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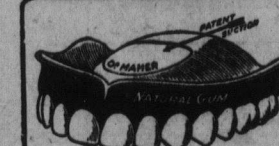
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HALIFAX DRUNK CASES.
No less than eighteen persons appeared in the Halifax police court Monday morning to answer the charge of drunkenness. Each of the prisoners swore that they either bought the liquor from unknown men on the street, or the intoxicants were given by friends.

Herbert J. Wilkins was sworn in as constable in the city of St. John by Magistrate Ritchie yesterday.

SUSSEX COMMITTEE
FORMED TO CARE FOR
RETURNED SOLDIERS

Large Gathering Assembled Tuesday — Secretary Chas. Robinson Outlined the Work—Ex-Mayor Wallace the President.

On Tuesday last a large and representative gathering of citizens met at the residence of ex-Mayor Wallace in Sussex, for the purpose of forming a committee to work in conjunction with the provincial commission for the welfare of the returned soldiers.

The ex-Mayor was in the chair and read an explanatory address, and extended a hearty welcome to all present. F. E. Sharp was chosen secretary pro tem.

Chas. Robinson, Prov. Sec. Ret. Soldiers' Aid Assn., outlined the work of the Provincial Aid Commission and recommended the appointment of a Kings county committee to care for the returned soldiers, and be representative of the various parts of the county.

F. W. Wallace was again chosen as president, and J. M. McIntyre, Sec. of such committee and the following re-named, with some additions:

A. D. Murray, Fanchouque, Hanford Price, Havelock; J. E. McAuley, Millstream; H. A. Wyers, Norton; F. E. Sharp, Midland; G. B. Jones, M.L.A.; Appahqui, S. H. Flewelling, Hampton; David Lloyd, Upham; H. V. Dickson, M.L.A.; Hammond River; David Haman, Grand Bay; W. L. Belyea, Brown's Place; W. T. Sleep, Sea Dog Cove; A. H. Robinson, Havelock; H. F. Puddington, Rothery; W. L. Oubler, S. H. White, H. H. Adair, Sussex; F. K. H. Rouse, Corn Hill; E. A. Flewelling, Perry Point; B. A. Keith, Annapolis; W. S. Wetmore, Bloomfield.

This committee was thereupon given power to add to their number.

After some suggestions, it was on motion ordered that an equal number of ladies be added to the committee and the following were then named:

Mrs. C. H. Perry, Mrs. H. W. Upham, Mrs. L. R. Murray, Miss Margaret Burgess, Sussex; Mrs. C. J. Steeves, Panchouque; Miss Gloria Fowles, Havelock; Mrs. Willis Dunfield, Annapolis; Mrs. T. A. McFarlane, Norton; Mrs. E. D. Whippley, Central Greenfield; Mrs. McBeth, Appahqui; Mrs. F. T. Fenwick, Berwick; Mrs. J. E. McAuley, Lower Mills; Mrs. Geo. W. Crawford, Westfield Beach; Mrs. E. A. Schofield, Hampton; Mrs. E. A. Frank, Bellefleur; Mrs. H. L. Williams, Titus, Bloomfield; Mrs. H. L. Williams, Long Reach; Mrs. Jas. H. Brown, Cora Bell; Mrs. Thomas, Rothery; Mrs. Arthur Bland, Nauviggauk.

On motion of D. L. Belyea, seconded by G. B. Jones, it was resolved that an executive of five in addition to the president and secretary be appointed to carry on the necessary business of the committee.

The following are the committee: President F. W. Wallace, Sec. J. M. McIntyre, E. B. Jones, S. H. White, Mrs. C. H. Perry, Mrs. L. R. Murray and Mrs. A. F. Robinson of Sussex.

The secretary on request read the list of returned soldiers as appearing in the Kings County Record of Aug. 24th, 1917.

Jamies Cameron, a returned soldier, asked for information as to a three months' bonus of pay to good conduct returned men, and was informed by Mr. Adair that he was entitled to such bonus and would likely hear from it shortly.

