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FIRST REPORT FROM SABLE ISLAND SINCE SEPTEMBER RECEIVED

Halifax, N. S. Jan. 7—Government steamer Rouville returned from Sable Island today, reporting all well. There has been no wireless communication with the island since the war broke out. This was the first steamer since September. A ship's boat eighteen feet in length painted white, but name undiscernible came ashore in October. This was the only incident of note.

IMPORTANT WEST END STREET MATTERS

An important matter to the people of the West Side has been reported upon by Road Engineer Hatfield in a somewhat new light, affecting the property owners in Winslow and Lancaster streets. The stone crusher is now at work in Lancaster street opening the street through from Rodney to Winslow towards the river front and it was also the purpose of the department to open Winslow to City Line, connecting with recently developed properties in that district.

Mr. Hatfield has advised, however, the consideration of raising the grade of Lancaster street at the corner of Winslow four or five feet out and also raising Winslow at the corner with the object of reducing the grade of both streets.

With the rock cutting pushed to the limit Mr. Hatfield reports he cannot make the connection from Winslow street to City Line better than a fifteen per cent grade which he considers inadvisable. He recommends therefore that the Winslow street end below the level of City Line as Murray does at Main street in the North End and that the grade of Winslow be raised at Lancaster corner four or five feet with the object of making in Winslow not more than a nine per cent grade, such as exists in King street.

A street connection with City Line would involve a system of retaining walls and damages to property between Lancaster and City Line on both sides of the street. The raising of Lancaster for a block or more might affect a few houses but he believes the reduction in the grade would more than compensate for this. He has estimated the raising of the grade at the corner would make a ten per cent grade in Lancaster street over what is now a twenty foot rock pile.

NEW BRUNSWICKER DEAD AT SALISBURY

Private John Wylie of Harcourt—Total Deaths Forty Seven

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 7—The outbreak of cerebro spinal meningitis among the Canadians at Salisbury Plain causes some apprehension at Ottawa. It is known that every possible precaution is being taken.

The total death list from all causes is now forty-seven, which is not a large percentage among 33,000 men. The death list today embraces Private John Wylie, 17th Battalion, of Harcourt, N. B.; Lieut. Frank Strange, Ordnance Corps, Kingston; Lieut. R. D. Briscoe, Galt., and Private H. K. Smith, of Peterboro. Lieut. Briscoe was accidentally shot on the ranges, and Private Smith died of pneumonia, the other two of meningitis.

ASKS REPARATION

Washington, Jan. 7—State department officials today began preparing a note to Great Britain asking reparation for the families of two Americans fired upon by Canadian troops while duck hunting in the Niagara River. The representations will ask that the Canadian troopers be punished.

DEATH OF EDWARD McLEOD

The death of Edward McLeod took place this morning in the hospital after a short illness. He was a son of the late William McLeod, district engineer, and held the esteem of a wide circle of friends, who will hear of his death with regret. In his young days he was a member of the North West Mounted Police, and participated in the suppression of the Riel rebellion. He is survived by his wife and nine children. His oldest son Thomas is with the first Canadian contingent now at Salisbury Plain. His funeral will take place Saturday afternoon from his late residence, King street, West End.

A despatch through Copenhagen tells of the damaging of the Turkish cruiser Goeben by two Russian mines. She will be laid up two or three months.

DEATHS

COTTER—In this city, on the 6th inst., Richard, son of the late Garrett and Anne Cotter, leaving two sisters to mourn.

(Boston papers please copy).

Funeral from the Mater Misericordiae Home, on Friday morning at 8.30 o'clock to the Cathedral for high mass of requiem.

McLEOD—At West St. John, on the 7th inst., Edward W. McLeod, aged forty-four years, leaving besides his wife, nine children to mourn.

Funeral on Saturday the 9th inst; service at 2.30 o'clock, funeral at 3 o'clock from his late residence 36 King street, West End.

MacAULEY—In this city, on the 6th January, 1915, Hannah, widow of the late William J. MacAuley.

Funeral from her late residence, 331 City road, to St. Mary's church, on Saturday at 2.30 p. m.

