

Around the City

FAIR AND MILD

FEAST OF CORPUS CHRISTI.
Thursday the Feast of Corpus Christi will be celebrated in all the liturgical churches by special services.

MISSION OPENED.
A mission was opened at Bath yesterday by Rev. Stephen Connolly, C. S. R., Montreal, and Rev. Chas. McCormack, C. S. R., of Toronto.

BOSTON DONATION.
The mayor has received a donation towards the G. W. V. home from Miss Emilie Bartlett, 47 Columbus avenue, Boston.

RETURNED MAN APPOINTED.
James Ewart, a returned soldier, has been appointed inspector for the city on the paving operations on Main street.

QUICKLY EXTINGUISHED.
A slight fire in a military building near the corner of Wentworth and Sheffield streets early Saturday morning was quickly extinguished.

TO VISIT HER SON.
Mrs. Jos. Harrington, 79 Paradise Row, left Saturday to visit her son, J. C. Harrington, in Boston, who is soon to join the American army, having signed up in a medical corps.

VISITOR TO LONDON.
A recent visitor in London was Capt. P. A. Landry, Capt. Landry is a Dorchester man who went over in early days of war, and is still on the job.

MONTHLY PROCESSION.
The regular monthly procession and meeting of the Children of Mary took place at the Cathedral. In the afternoon a meeting of the promoters of the League of Sacred Heart was held.

APPEAL FOR Y. M. C. I.
His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc made an appeal for the Y. M. C. I. at the Cathedral yesterday morning and urged all the members of the parish to lend their assistance to the institution.

WATCH FOUND.
While leaving one of the theatres Saturday night Mr. Fletcher MacDonald found a lady's watch at his feet. The time piece, which is quite valuable, was not injured.

INGLESIDE HOME BURNED.
The residence occupied by Benjamin Wellington Stevenson, near the Ingleside Station, was completely destroyed by fire on Friday evening. There was no insurance.

INSPECTION MADE.
An inspection was made of all the military buildings within the city limits yesterday by Major General Jackson, Colonel Lang, Colonel Powell, Major P. Wetmore, Major S. S. Wetmore and Captain Heron. Partridge Island was visited in the morning.

BORN AT FREDERICTON.
A despatch from Fredericton last evening stated that Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Doody of St. John arrived there yesterday morning by automobile and registered at the Barker House, and that yesterday afternoon at the hotel Mrs. Doody gave birth to a son.

TRANSFERRED TO HALIFAX.
Early in June, A. G. Shatford, accountant of the Canadian National Commerce Bank, King street, will leave for Halifax, N. S., to take up similar duties at the bank there. His successor will be A. E. Stringer, accountant at the Prince Albert, Sask. branch.

JOINED U. S. ARMY.
Another Westmorland boy signed up in the army lately, this being Phileas Richard, whose home was formerly Pre Den Haut. Recently he has been employed in Woonsocket, R. I., and has joined the American army, going into training at Camp Dix, New Jersey.

SOLDIERS' SERVICE.
The regular Sunday soldiers' service at St. David's church last evening was well attended by the men of the various units, despite the inclement weather out of doors. The men joined heartily in the song service after which refreshments were served and a short social time spent.

FORCASTED RAIN.
A jovial young chap, monopolizing a park bench Saturday, in company with a young lady, forecasted rain in the near future. She wished to know if he were an almanac, and he replied in the negative, saying, "I feel it in my wooden leg."
The young chap is a returned man. This is indeed a bright spirit, and sets a good example to many growlers we hear every day in our midst.

MEETING THIS AFTERNOON.
A meeting of interest to the restaurant men, manufacturers of biscuits, ice cream and candy will be held this afternoon at three o'clock at the Board of Trade rooms. The meeting will be addressed by C. J. Dodley of the Canada Food Board who will deal with the recent orders of the board as they affect the above mentioned lines. A full attendance of those interested is asked for to meet Mr. Dodley and talk matters over.

SUFFERING FROM WOUNDS.
Word has been received by Mrs. Katherine Willis that her husband Acting Sergeant Charles Willis, had been admitted to the 5th General Hospital, France, on April 18, suffering from wounds in the right leg and from contusion. Acting Sergeant Willis was overseas May 20, 1914, with the Divisional Ammunition Column, under Colonel Harrison. Before going overseas Sergeant Willis was with the J. M. Robinson, bankers and brokers.

SATURDAY'S AUCTIONS.
The Duncanson property in Main, Vaughan road, known as "Maple Hill," consisting of twenty-five acres of land with two-story dwelling and out-buildings, was sold at auction at Chubb's Corner at noon Saturday by F. L. Potts. It was purchased by Captain P. H. Colwell for \$5,500.
Mr. Potts also offered the Reynolds property, a three-story tenement in Union street, but withdrew it at \$4,300.
A two-tenement dwelling, on leasehold, 200 Willoughby avenue, was sold by T. T. Lantulum to Captain P. H. Colwell for \$2,200.