Meeting closed to meet at the call of the chairman, with the singing of the National Anthem.

THE POLICE COURT.

In the police court yesterday Wellington Clarke was acquitted on the charge of grievously cutting and wounding and doing bodily harm to the late John Woodley, of this city. A soldier onlooker testified that he believed the cutting affair to have been an accident.

Jos. S. Murray, foreman of the H. McGowan & Sons, was fined \$2 for allowing stone chips to drop on Sydney street.

J. F. McDonald, reported for allowing car 308 to stand for an hour on Charlotte street, proved to the satisfaction of the court that he was not the owner of the car.

Burton Kirkpatrick, for driving without a number plate on his car and for having a plate with the correct number but of last year's vintage, explained that he had lost a number plate, and applied to Frederick for a new plate. He was instructed to forward his remaining plate, making affidavit that it was his. In the interim he had used an old plate. His plates were now in order. Excused.

Geo. Hatt, for speeding on Charlotte street, was fined \$10, as was Stephen Ritchie for the same offence.

H. M. Breen, reported for driving into Pond street from Mill, explained that he mistook the traffic officer's signal. Fine allowed to stand.

Geo. Banks, reported for having no number plate on a car being brought from the Ford factory to White's salesrooms, explained that a number of cars had been brought in on the same day and there was a shortage of dealer's tags. Excused.

DEATHS.

WOODLEY—Entered into rest Sept. 11th, 1917, at her residence, 25 Broad street, Rebecca A. Woodley, widow of the late John Woodley, of this city.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

FERRIS—On the 8th inst., while on active service, Private Henry Ferris, of this city, aged 26 years and two months, leaving father, mother, two sisters and three brothers to mourn.

WOODLEY—Entered into rest Sept. 11, 1917, at her late residence, 25 Broad street, Rebecca A. Woodley, widow of the late John Woodley, of this city. Funeral will be held from her late residence, Thursday afternoon, at three o'clock.

IN MEMORIAM.
McGINLEY—In loving memory of William A. McGinley, who died September 13th, 1911, aged fifty-seven years.

MANY HOMES MADE SAD,
OTHERS GET GOOD NEWS

Staff Sergeant Lake's Second Son Killed—St. John Boy in U. S. Hospital—New Brunswick Men Killed or Wounded.

Attached to 68th Halifax.

Lieutenants Kenneth A. Wilson, G. W. Hazen, J. H. Knox and R. Scott, of the 62nd regiment will leave in the course of a few days for Halifax, where they will be attached to the staff of the 68th regiment for home duty.

Is Seriously Ill.

Word was received yesterday by Mrs. G. A. Blair, 55 City Road, that her son, Sapper Wallace Blair, of the Canadian Engineers, is reported seriously ill. Sapper Blair went overseas less than a year ago. He has two brothers in khaki—Gordon and Malcolm. Both are in the infantry. Another brother was Kenneth Blair, who died in this city more than a year ago as the result of being gassed in the war.

Good News Received.

Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Jennings of East St. John, were greatly cheered Tuesday by receipt of two messages relative to one of their three soldier sons, Edward, who was reported, in August, as wounded in the head. There came a letter from the soldier himself, written soon after he was hit and stating that he was struck by a piece of shell in the back of the head. A cable later came from his brother, Lieut. Frank X. Jennings, stating that Edward had fully recovered.

Private Smith Home.

Private George A. Smith, of No. 5 C. A. S. C., who went overseas on March 18, 1915, and who has been in a valid home, has arrived in the city. He is a son of Mrs. Julia Smith of this city.

Reported Killed.

Frederick, Sept. 12—Norman Goodine of this city, in response to a letter sent to Ottawa asking for definite information concerning his brother, Private Neil Goodine, reported missing in France some time ago, has been informed that he is officially reported killed in action October 8, 1916. The information was accompanied by a letter of sympathy from Hon. J. D. Hazen.