GODFREY—Suddenly, on the 5th inst., Frederick Godfrey, in the 45th year of his age, leaving his loving wife, four sons, Charles, William, Clifford and Harvey; four daughters, Gladys, Viola, Hattie and Blanche; his father, G. E. Godfrey; four sisters, Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. H. B. McAfee, of this city; Mrs. L. J. Smith, of Indianapolis, Ind.; and Mrs. J. E. Danforth, of Brooklyn, N. Y.

Funeral on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from his late residence, Dunn avenue, Lancaster Heights.

IN MEMORIAM

WATTERS—In loving memory of Lucy J. Watters who died on Jan. 7, 1914.

OLDEST MAN IN YORK COUNTY DIED TODAY

John Brown of Fredericton—Resolution For Strict Enforcement of Scott Act

Fredericton, N. B., Jan. 7 — John Brown, a respected colored resident of this city, and the oldest man in York county, died early this morning, at residence of his nephew, John Lawrence. He would have been 100 years old in next July. He had said that he could remember when the site of the Normal School building in Queen street was a cattail swamp.

Local government finished business of session last evening and all members except Messrs. Clarke and Morrissy have returned home.

At the week of prayer meeting last evening, a resolution was passed calling for a rigid enforcement of the Scott Act. Complaint was made that there was altogether too much drunkenness among soldiers here.

The county council today ratified an agreement entered into with the city council in regard to the apportionment of the administration of justice accounts between the city and county. Legislation will be sought at the next session.

A committee composed of Judge Wilson, Dr. T. C. Allen and A. R. Slipp drove to Burton this morning and interviewed the Sunbury county council. They asked that a grant be made in aid of the Patriotic Fund, and that committees be organized. It was pointed out that six families in that county are receiving assistance from the Fredericton fund. The matter was promised consideration.

Colonel Rathburn is expected here today from Ottawa to inspect the field batteries.

NAVARRA CAPTAIN GIVES EVIDENCE AT WRECK INQUIRY

Yarmouth, N. S., Jan. 7—The enquiry into the loss of the steamer Navarra was opened before L. A. Demers, government wreck commissioner, this morning. Associated with him are Captains J. W. Anderson and B. R. Hilton. The evidence of Captain Milligan was taken. He said his course from Brier Island to the Lurcher was south by west, then south, southeast to Blonde rock. They passed the Lurchers at 10.50 during a thick haze and rain, she struck at 12.10.

The first officer testified that the compasses were fairly correct. He was on deck when they left St. John. They passed the Lurcher at 10.50. Then the second officer took charge. The course was given S.S.E. At 12 o'clock the weather was thick but a light would have been visible two miles away. It was rainy and the ship was going at full speed, about eight and a half knots. This officer is still on the stand.

NOT GETTING SO MUCH NOW FOR THE FUND

Ottawa, Jan. 7—The Patriotic Fund additions today are $1,473 from Strathroy, Ont.; $707 from Hemmingford, Que.; $350 from Elmira, Ont. The total is $2,274,287. Contributions have let up considerably of late.

TO RE-OPEN MINES

East Ohio Coal Operators to Resume Despite Miners' Strike

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 7—Operators of East Ohio coal properties yesterday afternoon concluded a three day conference here with the understanding that the mines will be reopened in spite of the strike of the United Mine Workers of America.

Orders were sent by many of the operators to mine bosses and superintendents to start cleaning up the mines for re-opening after the nine-month shutdown.

All of the operators in District No. 8, as the Eastern Ohio coal district is called, are in agreement on the general policy of opening the mines again including the Lorain Coal & Dock Company, concerning whose stand there was some doubt prior to yesterday's conference.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wilmot of Belmont, have moved to Fredericton for the winter season.

Mrs. M. E. Alguire of St. John, who has been visiting friends in Fort Fairfield has left for Boston and Niagara Falls.

W. F. Mahon, managing director of the Eastern Securities Co., Ltd. has removed from Montreal to Halifax. Mr. Mahon lived for a time in St. John and is well known in financial circles here.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm McAvity of St. John have been in New York at the Hotel Astor on their honeymoon.

George M. McDade left last night for Halifax where he will resume his studies in the Dalhousie Law School.

Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, attorney-general, and Hon. J. E. Wilson, M.P.P., returned home from Fredericton today.

