

SOLDIER BOYS OFF FOR SUSSEX

(Woodstock Press)

On Friday night the citizens, particularly the young men, entertained the soldiers to a grand 'walk around.' Accompanied by two bands (?) a continuous procession was in progress until after one o'clock, a very few of the principal streets having been slighted. Bonfires and fireworks were in evidence in the 'square.' Everybody had a good time owing to the leniency of the chief of police, who allowed the paraders to go the limit.

A celebration on Saturday night was not so pretentious. Some music and a little fireworks were in evidence.

After High Mass on the 9th inst., Rev. F. J. McMurray requested a numerous body of our volunteers, who were present, to remain in the church, as he wished to distribute amongst them books of prayer and other articles of devotion.

The congregation having departed, the boys came forward and were attentive listeners to an earnest and impressive address from the reverend pastor. He assured them of being pleased to see them in attendance at the Divine Service and was pleased also to think they were imbued with the spirit of patriotism and bravery.

His reverence then presented a carefully wrapped parcel to each soldier, words of encouragement carrying the conviction of the comfort afforded in the faithful performance of religious duties.

About 40 members of the 55th Battalion attended divine service in St. Luke's church on Sunday morning, where the Rev. A. S. Hazel preached.

The boys were each presented by the congregation at the close of the service with a Prayer and Hymn Book combined.

The ladies of the Red Cross Society, who have always been active in every movement toward the comfort of the boys, presented each with a well-filled lunch box at the station. The lunches were put up at the residence of Mrs. W. P. Jones, on Sunday, by the ladies.

The boys of the 55th Battalion, who have been stationed at Woodstock for the past three months, left Monday morning for Sussex, where they will spend some time in training before leaving for the front. A very large number turned out to see them away. Headed by the 67th band, they left the armoury shortly before seven o'clock, and to the strains of 'The British Grenadiers,' marched to the station. They were followed in the procession by the Home Guards and the Boy Scouts.

Although most of the boys came from different points in the river counties, the citizens had begun to feel that they belonged to the town, and there were many touching farewells. During their stay in Woodstock they conducted themselves in a



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highly creditable manner and have the good will and best wishes of the citizens.

As the train pulled out of the station the band played 'God Save the King.'

The contingent was in charge of Lieuts. Balmain and Campbell. Major Bull, the recruiting officer, left with the boys but will return again to continue recruiting.

Names of those leaving:
Major J. J. Bull
Lieutenant D. H. Balmain
Lieutenant R. B. Campbell

Privates:
J. R. Armour
R. Beach
Fred Buck, Jr.
A. Anderson
H. Bomaster
A. Barrett
F. Chaisson
M. Chester
P. Clarke
R. Colton
E. Clement
J. Colridge
R. A. Colwell
D. Dionne
A. Dwyer
E. Donley
B. Fugere
J. Keenan
Octave Lavioie
P. Le Page
E. Morris
F. Malin
F. McDougall
C. Morehouse
W. Morrell
F. Metcalfe
C. Miles
C. McLean
W. Marney
W. Mockler
W. Nason
H. D. Nason
F. Phillips
J. Willett

Potato Acreage Will be Less in Aroostook

Houlton, May 8.—With 2,000,000 bushels of last year's potato crop still in the hands of the farmers and planting time near, the price after a temporary advance, has sagged back to 65 cents a barrel, with little prospect of improvement.

A fairly accurate indication of the extent to which Aroostook farmers will curtail their potato acreage this year is afforded by the statistics of fertilizer receipts this season as compared with 1914. Up to April 1, 1914, the Bangor & Aroostook R. R. carried into the country 49,880 tons of fertilizer, while up to April 1 this year the quantity was 38,440 tons, a decrease of 11,440 tons, or about 600 carloads—nearly 25 per cent.

The average quantity used by a farmer is one carload. From this it is predicted that the potato-crop-

acres will be 25 per cent. less than in 1914. Many of the farmers have become discouraged by the low prices of the past season, and will plant much of their land to other crops. Many others, for the same reason, have been unable to pay for last season's fertilizer.

YOUR SUMMER HOLIDAY!

This Year the Maritime Provinces.

The question has repeatedly been asked how many Maritime people know from practical experience that within their gates they have the most beautiful summer resorts in America. La Baie de Chaleur, Prince Edward Island, the Bras d'Or Lakes and Cape Breton, the Evangeline Country, St. John River, to mention only a few that can be named from a wide and varied selection.

