France. The family have the sympathy of a large circle of friends. Funeral services will be held at 2.30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon from the residence. Friends and relatives are invited.

Rev. Charles B. Lewis.

Monday, Aug. 7.

Word was received in St. John yesterday afternoon of the death in Queenstown of Rev. Charles Bamford Lewis, a well known and retired Baptist clergyman. Mr. Lewis, who was 68 years of age, was the youngest son of the late Abram and Mary Lewis. He was born in Moncton. For many years he occupied pulpits in Queenstown, Wickham and at other points in Kings county. He is survived by his wife, three daughters—Mrs. David Barnes, Miss Elsie Lewis, of Tewksbury (Mass.), and Miss Belle Lewis, of St. John. The funeral will be held at McDonald's Point Tuesday on the arrival of the steamer Empress.

Jeremiah E. Fitzpatrick.

Jeremiah E. Fitzpatrick died Tuesday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Frank Murphy, at St. George (N. B.) Mr. Fitzpatrick was undergoing treatment at the Chipman hospital for some time, but had apparently recovered and paid a visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George Agnew, at Red Beach. On Monday, July 31, he went to St. George, and on Tuesday he was suddenly stricken and passed away. He was a member of the Calais board of aldermen in 1891 and 1892. He is survived by two sons, Thomas and Noah, and by three daughters, Mrs. George Agnew, of Red Beach; Mrs. Frank Murphy, of St. George, and Mrs. Ralph Agnew, of Lubec. His remains were taken to Calais on Thursday for interment.

James W. Coy.

James W. Coy, an aged resident of Upper Gagetown, who had lived alone for some years, was found dead at his home on Friday morning by two neighbors, Henry Estabrooks and Charles Cooper. Mr. Coy had not been seen about for two or three days and his friends began to feel anxious. Mr. Estabrooks and Mr. Cooper went to the house and found him lying in the porch of his house partly dressed in his best clothes as if intending to go away. From the appearance of the body he was thought to have been dead about two days and the cause of his death was heart failure. Mr. Coy had reached the age of eighty-two years and was well known in various parts of the province, having been an insurance agent for many years, representing the London, Liverpool and Globe. His wife died twenty-five years ago and he is survived by one son, David, who lives in Ontario. Last autumn his son paid Mr. Coy a visit and took him home to stay with him but when spring came Mr. Coy felt that he wanted to see his old home in Upper Gagetown once more and returned to Upper Gagetown to end his days.

Interment was made on Friday afternoon in the Baptist cemetery in Upper Gagetown, the services being conducted by the Rev. W. Gray, pastor of the Baptist church.

Capt. G. A. Johnson.

The death of Capt. George A. Johnson occurred Sunday morning, July 23, at his home on Grand Manan. He was fifty-five years of age, and was an active member in the Mason and the Knights of Pythias lodges. Besides his wife, he is survived by his father two sons, Vernon and Willard, of Grand Manan, and one daughter, Mrs. S. Lambert, of California.

Josephine Woodland Sterling.

Miss Josephine Woodland Sterling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Sterling, of 188 St. James street, West St. John, died at the General Public Hospital on Saturday. She was in her thirteenth year, and is survived by her parents, two brothers, J. K. Sterling, on active service in France, and Edward A. Sterling, and one sister, Miss Minnie Sterling.

William Tomilson.

The death occurred at Tay Settlement, July 30, of William Tomilson, aged seventy-seven years. He is survived by a widow, two sons and four daughters—James, of New Westminster; Mrs. Mary Ashfield, Royal Road West; Mrs. Mattie Pinney, Somerville, Mass.; Mrs. Jennie Maconnell, Boston, Mass.; Archie at home; Mrs. Alice Tomilson, Tay Settlement; and one sister, Mrs. Lavina Tomilson, of the same place. The deceased was postmaster of Tay Settlement for forty-eight years.

Harold Williams.

Fredericton, Aug. 6—Harold Williams, son of Wynott Williams, of Royal Road, passed away Saturday at noon in Victoria Private Hospital, he was aged 15 years. Death was due to rheumatic fever. The funeral took place today with interment at the Pickard burying ground, Douglas.

Mrs. Samuel Baird.