M. W. Doherty returned today from upper Canada.

Mrs. H. V. Hayes returned home yesterday after a visit during the holidays at the home of her daughter Mrs. Alban E. Clarke, Toronto.

MANY DESIRE TO BE NATURALIZED UNDER THE IMPERIAL LAW

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 7—The imperial naturalization law which went into effect on the first of the month is being availed of to an extent which was wholly unanticipated. Applications for naturalization are coming in from all parts of the country.

CIVIL SERVICE BILL TO BE RE-INTRODUCED

Ottawa, Jan. 7—In addition to legislation bearing directly on the war at the coming session of parliament, it is understood that the civil service bill will re-introduced and passed. While it provides for certain increases, these would not be payable this year, and otherwise the bill makes little or no tax on the treasury.

CHAS. CHAPLIN IN BANNER KEYSTONE SUCCESS—UNIQUE

Friday and Saturday Attraction—Dough and Dynamite Special Two Part Comedy

The most laughable comedy of the season is said to be the rattling Keystone production, "Dough and Dynamite," booked especially for the Unique Friday and Saturday of this week. Chas. Chaplin, the most famous picture comedian in the world, plays the part of a cook and what doesn't happen in the two reels of this comedy gem is not worth talking about. For pure laughter, Dough and Dynamite stands alone. Friday, Saturday only.

FIGHTING WHITE PLAGUE IN PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA

Delegates From Counties Meet in Truro to Deal With Subject

(Amherst News.)

Tuberculosis is to be prevented in a large measure by the concerted action of the various municipalities of the province of Nova Scotia.

Yesterday a committee under Dr. Hattie, medical health officer of this province, convened in Truro to decide the question in full. For some time past Doctor Hattie in conjunction with other medical men, has been preparing plans for the prevention of ravages from the white plague.

He presented these plans before the delegations from the different countries, and the plans were regarded in a most favorable light.

Mayor Avard, who represented the town of Amherst, with Warden Drysdale and County Clerk D. J. McLeod as delegates for the welfare of the county at large, entertained a most enthusiastic opinion of the meeting.

The mayor informed the News this morning, that a central hospital would be created in the district composed of Cumberland, Colchester and Hants Counties, with outstanding clinics in each separate county.

These clinics would be open for a short period each day, and a nurse, trained in tubercular study, along with an expert physician, would always be present to attend any patients.

If the case was merely in its incipient stage, the patient would be advised to go to the Sanitarium at Kentville, or possibly to remain at home, and be cared for by his friends or relatives. Presuming the latter, a trained nurse would be sent to the patient's residence to instruct that home how best to care for a consumptive.

Then if such measures as the above would prove useless to a sufferer in the advanced stages, that person would be entered in the central hospital where he or she, whatever the case may be, would be carefully looked after by the most skilled physicians and medical attendants.

The benefits of such hospitals as these cannot possibly be imagined. Not only are they necessary for the tubercular patient, but they also act as a safeguard to the community. It is a move which should have been taken long years ago.

R. K. Y. C. FUND FOR SOLDIERS

Already $500 Cabled to Lady Jellicoe on Account

The R. K. Y. C. is meeting with much success in its collection for the Lady Jellicoe Fund for the British sailors. A large number of the club members are taking subscriptions. Today, Thursday, a remittance of $500 was cabled to Lady Jellicoe on account. The treasurer of the fund, George C. Tingey, gives the following partial list of the subscribers: Miss Pratt, $5; J. S. Gray, K. T. Woodrow, J. H. Frink, F W. Connell, George R. Crosby, Mrs. Charles Johnston, Miss A. K. Wilson, Miss Blanche Costley, W. A. McLaskey, George D. Wanamaker, S. D. Crawford, each $1; A. R. Kennedy, C. P. Humphrey, James Mussen, each $2; Thomas R. Gilbert, D. Dunlop, Miss J. I. Shaw, O. G. Branscombe, William Kunciman, S. W. Henderson, H. S. Drinan, A. H. Ward, Daniel McKinney, W. T. Jenkins, J. S. R. Seely, M. Newfield, Miss Stentiford, T. N. Vincent, John Dunlop, H. C. Spear, A. Binning, C. L. Wood, G. D. Sweeney, A. G. Burnham, R. J. Hooper, R. J. Stevens, F. L. Ruddock, William Hawker, each $1; Mrs. C. F. Woodman, $5; Mrs. Robert Thomson, $5.

