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MORE HONOR
FOR MEMBERS
OF THE 26TH

Promotion for Lieut. H. G. Woods and Military Cross for Lieut. Gerald Anglin—Merited Recognition for Other Officers.

Word has been received in the city that Lieut. H. G. Woods of the 26th New Brunswick Battalion has been promoted to the rank of temporary captain in appreciation of his gallant services at the front.

The current issue of Canada, published in London gives interesting information concerning several officers well known in New Brunswick. The edition describes the manner in which Major John Keller Mackay, who was the popular commandant of the 25th Field Artillery, which was mobilized at Fredericton in 1914, acted under heavy fire and for whose conduct he was decorated with the distinguished service order: "When the personality of his O. P. had become casualties, he went forward under very heavy fire and re-established the O. P. 200 yards beyond our front line, and resumed communication with his battery. He remained forward all day commanding his battery from this exposed position and sending back most valuable information." Major Mackay is a former Dalhousie Law School student and while at Fredericton and on visits to St. John made many friends who are delighted to hear of his achievements at the front.

Concerning Temp. Major Charles Edward Fairweather of Sussex the official report states that he was decorated with the D. S. O. "for conspicuous gallantry in action. With his company he dug a trench 200 yards in front of the front line under intense fire and thereby rendered the support necessary to ensure the safety of the ground gained by a flanking battalion. He displayed the greatest courage and initiative throughout."

A bar to his distinguished conduct medal is the latest honor that has come to 160914, Sergeant O. B. Jones, formerly of Halifax, and well known in New Brunswick, particularly among the students from this province who attended the Dalhousie Law School. Young Jones' work at the front has been a revelation and he has been frequently mentioned in despatches for his gallantry. His latest honor has been granted "for conspicuous gallantry. He led a patrol up to the enemy's lines and remained out for twenty hours obtaining information. Before returning he bombed the enemy's trenches and machine gun position." The D. C. M. was awarded to Sergeant Jones on August 19th last "for conspicuous gallantry in connection with reconnaissances of exceptional daring when he brought his patrols to within a few yards of the enemy's trenches, and obtained information of the greatest value."

That Lieut. Gerald Anglin, son of Dr. J. V. Anglin will receive the Military Cross or possibly the Distinguished Service Order, was the information that reached the city yesterday from an officer of the 26th Battalion on the firing line. Lieut. Anglin's work is described as magnificent. He led a successful raid on the German trenches and is now in the hospital recovering from injuries received in the encounter.

The officer further writes of the splendid work at the front of Lieut. Lawson of Saint Stephen who was decorated with the Military Cross while his sergeant was awarded the military medal.

The organization of a pipe band for the 26th at the front is now being completed.

MANY MANUFACTURERS
SEE ENEMY SAMPLES

Despite the bad weather yesterday the attendance at the enemy sample exhibit kept up and over 100 persons visited the rooms and looked over the many articles shown there.

The entire exhibit of nails was taken away by one of the local mail manufacturing concerns, and they will have their men study the wire and finish of the nails which the Germans had been exporting, and will, in all probability, get after some of this trade after the war.

Another part of the exhibit which is being studied very carefully is the textiles and it is altogether likely that some of these lines will be manufactured here. Each day is impressing more and more upon the business men of the city who have seen this exhibit the wonderful manner in which the Germans adapted their goods to the market in which they were to be sold, and the necessity if they are to get the share of trade lost through the war, of following that example, and give the trade the kind of goods they want.

MARRIAGES

Miller-Flewelling.

Sergt. Frederick A. Miller of the 23rd Battalion, well known here, was united in marriage with Miss Ariel E. Flewelling of St. John, on Sunday last, in St. James' church, Rev. H. A. Cady officiating. The happy couple will reside in Halifax.