Mrs. Samuel Baird, aged 85, died Saturday evening at her home in Chipman after an illness of three weeks. She leaves her husband, two brothers, Isaac and William Snodgrass; two sisters, Miss Mary Anna and Mrs. James McLean, all of Young's Cove, and the following children: Robert S., of Salmon Creek; Thomas, of Montana; Isaac and Mary, on the homestead; Rev. Frank, of St. Paul's Presbyterian church, Woodstock; Edward, of Boston; Mrs. Margaret Jones, wife of the chancellor of the University of New Brunswick. Mrs. Baird was highly esteemed in the community, and her death is regretted by a large number of friends. The funeral will be held at the Presbyterian church today with Rev. E. E. Mowatt officiating.

David A. McLeod.

Monday, Aug. 7.

David A. McLeod, a well known insurance man, died yesterday at his home, 88 Wall street, after an illness of several months, which, however, only confined him to his bed for two weeks. He was sixty-six years of age. He leaves besides his wife, one brother, G. H. McLeod, of Edmonton; and three sisters, Mrs. A. F. McLaren, of Toronto; Mrs. M. D. McLennan of Montreal, and the wife of Judge R. H. Myers, of Winnipeg.

WEDDINGS

Hardwick-Pickup.

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at Granville Ferry (N. S.), on Wednesday, Aug. 2, when Helen L. Pickup, the second daughter of Hon. S. W. W. Pickup, was married to Richard H. Hardwick, of the 85th Battalion, only the immediate relatives being present.

Mr. Hardwick is a son of Andrew Hardwick, postmaster of Annapolis Royal, and before enlisting was manager of the Royal Bank of Canada at Weymouth (N. S.)

The bride looked very charming in a wedding gown of white embroidered net over white silk. Her traveling dress was sapphire blue silk with a hat of leghorn trimmed with black velvet. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mr. Indoe. After the wedding breakfast, which was prettily served on small tables on the verandah, Mr. and Mrs. Hardwick left by automobile for Kentville (N. S.) The unavoidable absence of the bride's brothers was much regretted, Samuel Pickup, jr., of the Royal Bank of Canada, being in Victoria (B. C.); Capt. William A. Pickup, C. A. M. C., on duty in Hellingdon House Hospital, England, and Lieut. Walter W. Pickup, in a hospital in England.

Mrs. Hardwick will be very much missed at Granville as she had always identified herself with the work of the Methodist church and lent a helping hand to everything for mutual improvement in the village. The young pair will be followed by the good wishes of very many friends for their future happiness.

LeDrew-Hannah.

A quiet wedding took place on August 3, at the home of the bride's parents, 78 Elliott row, when Ethel Graham, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. G. O. Hannah, was united in marriage with Henry Herbert LeDrew, lecturer in political economy at the O. A. C., Guelph (Ont.) The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. A. MacKeigan, B.A., pastor of St. David's church, in the presence of immediate relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. LeDrew left by the evening train for Quebec and other Canadian cities. They will make their home in Guelph (Ont.)

McMullin-Campbell.

A very pretty wedding took place at St. Mary's church, Bangor, Tuesday morning at 7 o'clock when Felix McMullin and Miss Mary Campbell of St. John, N.B., were united in marriage at a nuptial mass solemnized by Rev. Henry McGill. The bride was charming in a traveling suit of Copenhagen blue with picture hat to match. She was attended by her sister, Miss Nellie Campbell, who was gowned in a blue silk suit and blue hat. Irving N. Kelley served as groomsman.

After the ceremony a wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's aunt, Mrs. Joseph Kelley, after which Mr. and Mrs. McMullin left on their wedding tour. The groom's present to the bridesmaid was a sunburst of pearls and gold cuff links to the groomsman. The out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. A. McMullin, Mrs. D. J. Gillespie and children, and Miss Nellie Campbell, all of St. John, N.B.

Carnegie-Chamberlain.

London, Aug. 3—Mrs. Joseph Chamberlain, widow of the late British statesman, and the Rev. William Hartley Carnegie, rector of St. Margarets, and Canon of Westminster, were married at Westminster Abbey at eight o'clock this morning. The ceremony was very simple, and quiet. Mrs. Chamberlain before her first marriage was Miss Mary Endicott, of Massachusetts, daughter of the late William C. Endicott, secretary of war in President Cleveland's cabinet. She married Joseph Chamberlain when he was colonial secretary under the late Marquis of Salisbury.