SAVING MONEY BY IT

Sapping operations on a small scale, similar to that carried on by the armies in their great conflict along the line in France, are being tried out by the water and sewerage department under the direction of Commissioner Wigmore and are proving very successful. The object sought, however, is not to blow fellow human beings into nothingness by wholesale but to save a few dollars for the overworked taxpayer.

Sewerage excavation is now being carried on in plain earth work both on the Corkery property and in Clifton street, West Side, and the eighteen inches of frost in the ground forms a crust which makes possible the sapping spoken of. In making the trench at intervals a bridge from ten to fifteen feet in length is left, the soft earth being taken out from underneath on either side but leaving the frozen covering, thus saving a good many cubic feet of earth which does not have to be be removed.

On these two undertakings there is so much water that the commissioner believes that the winter work will prove a saving. In summer it would be necessary to shore up and drain the trenches continually.

Men of the department are also busy in Prospect street, all rock work, and at East St. John extending both water and sewerage to the new tuberculosis hospital.

QUEBEC LEGISLATURE.

The Quebec legislature opened today. Legislation relating to agriculture and good roads was promised and assistance to Belgian immigration if the need should arise.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S CATARRH POWDER 25c. is sent direct to the diseased parts by the Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops droppings in the throat and permanently cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. 25c. blower free. Accept no substitutes. All dealers or Edmanson Bates & Co., Toronto.

LOCAL NEWS

THE MOST FOR THE MONEY

People buy their shoes and clothing at Wiezel's Cash Stores, Union street, because they know they get the most for their money and are certain of satisfaction.

NOTICE

Remember the clean sweep, Saturday, January 9, at 207 Union street.

Our latest home-made candy, butter mellows, 20c. lb., Friday and Saturday. —Phillips' three stores. 1—9.

We are going to make a clean sweep at 207 Union street.

Come and do your purchasing at the clean sweep, Saturday, January 9—207 Union street.

FRUIT AND CANDY BARGAINS

Molasses chewing bar, 12c. lb.; horehound candy, 14c. lb.; Neilson's 50c. chocolates, 33c.; large sweet Florida oranges, 22c. dozen; Valencia oranges, 12c. dozen; 2 lb. jar home-made orange marmalade, 19c.; pint jar home-preserved strawberries, 19c.—Friday and Saturday.—Phillips' stores. 1—9.

Men's first quality rubber boots, $2.98, $3.85 and $4.85.—Wiezels' cash stores, Union street.

BARGAINS IN WINTER MILLINERY AT M. R. A.'s

This will be the final opportunity in winter millinery bargains, and as this event is intended to accomplish a complete clearance the prices have been made low accordingly. There will be attractive offerings in trimmed and untrimmed felt hats, fancy knit and sport caps, dress and pattern hats, wings, feathers, etc., all in millinery salon, second floor. Sale will start Friday morning at 9 o'clock.

Y. M. C. A. SPORT.

In the Y. M. C. A. junior basketball league yesterday afternoon, Trentowsky's team defeated Cairns' team 16 to 12. The league standing follows:

	Won	Lost	P.C.
Jordan	2	1	.667
Trentowsky	3	2	.600
Sealy	2	2	.500
Willett	2	2	.500
Cairns	1	3	.250

In the senior league last evening the Belgians defeated the Englanders, 18 to 17. Russia won a forfeited game from France.

IN NEW QUARTERS

The up-town ticket offices of the I. C. R. have been moved to those formerly occupied by the C. P. R. at the corner of King and Germain. The offices have been renovated and are most attractive. The Ford Motor Company will occupy the offices near the foot of King vacated by the I. C. R.

INFORMATION WANTED

Enquiries from the country this morning to the board of trade asked the addresses of wholesale potato buyers and the dimensions of pit props likely to be required by the British market.

TRAIN DELAYED

The Halifax express, due in the city at 6.15 this morning, was reported running seven hours late, having been held up because of the accident in which a mail train was derailed yesterday, near Truro.

PARLIAMENT.