Was Not Wounded.

T. Percy Bourne, of 25 Cranston avenue, who was advised recently that his son, Private Norman I. Bourne, had been wounded, received an official telegram from Ottawa yesterday conveying the news that his son had not been wounded.

In American Hospital.

Mrs. H. G. Hunter, who was advised officially a short time ago that her son had been admitted to a hospital, has received a letter from a nurse on the staff of No. 5 U. S. Army Base Hospital, who writes that her son is at present suffering from burns on both hands and the face. She says that the burns are not so serious as had been believed and that his eyesight is not in danger. At the time of writing he was getting along nobly.

Volunteered for Service.

Lieuts. K. Kilson and W. R. Scott of the 62nd have volunteered for service.

Second Son Killed.

Word that a second son had made the supreme sacrifice has been received by Staff Sergeant George Lake, of the Ordnance Stores, who resides at 144 Leinster street, in an official communication stating that Private Harry Lake, infantry, had been reported killed in action August 17th.

The deceased soldier, while attending the public schools in Montreal, enlisted in 1915 in the 60th Battalion, at the age of 14. In England he was transferred to the 8th Battalion, Canadian Grenadier Guards, and went to the front. In his last letter to his father, dated the day before he was killed, the young soldier mentioned that he had been sixteen months in France.

Besides his father, the deceased here is survived by a brother, Sergt. William Ordman, Stores, Toronto, and six sisters, Florence, Lena, Ella, Marjorie, Beale and Mildred, of this city. The Lake family, originally of Ottawa, after a five years' residence in Montreal, moved to St. John in May last.

Struck Off Strength.

The Canadian Gazette, London, says Capt. P. H. Elliott, St. John, having been in Canada for a period of over four months, is struck off the strength of the Overseas Military

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Sergt. Harper Badly Wounded.

In the official list of casualties appears the name of Sergt. Herman Firth Harper, son of Mrs. Frank Rayworth, of Melrose, Westmorland. Reports received by relatives state he was shot in the head, leg and arm.

How serious his wounds are is not stated. He is a grandson of Lieut. Col. Bedford Harper, former O. C. of the 4th Regiment, and the cousin of Flight Lieut. L. A. Sands.

Killed in Action.

M. E. J. Hiest of this city, has been notified that his nephew, Lance Corporal Sidney S. Hiest, of Oxford, England, has been reported killed in action on August 14. Lance Corporal Hiest was a member of the Oxford and Buckingham Light Infantry.

Mr. Robert Webb, Andale, Queens county, N. B., has received a message that his son, Sergt. John Webb, had been killed in action, August 15. Deceased was in his 20th year. He went overseas in the 14th Battalion.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Warnock, Hillabro, have been informed of the death of their son, Private James Warnock, in a French hospital, where he had been taken suffering from gunshot wound in a leg, which proved fatal.

Doing Great Work.

Major C. P. Hamilton of Shediac, who has arrived in London from France, reports that, although the railway troops are almost entirely under heavy shelling, they are doing great work.

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The concrete work is all done with the exception of the floors in the upper part of the building, and on Friday last the erection of the steel frame was begun. It is expected that another three weeks will see the steel all in position, then will come the pouring of the floors and the placing of a gigantic beehive. Last week the receiving bins were finished and the "leg" which is the name given the part of the machine which takes the grain out of them and starts it on its way to the top of the building, is being installed. These bins are below the ground and under the tracks on which the cars enter the building. The cars are run in and the grain dumped into the bins, from these it is taken to the top of the elevator where it is hoisted, weighed, distributed to the storage bins.

PERSONALS

Miss Katie Delany, chief proof reader of the Transcript office staff of Moncton, N. B., is spending a few days in the city the guest of relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Johnson, of Brown's Place, announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Hazel Ethel, to Leonard L. Williamson, of that place, the marriage to take place the latter part of September.

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