Burnham-Russell.

Salisbury, N. B., Aug. 3—A pretty house wedding was solemnized on Wednesday evening, Aug. 2, at the home of James Russell, when his daughter, Flora Mary Russell, became the bride of Harry Scott Burnham, second son of Valentine Burnham, all of Salisbury. Only the immediate relatives of the bride and groom were present. The marriage service was performed by Rev. Norman A. MacNeill, pastor of the Salisbury United Baptist church. After the marriage and the usual round of good wishes, and congratulations a tempting collation was served. Mr. and Mrs. Burnham will reside at the Burnham homestead, a pretty spot south of the Petitcodiac river, and near the bride's former home. The bride and groom are among our most popular young people and will have the hearty good wishes of many friends for their future happiness and prosperity.

Macaulay-Rowe.

A pretty wedding took place in St. Paul's Episcopal church in Charlottetown, P.E.I., on Saturday, July 29, when Rev. T. W. Murphy united in marriage Harry Donald Macaulay, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Macaulay of West St. John, and Miss Olive E. Loise, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rowe of Charlottetown. The popular young people were the recipients of a large number of beautiful presents, among which were a handsome silver tea service from the employes in the public works department of which Mr. Macaulay is an assistant engineer; a mahogany tray from the Norton Griffiths Company, a silver percolator with tray to match from Horace Longley, engineer of the Norton Griffiths Company, and a silver card receiver from Prof. William Moran, of the Union Commercial College in Charlottetown, of which Mrs. Macaulay was a pupil.

Jamieson-Dodge

The marriage of Miss Alice Gertrude Dodge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Dodge, of Moncton, and George W. Jamieson, took place Thursday. The ceremony was performed at the family residence, by Rev. Canon Sisam, rector of St. George's church.

Walters-Lockhart

On July 26, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Lockhart, Brookfield, N. S., their eldest daughter, Annie Laura, was united in marriage to Everett B. Walters, of Sussex, the Rev. L. W. Parker officiating.

Spinney-Ramsay.

(Montreal Gazette.)

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ramsay, St. Lambert, was the scene of a pretty wedding on Wednesday evening, when their only daughter, Miss Martha Ramsay, was married to George W. Spinney, of Montreal, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. George N. Spinney, of Yarmouth (N. S.) The rooms were decorated with pink and white carnations. The Rev. Mr. Munro, of St. Cuthbert's church, performed the ceremony, and Miss Bulling played the wedding music. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a costume of navy blue taffeta, and a hat of pink crepe de chine, her flowers being a corsage bouquet of white roses and lilies of the valley. Miss Marion Dart, as bridesmaid, was in a white frock and pink crepe de chine hat, and carried a shower bouquet of pink carnations. Stuart Ramsay, brother of the bride, was best man. Mrs. Ramsay, the bride's mother, wore grey silk, with touches of old rose, and a corsage bouquet of pink roses. Following an informal reception Mr. and Mrs. Spinney left for a two weeks' trip to Yarmouth before taking up their residence in St. Lambert.

Burnham-Russell.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Russell, who came out from England with their family a few years ago, and now occupy what is known as the Derry farm, near Salisbury, on Wednesday evening, August 2, their daughter, Flora Mary Russell, was united in marriage with Harry Scott Burnham, a prosperous young farmer whose lands adjoin those of his father-in-law. Mr. Burnham is the second son of Valentine Burnham, who for many years conducted a grocery business in Salisbury.

Weston-Milner

At St. Anne's church, Sackville, on Wednesday, Rev. Dr. Wiggins officiated at the marriage of Miss Hattie Milner of Westcock, to Samuel Weston of Oak Point. They left for Oak Point, where Mr. Weston is resident engineer.

Stewart-Lumley

At Holy Trinity church, Yorkton, Sask., July 11, the wedding took place of Alice Maud, daughter of Mrs. Wm. Farrell and the late John Lumley, of Newcastle-on-Tyne, England, to Robert E. Stewart, formerly of Moncton, N.B., and brother of C. A. Stewart, engineer of the Canadian government railways.