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 7—With the exception of Hon. Dr. Roche, who is still in the west and Hon. Martin Burrill, who is recuperating in the south, practically all the cabinet ministers are now in Ottawa attending the sittings of the cabinet preparatory for the opening of parliament. It is intended to have the limited programme of business ready for the opening on February 4, and to lose no time in getting at it.

Prominent Freemason.

London, Ont., Jan. 7—Henry Leighton, aged 65, general manager of the Harriston Furniture Company, and one of the most prominent Masons in the province died suddenly from heart trouble last evening.

Noted Artist Dies Suddenly.

New York, Jan. 7—Roswell Morse Shurtleff, aged 76, a noted artist, died suddenly last night, as he was entering a drug store.

The Best Quality at a Reasonable Price

Two Hundred Per Cent.

In twenty years Diamond prices have advanced two hundred per cent. The London Syndicate, which takes the entire output of the DeBeer's Mining Company and controls 98 per cent. of the world's Diamond supply, has for twenty years received more money for each shipment then the previous one brought.

On August 1st the DeBeers Company closed its mines, and the London Syndicate has refused to sell a single Diamond since that date.

You can expect Diamond prices to advance constantly for many years after the war is over. You will never again be able to buy Diamonds so cheaply as you can now at Sharpe's. Each Diamond is guaranteed as to quality, color and weight.

L. L. Sharpe & Son
Jewellers and Opticians
21 King Street, St. John, N. B.

DELICATESSEN
SPECIAL FOR FRIDAY

Fish Cakes	20c. a doz.
Dressed Roast Pork	40c. a lb.
Boiled Ham	50c. a lb.
Head-Cheese	14c. a bowl
Chicken Pies	15c. each
Fruit Pies	10c. and 20c. each

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WE ARE BUSY

Because of Public Confidence

When times are bad every cent spent in Furniture has to be expended to the utmost advantage.

It is then that the purchaser begins to wonder whether the great "bargains" that are advertised in the papers are really the bargains that their sellers would have the public believe. It is then that the store that has ALWAYS made a point of selling the most in QUALITY Furniture for the least money reaps the benefit of its fair dealing policy.

At J. MARCUS' the public have always been assured of the utmost value for every penny spent, and now that times are not too good, we are still busy. The reason is plain to see.

VALUE AND FAIR DEALING

J. Marcus, 30 Dock St.

Complete Home Furnishers

FEDERAL BY-ELECTIONS ALL BY ACCLAMATION

Ottawa, Ont., Jan. 7—An arrangement has been reached between the party leaders to have the five by-elections pending go by acclamation. London, Jacques Cartier, Terrebonne and Prince Albert were held by Conservatives, and Conservatives will be returned. Westmorland will return a Liberal by acclamation. A conservative candidate in the field in Westmoreland has agreed to retire. The by-elections will be held at once.

MAY SAVE LONSDALE

London, Jan. 7—The Morning Post's Berne, Switzerland, correspondent says he learns that the death sentence on Private William Lonsdale, an English soldier who was tried by courtmartial in Germany for an attack on one of the guards at the prisoners' camp at Doeberitz, will not be carried out.

Lonsdale, when convicted, was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment, but on reviewing the testimony a superior courtmartial condemned him to death.

The lord mayor of Leeds, England, the home of Lonsdale, appealed to Henry Van Dyke, the American minister to The Netherlands, asking the minister to endeavor to save Lonsdale.

Dr. Van Dyke replied that he was doing everything possible, and had also requested the American ambassador at Berlin to take up the matter.

SYDNEY NEWSPAPER MAN WEDS WIDOW OF MILLIONAIRE TYTUS

Sydney, Jan. 7—Today in Grace church New York, J. S. McLennan, proprietor of the Sydney Post, and Grace Bishop Tytus, millionaire widow of Robb Depeyster Tytus of Tyrinwham, Mass., were married.

AMENDMENT OF SEA LAWS IS PROPOSED

Washington, Jan. 7—An amendment to the admiralty laws passed by the house yesterday would permit plaintiffs in actions to recover damages for death or injury at sea, to sue either under the laws of the United States or those of the country under the flag of which the ship sailed.

In suits following the sinking of the Titanic, the plaintiffs were compelled to accept the limitations of the American law, under which they could recover virtually no damages, instead of the English law, which would have fixed a $3,000,000 liability upon the owners of the ship.