Predictions have been made from various sources that this year will see a large influx of American tourists. One authority says:

"The famed shrines of the old world are closed for a time at least, to American travel. The tourist necessarily will have to go somewhere, for as a rule the American who can afford to travel abroad is sufficiently independent of industrial conditions to allow them to interfere with the vacation that has become a necessity to him. Canada feels that the Dominion of all regions should be his natural destination. For Canada has as magnificent and as varied scenery as can be found anywhere in the Old World. She has a climate that, on this continent at least, has no counterpart. She has facilities for fishing, hunting, canoeing and other outdoor activities of which no other country can boast. A land of magnificent distance, in many sections hardly explored, she possesses a million secluded lakes and a myriad of enchanted streams, leading into the kingdom where nature still reigns supreme."

Why not spend your summer holiday this year in the Maritime Provinces?

Royalton

Several farmers are preparing their land for the seed; others are cutting potatoes for seed and are doing everything possible to hasten along the spring work.

Geo. H. Cronkite has been spending several days among his friends here.

Miss Cecil Burtt has returned from Houlton where she was on short visit. Perry Crawford is helping Clinton Trafford with his spring work.

Burpee White and Harry Owens have each purchased a new rubber tired carriage.

Several men of the community met on Thursday and gave the cemetery a thorough overhauling as well as repaired the fence, furnishing a new one on the west side.

A business meeting of the church was held on April 18.

The Red Cross Society met at the home of Mrs. George Buchanan on April 14.

Gilbert W. Stockford

Gilbert W. Stockford, a well known resident of Main Street, died on April 28, in his 65th year. He was a resident of Main Street for 33 years, and was one of the pioneers of the settlement. Three daughters survive. Mrs. J. M. White of Main Street, Mrs. J. T. Trainor of St. Stephen, Mrs. T. B. MacNutt of Victoria, B. C., and three sons, Thomas W., of Highgate this county, Robert and Harold of Mercier, Maine. The burial was at Rockland. The sermon was preached by Rev. George Kincaid, assisted in the other services by Revs. I. E. Vanwart and A. J. Cras. The pall-bearers were H. D. Clark, Cushi Shaw, Samuel Cook and Winfield Shaw, all lifelong friends of the deceased.

POLONIUM

Imported, No. 698

Black, little white in forehead and both hind fetlocks white. Foaled May 24, 1908, bred by Alexander Morton, Darvel, Ayrshire, Scotland. Imported in dam August, 1907, by T. H. Hassard, Markham, Ont., and foaled the property of R. M. Holtby, Manchester, Ont. His sire was Westfield Polonium, 9968, which was reckoned one of the finest in the old country. His dam, Equiva, 906 (17300), was by Ruby, the champion harness mare of Great Britain, and his road record of 2:36 has never been beaten.

"This is to certify that the Hackney horse owned by E. T. Shaw of Hartland is recorded in Book I L L under the name Polonium, imp., 698, and when foaled was my property and he has never changed hands until sold to Mr. Shaw. He is of beautiful action, kind and gentle, and weighs about 1200, and has proved himself a sure producer of good colts."

Polonium will stand at the owner's stable at Hartland for the present.

Terms of service: Twelve dollars to ensure colts. All mares at owner's risk. All mares disposed of considered with foal unless proven otherwise.

Parties desiring to breed to this horse may either call on Mr. Farmers' Line 20-25 and make arrangements.

E. T. SHAW, Owner.

Hartland, N. B.
April 30, 1915.

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This horse will leave owners' stable on Monday morning at 8 o'clock, passing through Hartland, Rockland, Windsor to Glassville. At Glassville from 4 p. m. Tuesdays until noon Wednesdays. Wednesday nights and Thursday forenoons at Bristol. Thursday afternoon at East Florenceville. Friday through Middle Simonds to owners' stable. Saturdays at Hartland, Clark's stable. Will not have time to visit any back fields.

Terms: Ten Dollars to ensure; two dollars to be paid at time of first service. Five Dollars single service, to be paid at time of service.

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Dam Juliet (6153) by Baron's Pride

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This horse will be in charge of Mr. John Sharp and will leave his residence each Monday going to Hartland; will leave Hartland Wednesday morning going to Woodstock on eastern side of the river. Will be in Woodstock Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the late D. A. Grant's stand on south side of bridge.

Terms: Single service, \$6.00; season, \$10; to insure colts, \$12. Two dollars down at time of first service.

He has taken more 1st prize ribbons in the show ring than any horse of his class in N. B., including the sweepstake at Halifax Provincial Exhibition 1913, for best stallion with six of his get, and the same at N. B. Provincial at St. John. He is 8 years old and has proved himself an exceptionally sure horse, and his colts are very highly prized.

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