BOIESTOWN GIRL IS KILLED BY MOTOR CAR.

Fredericton, N. B., August 7—(Special)—The eight-year-old daughter of Mrs. Charles Nelson, proprietor of the McMillan House of Boiestown, was run over and killed last night by an automobile, driven by Robert Rice of that place. Mr. Rice saw the child crossing the road in front of the car and made a frantic effort to avoid her by steering for the sidewalk, but to no purpose. The victim of the accident was carried into her home and died in a short time. She has two brothers serving overseas.

Police on Saturday afternoon raided Victoria hotel kept by ex-Policeman William Saunders and seized $5 worth of liquor.

It seems that the girl and a boy, named James MacMillan, were crossing the street in front of the car on their way to church. The car, which contained four persons, besides the driver, struck the girl, cutting her in two and crushing her skull. Death was almost instantaneous. Dr. Wier of Doaktown will hold an inquest.

GOOSE EGGS FROM 4 COUNTIES IN LAST WEEK'S RECRUITING

St. John Led Province But Only 29 Men From City Were for Overseas Service

Good Rally for Colored Men Wednesday Evening for Purpose of Filling Up St. John's Quota for No. 2 Construction Battalion—Forty Men Still Required for No. 9 Siege Battery.

St. John county led again in the recruiting last week and Westmorland county, which for months flourished as a recruiting centre, has fallen ignominiously, there being nothing but a cipher affixed to this section in the official weekly returns.

Four recruits were signed on here yesterday for overseas service, and two for the 62nd detachment. They are as follows:

MORRISON JOLLYMORE, St. Margaret's Bay—237th.
SAMUEL PARSONS, Newfoundland—237th.
JAMES ABRAM, England—9th Siege Battery.
One other, name not mentioned—9th Siege Battery.
ARTHUR HOWE, St. John—62nd detachment.
CHARLES E. MASTON, Young's Cove (N. S.)—62nd detachment.

The 9th Siege Battery is securing a splendid class of men and much satisfaction is being expressed on this account. In the vicinity of forty more men are needed. All who are anticipating closing up with the heavy battery should do so at once, for later they may be excluded.

Colored Regiment.

Lieutenant R. R. McLean, of the Colored Regiment, last night interviewed several of the colored people of the city and as a result a grand rally of the colored population of the city has been arranged for Wednesday night, and if possible St. James hall will be secured for the purpose. The St. John Brass Band (colored) will attend and lend every assistance to the recruiting effort.

Lieutenant McLean signed on two men yesterday for his unit and he is in high hopes of getting many more at the smoker on Wednesday. The colored people seem to be intensely interested.

For Ontario.

Recruiting for No. 2 Construction Battalion throughout the province of Ontario will be in charge of Captain W. A. McConnell, 448 Indian road, Toronto. Mr. McConnell is a former student of Toronto University and has been engaged in construction work for a great many years. He is at present in Pictou in connection with the organization of the battalion, but expects to take up his work in Ontario shortly. Associated with Captain McConnell will be Captain Kenneth A. Morrison, 56 Cooper street, Ottawa. Mr. Morrison is a construction engineer and is president of the Quebec Construction Company. He was a contractor on the Grand Trunk Pacific railway at the time of its construction, and is at present working on provincial road contracts in Quebec. About forty years of age, and married. Both of these officers have had fifteen years of experience in construction work.

Recruiting Report.

Report from county recruiting officers to Major L. P. D. Tilley, chief recruiting officer for New Brunswick, for week ending Saturday, Aug. 5, 1916, are as follows:

St. John—	
For home service	22
For 58th Howitzer Battery	1
For 140th Battalion	1
For 236th Battalion	1
For 9th Siege Battery	10
For Field Ambulance Train	11
For No. 1 Construction Batt.	5
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York—	
For 236th Battalion	13
For Army Medical Corps	4
For Field Ambulance Train	2
For Can. Army Dental Corps	1
For No. 2 Construction Batt.	6
For home service	1
	— 27
Queens and Sunbury—	
For Field Ambulance Train	4
For 236th Battalion	2
For home service	3
	— 9
Charlotte—	
For 237th Battalion	1
For Field Ambulance Train	1
For mechanical transport	2
For home service	4
	— 8
Northumberland—	
For 236th Battalion	1
For 132nd Battalion	1
For home service	4
	— 6
Restigouche—	
For home service	5
	— 5
Kings—	
For 236th Battalion	3
For No. 1 Construction Batt	1
For No. 9 Siege Battery	1
	— 5
Carleton—	
For 65th Field Battery	1
For home service	3
	— 4
Victoria—	
For 65th Field Battery	1
For home service	2
Madawaska—	
For home service	1
	— 1
Albert	0
Gloucester	0
Kent	0
Westmorland	0
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Total	119