THE LATE MRS. J. H. FOWLER

The death of Harriet E. Cosman Fowler, wife of James H. Fowler, which occurred on Jan. 4 at her residence, 129 Brussels street, followed an illness of many months of great suffering from stomach trouble. Mrs. Fowler was born at Millstream, Kings county and was in the sixtieth year of her age. After her marriage more than thirty eight years ago she resided at Perry's Point, King's county, where her death was heard of with deep regret as she was ever ready to lend a helping hand in time of sickness or trouble.

Besides her sorrowing husband there are left to mourn two sons, six daughters, nineteen grandchildren, three sisters and six brothers. The children are: Percy E of South Framingham, Mass.; William C., of St. John—Mrs. H. Saunders of Portland, Me.; Mrs. L. T. Pierce of Rothesay, Mrs. J. Murphy, Mrs. A. Saunders, Mrs J. W. Cosman and Mrs. G. Crawford, St. John. Mrs. A. E. Worden of Tennant's Cove, Miss Jane Cosman of Apohaqui and Miss Bessie of Everett, Mass., are sisters. Daniel of Apohaqui, Jacob of Millstream, Nelson of St. John, Jerry, Elijah and Christopher of the United States are the brothers. The funeral took place on Wednesday afternoon with service at the house at 2.30, conducted by Rev. James Ross and Rev. F. H. Wentworth. Interment was in Cedar Hill.

DICKINSON-ANDERSON

The wedding of Miss Myrtle Jane Anderson and Artaur Young Dickinson, occurred at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Amies, Fort Fairfield, Me., on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Dickinson left on the C. P. R. train for their home in Hartland. The groom is a member of the firm of John McLaughlin Clothing Co. Hartland, N. B., and also a member of a large cement concern. The bride is a graduate of Jamaica Plain hospital serving in her vocation as nurse in Fort Fairfield for the past two years.

Quebec Model Farm

Ottawa, Jan. 7—The new model farm in Northern Quebec is to be located at Nottaway, Courville Township, 180 miles east of Cochrane. The provincial government has granted 1,000 acres. The new Ontario farm is to be near Hearst.

According to the Philadelphia North American culture is gaining in the south. In Mississippi a lynching party drowned their man instead of brutally hanging him.

TODAY WITH THE SOLDIERS

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the province. It is not likely that they can be accepted as the accommodation is not sufficient for a large class. Since the opening of this school the training has been taken in local business warehouses, offices and similar centres owing to there being no other places available.

Can't Use School

A proposal for the members of "A" Co. 62nd Regiment to use the assembly hall of the King Edward school building has been rejected. Owing to the armory being filled with men training for overseas services the others cannot conveniently use it for drilling, so an application was made as stated. The matter was left with the architect and building inspector, and they have reported unfavorably because of the hall being on an upstairs floor. The company will now have to seek other quarters.

In Soldiers' Honor

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rodgers, Milford, last night a pleasant time was enjoyed at a surprise party in honor of Private J. E. Totten and Private Bruce H. Milton. Each is a member of No. 5 Co., A. S. C. During the evening M. Christiansen, in behalf of those assembled presented a set of military brushes to Pte. Totten, and entrusted another set to his care to be given Pte. Milton who through illness was unable to be present. Games, music and refreshments helped in making a delightful time.

Presentation.

About thirty friends of Wm. F. Crowley, who has joined the 26th N. B. Battalion, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter McCarthy in Pond street, last evening, to do honor to the young soldier, to whom ere long they must bid farewell. On behalf of those assembled John Foley presented to Mr. Crowley a handsome military set accompanied by a neat address. Refreshments were served and the gathering dispersed after a very enjoyable evening.

In Fredericton.

The Fredericton Gleaner says:—

Three more volunteers from Fredericton enlisted yesterday with the 24th Battery of Field Artillery mobilized here under the command of Lt. Col. B. A. Ingraham.

Only specialists are being taken on now, and the three Fredericton men who enlisted yesterday all have special qualifications. George Segee, an experienced harness maker, has become the saddler of the battery; Jas. Day, a qualified blacksmith, moulder and wheelwright, has become the wheeler, while James Kitchen, a licensed chauffeur, has also enlisted.