SENSATION WAS CREATED IN THE ROYAL GARDENS

Man in Naval Uniform Intimated to Miss Murdock That She Was Person Who Was Suspected of Being a German Spy—The Young Lady Re-sented the Remarks—Was Interviewed by Captain Mulcahy, Who is Satisfied Miss Murdock Is Not a Spy.

Somewhat of a sensation was created in the Royal Gardens about 11:30 o'clock Saturday night when a gentleman attired in a naval uniform intimated to a young lady, Miss Murdock, a guest at the hotel, that she had been detained in Halifax and questioned by the authorities, who suspected her of being a spy for Germany. The young lady has been at the hotel on two or three occasions within the last four months and attracted considerable attention on account of her unique khaki uniform. The incident started in the Gardens, where the naval officer was partaking of lunch. Miss Murdock was also in the Gardens. A quiet conversation between the two was first noticed and this developed into a rather heated argument during the course of which, it is alleged, the "spy" charges were made. The young lady, resenting the manner in which she was treated, laid a complaint against the officer to the management of the hotel. After doing this she endeavored to ascertain the name of the gentleman. This she was unable to do.

Having completed his luncheon the naval officer passed through the hotel office, but not before the clerk in charge took occasion to courteously state to him that if he entertained such suspicious the matter could have been attended to quietly without having recourse to charge one of the guests in public. To this the officer retorted that he, the clerk, would be attended to if he did not mind his own business. Another wordy combat took place between the young lady and the officer and as he was leaving the hotel, Miss Murdock said: "You're a fine man to be wearing the King's uniform." Determined to ascertain who her accuser was, the young lady followed the officer, but was unable to find him. He expressed the belief that the young lady was one who came over to Halifax on a Danish steamer and who was detained at Halifax.

R. W. WIGMORE, M. P., HAS RETURNED FROM OTTAWA

Understands Investigation of St. John Harbor by Hon. Mr. Ballantyne is Favorable — Harbor Commission in the Near Future—Contracts for Courtenay Bay Dry Dock and Shipbuilding Plant To Be Signed Today.

"While the report of the men sent here by Hon. Mr. Ballantyne to investigate the harbor had not been made public when I left for home, I understand that it is favorable, and there is no doubt in my mind that the harbor commission will become an accomplished fact in the near future. I expect that the contracts for the Courtenay Bay dry dock and shipbuilding plant will be signed on Monday, and that work will begin at once on both. The session just closed had been a busy one. Union Government had stood the test well and Sir Robert Borden has more than justified the confidence reposed in him by the electors of Canada in December last and he stands today solidly entrenched in the ranks of the world's great statesmen."—R. W. Wigmore, M. P.

The session had been a triumph for Sir Robert Borden and Union Government. In the dying days of the session there had been some attempt to disrupt the Unionist party, but these had failed and the session closed with the ranks unbroken, and Sir Robert Borden stood forth as the man of the hour more clearly than at any time during his parliamentary career. By his course in dealing with the farmers' delegation of 5,000 he proved that when he made up his mind to a certain course he had the backbone to stick to it.

ANOTHER CASE OF SMALLPOX FOUND

Party Discovered in West St. John — He Had Neglected To Be Vaccinated—Seventeen Cases at Present Under Jurisdiction of Board of Health.

Stronger evidence that every person in St. John should at once be vaccinated if they have not already been vaccinated is furnished by the fact that a party in West St. John who neglected to be vaccinated contracted the disease. Health authorities state that in practically every case the patients suffering from smallpox have not been vaccinated. They state that it is imperative for all to be vaccinated as it is the only way that the disease can be successfully combated. One physician stated to "The Standard" last evening that there are in the country many persons who are of the opinion that vaccination only acts as to modify the disease and not to prevent it. This belief, he said, was not correct as vaccination actually prevents the person from contracting the disease.

The medical man stated that if it only modified the disease the amount of labor now involved would to a large measure go for naught. The total number of cases within the jurisdiction of the Board of Health at present is seventeen. With the exception of one case at Dipper Harbor, all the patients are at the Isolation Hospital. There is also another case of smallpox at the hospital which comes under military authority.

HE WAS HELD UP.
Raymond P. Bent, of Bridgetown, N. S., is in the city today and leaves at noon for Halifax en route home. He recently returned from Boston, where he was on a two weeks' visit; the military authorities at Fairville, N. S., had held him up and he was not having the necessary papers was compelled to wait over here until he procured them from the registrar at Bridgetown. This was done, and he proceeded along. He stated he had no further trouble on the way over or returning.