PROUD TO FIGHT BESIDE FRENCH

British Officer at Headquarters Writes of Army's Determination to 'See This Through.'

(New York Herald).

The dogged characteristics of the British are vividly portrayed in a letter from a British officer dated June 23 last, and which has just been received in New York. This officer is attached to one of the headquarters divisions in France, and the interest attached to what he writes lies in the fact that it reflects unquestionably the atmosphere of thought and sentiment along the firing line. The officer is a man of wide experience in European affairs, and one thoroughly acquainted with German methods. He writes in part:

"As you can imagine, I rejoined the army immediately war was declared, and have been at the front since the early days of 1914. I was about sixteen months with the artillery, but latterly have been attached to headquarters of my division. It has seemed strange in some instances where I have entered towns here in France as a soldier that the last time I was there on business for you. But what a change. Nothing but battered ruins remain of what previously were flourishing towns.

"The machine shops of course have been shelled to bits and it is painful to see the scrap heaps of what were once fine machine tools. But such is war in these days and it certainly pays no regard to property. Anyway, we shall see this stunt through right up to the jag end and you can take it from me that someone will pay and pay dearly, before we are through with it. The thought of poor little Belgium and the atrocities committed there, are quite sufficient for us and we shall wipe it out in our own good time. All peace blubber is idiotic until that has been done and most decidedly the British army will not have any of it, and I know I can say the same of our Allies.

"The French army has fought magnificently under prodigious disadvantages and it is a pleasure to fight alongside it. As regards the Russians, you know as much about them as I do, for I have read only the newspaper reports.

"I saw American ambulances, a whole convoy of them, some time ago and they were doing great work with the stars and stripes flying in front. Sure it did gladden our hearts to see them. I remember them also at the battle of Neuve Chapelle last year and the bravery of their men in coming up to the line during heavy bombardments was superb. They didn't waver an instant and were as cool as cucumbers. I should like to have shaken their hands."

O. C. MOWRY FINED ON TWO CHARGES AT NEWCASTLE

Newcastle, Aug. 4—Yesterday in the police court Otto C. Mowry, the Scott Act detective, was charged with

1. Carrying a pistol or revolver without permit, and fined $20 and $4.50 costs.

2. On complaint of Frederick W. Fleigher, with using insulting and abusive language, etc., tending to provoke a breach of the peace. For this he was fined $8 and costs $4.50.

The complaint of ex-Policeman John J. Galliah against Chief of Police Wm. H. Finley, charging him with giving or lending an offensive weapon to Otto C. Mowry, was dismissed.

The second case against Patrick Regan for selling liquor was dropped.

A charge for second offence was made against Alvin Dalton and a first offence against Edward Dalton. Another charged with violation of the C.T.A. could not be served. He had gone.

None of the Scott Act cases is finished.

AUSTRALIA BLACKLISTS AMERICAN BUSINESS FIRMS

Melbourne, via London, Aug. 4—The Commonwealth has issued a blacklist of American firms. Trading with these firms is prohibited.

THE CITY

Mayor Hayes has called a meeting of the various committees for Thursday at 3 p. m. to discuss plans for the observance of Labor day.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Merlin are spending a week with Mrs. J. O. Forsyth, City road.

St. Columba Presbyterian church, Fairville, held a most successful and very enjoyable picnic to Westfield on Saturday. The usual sports and games were conducted.

The Brookville girls' circle of the Soldiers' Comforts Association took advantage of the half-holiday and the Drury-Cove Renforth tennis tournament to add to their funds on Saturday. Ice cream was offered for sale and a neat sum was realized to aid in their work for the boys overseas.