PROVINCIAL
MEN LEAVING
FOR STATES

U. S. Immigration Inspector Miller Reports an Increase in Number Leaving This Province for Maine and New England.

Fully 1,200 persons migrated from the Maritime Provinces to the United States during the last twelve months. In conversation with United States Inspector of Immigration Peter E. Miller at his office yesterday, he told The Standard that the last month there was an increase in the number of people passing through the city for the States over the preceding month. "From now on," said the inspector, "there will not be as many leaving the province, as there is generally a noticeable decrease in the number travelling during the months of December, January, February and March."

The reason for the increased immigration is due no doubt to the high wages which are being offered in the different factories, especially in the munition factories. The Maine lumber woods also drew a large number of the sturdy manhood of the provinces whose services in the lumbering operations are almost indispensable. It was a common occurrence during the early fall to see a party of men numbering twenty or twenty-five at the depot waiting to depart on the Boston train. They were generally accompanied by a man, presumably a boss lumberman, who looked after the purchasing of tickets, etc.

So many cases were reported to the military officials in the city that one military man, unless the contracting for men in New Brunswick ceased, threatened to apply to parliament for an order-in-council prohibiting American lumbermen from coming into the province and engaging twenty or thirty men for work in the United States.

The Bangor Commercial in a recent issue had the following to say on the number of men passing through that city on route for different cities throughout the States: "Every day, the 1.20 train from St. John has several second class passenger cars and at the Union station, the Canadians, men, women and children, can be seen in the cars, looking as if the ride from St. John had been a tiresome one and evidently it is. They often get out to stretch their legs on the station platform, as there is a wait of from 20 to 25 minutes here, and sometimes they go into the station restaurant for lunch, but generally they have a lunch box with them and eat in the car. At midnight, another train comes through here with a large number of passengers direct from the provinces."

"While some of the emigrants go from St. John by boat to Boston, and others go by Canadian Pacific west, entering the United States after going through Montreal, a majority pass through Bangor."

It has been said that many of the people entering the States, especially men of military age, are leaving Canada on account of the war, claiming that they are afraid that they may be called upon to enlist.

BORN.

GOLDING—At 36 Richmond street, on December 12th, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Golding, a daughter.

DIED.

FLEWELLING—At Clifton, December 10th, after four months illness, Hannah Augusta, aged 74, wife of Hon. G. Hudson Flewelling, leaving behind her husband one daughter.

Funeral on Wednesday, Dec. 13th, at 11 a. m., at All Saints' Church, Clifton.

REID—On December the 10th, at the residence of her brother-in-law, Dr. N. G. Trueman, Salem, Mass., Edna Gertrude, daughter of the late David and Mary Reid.

Funeral on Wednesday from Centenary church. Service at 2.30 o'clock.

SMITH—At the St. John Infirmary, this city, on December 12, Frank C. Smith, leaving his wife and four children.

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On motion of Commissioner Wigmore the time for filing replies was extended until Monday, December 18, at noon.

Another letter from Mr. Bell was also read, asking if the replies to these questions were to be made public or discussed in private by the commissioners. The consensus of opinion among the commissioners seemed to be that under the order in council the replies would be public and could not be considered as private.

The boycott against ice cream as a protest against the increase in the

price of milk is steadily growing, and practically all the patriotic societies are cutting it out at their entertainments, the latest to do this being the Royal Standard Chapter at the fete held yesterday in the Union Club. Usually one of the big features at an affair of this kind is the ice cream, but not an ounce was to be had at the fete yesterday, and the ladies have expressed their intention to boycott ice cream while the price of milk is so high.



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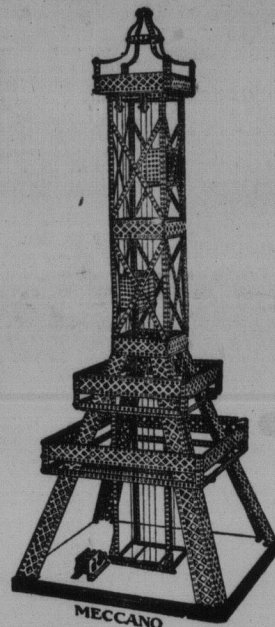
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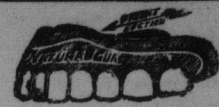
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