CANADIAN CLUB HEAR FINE ADDRESS SATURDAY EVENING

General Sir Louis Jackson, K. B. E., C. B., C. M. G., of the Imperial Army, Was the Speaker and Honored Guest of the Evening.

General Sir Louis Jackson, K. B. E., C. B., C. M. G., of the Imperial Army, who was in the city for the week-end, was a guest of honor at the Canadian Club on Saturday evening. During the evening General Jackson was called upon for a few words, and upon arising was received with much applause.

He spoke on the Training of Soldiers; on the Training of the Youth of Today, and on a Soldier's Betterment on his Return to Civil Life. He spoke on the probabilities that the war might soon end, and referred to soldiers who must be obtained and trained for the accomplishment of this. He alluded to the state which enforced laws for the education of the youth, both mental and physical. So with the soldier, he must be trained and this training given under favorable circumstances.

The speaker went on to say, "In past time, the state took men from different walks in life, when these were able to procure the training, and in traditions and readings we learn that these same soldiers were given little heed, when the war was over, and they were today in a technical manner more fit for civil life. Since the soldier's life was a hard one, it was naturally looked upon by the nation in general. This has changed, as after this war the people recognize that these men were drawn from all classes, in different walks of life, they being one of themselves, and the problem is on one hand now to give a further training by a technical education, to make him, upon his discharge, educated in a technical manner more fit for civil life."

On the other hand the problem is, "to ensure that the conditions under which he procures his training are the most favorable, as can be contrived, so that he may be rendered more fit for his return to civil life."

He again added: "A soldier's pay in the military life was, perhaps, small, but with the additional training obtained, enabled him on return to his civil life, a better citizen, disciplined to laws, and enabled to undertake his civil life again in a more proficient manner."

The general's entire speech was on the life of a soldier, his military training, and future technical training, which enabled him a greater circle of success on his return to civil life. His remarks were listened to attentively, as the general himself has studied matters, and is more fit to voice opinions than many more who believe they know.

DASTARDLY ACT IN CEMETERY
Tombstones in Cedar Hill Daubed With Red Paint—Was Noticed By Visitors Yesterday.

Some person with but little respect for the dead or the property visited Cedar Hill Cemetery and with red paint daubed some of the tombstones. On one beautiful white stone, the words, "To the memory of N. W. John." On another stone nearby were other letters painted on a grey granite stone. These were noticed by visitors to the cemetery yesterday, and from all appearances the act was performed at a recent date as the paint had not thoroughly dried yesterday afternoon, and while it was still wet the paint brush has printed the words, "To the memory of N. W. John."

NEW YORK LUMBER REPRESENTATIVE HERE
Thomas J. Riley Has Purchased Large Quantity of Lumber in Nova Scotia — Difficulty in Obtaining Transportation.

Among the visitors to the city during the week-end was Thomas J. Riley, who represents one of the largest dealers in hardwoods in New York. Mr. Riley returned to the city from Nova Scotia where he purchased a considerable quantity of lumber for the firm. Speaking of market conditions for lumber, he said that there was an open market at present, but considerable difficulty was being experienced in some sections of the country in obtaining cars for transportation. As to the prices, he said that they were not so high as they were some time ago, but it would be a very difficult matter to forecast future prices as this to some extent depends on the war.

He stated that the cut of hardwood in the Maritime Provinces has not been as extensive in the past as it might have been, but the lumbermen were beginning to realize the need of more hardwood. Mr. Riley makes a trip out of New York every month and his knowledge of the lumber business, coupled with his genial disposition has won for him many friends in the Maritime Provinces.

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THE LYRIC WILL BE CLOSED THIS WEEK TO UNDERGO THOROUGH CLEANING AND RENOVATING IN PREPARATION FOR SUMMER SEASON.

The Lyric Theatre closed its doors Saturday evening for the purpose of undergoing a thorough cleaning process and renovation.

The re-opening will take place Monday, June third when the attraction will be the favorite comedian, Nat Farnum and his Ben Ton Musical comedy company. This aggregation will present a series of up to date musical reviews. Watch the papers for particulars.

NEXT WEEK'S BIG EVENT.

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TRAIN CONNECTIONS

Visitors to Wolfville for Acadia College and Seminary closings will welcome the news that a passenger train is to leave Wolfville at 6 a.m. on Thursday, May 30th, connecting with Ocean Limited at Truro, enabling passengers to make connections with St. John same day.

EMPRESS REPAIRING.

The steamer Empress was in the Kennedy slip yesterday undergoing a necessary overhauling.