One of the latest recruits to join the 24th Battery is T. W. Carter, who has been a locomotive fireman on No. 2 district of the C. P. R., with headquarters at Woodstock. He has been given the rank of corporal, having seen a considerable amount of active service.

For ten years Corporal Carter was a member of the Royal Marines and saw active service in Somaliland and China. While the Russian-Japanese war was in progress he served on H. M. S. Sirius, protecting British commerce in the China Seas. The Sirius was commanded by Capt. H. C. Moore, R. N., who is now an admiral and who recently led the daring British cruiser squadron in the raid on Heligoland.

Carleton County has contributed a large number of men to the field artillery mobilized here, the list including Lieut. R. V. Jones, D. M. Slipp, R. E. H. Craig, A. Brown, F. R. Fawcett, H. Lewis, D. Mcluskey, E. R. Snow, F. M. Buck, V. Thornton, E. Noddin, F. R. Camp, W. Hand and W. C. Heatlie.

NEW COMPANY

Oran B. Davis, of Grand Falls, H. G. Kitchen, Douglas G. Kitchen, C. Albert Kitchen, of Fredericton and Douglas S. Hooper, of Drummond, Victoria county are applying for incorporation as the O. B. Davis, Ltd., to carry on a general manufacturing and lumbering business. The head office of the company will be at Drummond.

TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

MINCE and Lemon PIES, Doughnuts, LORD Baltimore CAKE, Bread, etc., done by Women's Exchange, Tea and Lunch Room, 158 Union.

TO LET — Three steam heated back rooms; central, with private bath room, fireplace. Write, give name. "Fireplace," Times office.

COAL! COAL!

Scotch and American Anthracite, Minudie, Broad Cove, and Sydney soft coal by the ton, load, barrel or bag.

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WANTED—A Chamber Maid. Apply Edward Hotel. 20502-1—11

LUNCH Counter Man Wanted at once. Apply Edward Buffet. 20497-1—11

HOUSE or Lower Flat Wanted, not over $400 per year. Times Box 400, care Times. 20508-1—15

TO LET—Attractive Bed Sitting Room, with or without board, All modern improvements; central. Address A. A., Times. 20506-1—15

HOUSE Wanted on C. P. R. between St. John and Westfield; not over $150 for season. Times Box, 150, care Times. 20507-1—15

WANTED—A number of boys sixteen years or over to work around machine shop. Apply Vulcan Iron Works, corner Broad and Charlotte streets. 20501-1—11

THE ENGLISH FARMER

A correspondent, criticising J. B. Daggett's recent reference to the desirability of a larger use of machinery by English farmers, writes:—

"Does it not strike Mr. Daggett that the agricultural laborer in England has certain inalienable rights in the land? Should yeoman and tenant farmers do their work by machinery, many of the older men would be turned out of work. Let Mr. Dagget keep up his heart. The English farmer is a farmer."

THE GREEKS' CHRISTMAS

If you extend your hand in greeting to a happy smiling Greek today and wished him a "Merry Christmas" he would think it only proper, even though it is almost a fortnight since December 25. Today is the great feast-day with the Greeks, taking the time from the old Julian calendar, and beginning last night the celebration is supposed to last three days. Because of the war the celebrations this year will probably not be on so large a scale as in other seasons. A week from today will be New Year's with the Greeks.

TONIGHT'S CONCERT

All is in readiness for a concert to be given tonight in the Star Theatre, North End, in aid of the Red Cross fund. A programme of particular merit has been arranged and all who attend are assured of a pleasant time. The proceeds are to be devoted to the Red Cross Society and it is hoped the attendance will be worthy of the object. The event should be a distinct success.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

An enjoyable surprise party was last night tendered James LeClair at his home, 112 Rockland Road, in honor of his birthday. He received a handsome leather chair from those present. The presentation was made by Mr. Ring. An entertaining programme of music and games was enjoyed with refreshments served about midnight.

RS. HANNAH McAULEY.

Mrs. Hannah McAulay, a well known resident of the city, died yesterday at her home, 331 City Road. She was the widow of William J. McAuley, and a native of Queens county, N. B. In her younger days she was an active member of the guilds affiliated with St. Mary's Church, Waterloo street.

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