

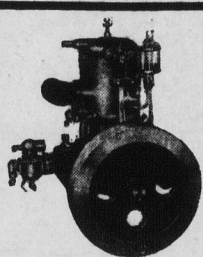
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## Competitions For Boys and Girls

This week I am not letting you have a picture of Jumbo, to paint, as I want you to try and draw him yourselves. Just get your pen and ink, and a piece of paper, about 10 inches square, and draw a picture of Jumbo dressed as a scout, doing some good turn. If you wish you may then color the sketch, with either water colors or chalks.

To the young artist who does the best drawing I will award a valuable story book as a prize, and to the sender of the next best, another pretty book. You must not be more than fifteen years of age.

It's a simple competition, no hard rules, no entrance fees, just cut out three coupons, fill them up, pin them to the finished drawing and send all addressed to

**UNCLE DICK,**  
 THE STANDARD, St. John, N. B.

This Contest Will Close August 12th

Coupon to be Used in Both Contests

**STANDARD COMPETITION FOR BOYS AND GIRLS**

Full Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 Age Last Birthday \_\_\_\_\_  
 Aug. 6, 1915.

The Prize winner's name will appear in the Children's Corner of The Standard on August 14th.

### SPECIAL SEWING CONTEST

In Aid of the Red Cross Society (St. John Branch).  
 This week I am letting you have a special sewing contest, and I want you all to enter for the prize, as the work you send in will be given to the above society, and the poor wounded soldiers will be greatly comforted by your efforts. Here are the particulars: Make a cup cover measuring 7 inches square, using two thicknesses of ordinary cheese cloth, hand stitched across the center and around the edges in the same way as you make the face cloths, then sew little beads or shot on to the corners to make the cover hang over the edge of the cup or glass.

The cup covers are to be used to keep the flies and dust out of the cups and glasses of milk, etc., in the hospitals of France and Flanders and are greatly needed, pin the above coupon to the cup covers when finished and forward not later than Thursday, August 19th, 1915, to

**UNCLE DICK,**  
 The Standard,  
 St. John, N. B.

This contest is open to both girls and boys, as I want you to make as many cup covers as possible, knowing that they are to be used for the wounded soldiers.

I shall award two valuable story books, one for the best made, and another for the most covers sent in.

### ODDFELLOWSHIP.

The fifty-eighth annual session of the Maritime Provinces of Canada, I. O. O. F., and the twenty-fourth annual session of Grand Encampment; also the twelfth annual session of the Rebekah Assembly, will meet at Charlottetown, P. E. Island, commencing August 10. A very large

number will be present from the Maritime Provinces and Newfoundland. The Grand Lodge of the I. O. O. F., Manchester Unity, for the Maritime Provinces, meets in Halifax on August 25th. The business will be confined absolutely to matters, necessitating attention and all festivities have been eliminated from the programme. The sessions will continue for one or two days.

## EXCELLENT CROPS IN NEW BRUNSWICK

Secretary for Agriculture sends out report which is very encouraging.

J. B. Daggett, secretary for agriculture, has sent the Board of Trade the following report as to crop conditions in this province:

"In the northern counties, Victoria and Carleton, the hay crop is estimated from fifteen to twenty-five per cent short, but in other parts the crop is excellent, and more than makes up for this shortage.

"All other crops are looking splendid; never saw them better. The weather for the past ten days has been ideal and the growth and development have been very rapid and satisfactory. The outlook was rather poor until within the last few days, but now the improvement is so marked we are very hopeful of having considerably over the average.

"There is about twenty-five per cent less acreage in potatoes this year, with perhaps more than that increase in the acreage of grains and other roots.

"There was a good set of fruit, but on account of the cold, wet weather in the months of May and June, the set was not very strong, with the result that we are having a large number of drops, with the prospect that there will not be over half the usual crop of apples.

"Pasturage is excellent and livestock is all doing well."

### EXCELLENT EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES OFFERED AT MOUNT ALLISON.

Institutions at Sackville, N. B., provide Advantages for Young Men and Young Women Which Are Not Excelled in the Maritime Provinces.

The Mount Allison educational institutions at Sackville, N. B., have been doing a worthy work for Eastern Canada during many years. Their steady growth attests the efficiency of the instruction provided, and the wholesome attractiveness of life at the different schools which make up the group of institutions. Young men and young women seeking the advantages of higher education and parents with children for whom they wish to obtain such advantages should give attention to the Mount Allison advertisement in this issue.

The general name "Mount Allison" covers the University, the Ladies' College, the Academy. A number of courses are given at each institution. At the University there are courses in Arts, Science, Engineering, Finance and Commerce—an advanced commercial course—and a course leading to the degree of Bachelor of Music. Professors of ability make up strong faculties and in the college year which commences this autumn increased strength is to be given by the appointment of a second Professor of Classics and by the establishment of a chair of Biology. The expenses of course at the University are low while the residential life made possible by a magnificent men's residence is one of the most attractive and beneficial features of time spent at the institution.

The Ladies' College provides literary courses, courses in Fine Arts under the direction of a member of the Royal Canadian Academy and an exhibitor in Paris, who is assisted by a capable staff, and courses in Domestic Science. Various special courses are also provided by a large and competent staff of teachers.

Connected with the Ladies' College is the Conservatory of Music which has won a name for itself in musical circles in the Maritime Provinces. The Conservatory is under the direction of Professor Fritz Read, an English musician of high standing in his profession. Associated with him is a staff of teachers nearly all of whom have studied under the best of modern masters in Europe. Instruction is given in Voice, Piano, Pipe Organ, and Violin.

The Academy. At the Academy general educational training is provided for boys and young men. Students are prepared for matriculation into colleges of Arts, Engineering, Medicine, etc., and thoroughly prepared. Under the direction of Dr. J. M. Palmer the Academy has won an enviable reputation as a residential preparatory school of the highest order.

Under the direction of Dr. Palmer and the immediate supervision of a trained teacher of commercial subjects the Mount Allison Commercial College is also conducted. It annually numbers many young men and young women among its students. The commercial college provides courses in stenography, type-writing, book-keeping and other subjects by study of which young people are fitted for commercial pursuits. The success of its graduates testifies to the efficiency of the work done by the commercial college.

### Motor Boat Races

Owners of speed boats at the St. John Power Boat Club are getting their craft in readiness in anticipation of the coming speed boat contest to be held under the auspices of that club. The date for the race has not definitely been decided. Some of the fast ones include the Patricia, Essex, Dixie and Silver Spray. It is understood that arrangements for the Norton Griffiths cup race have been turned over to the Power Boat Club. Whether that race will come off or not will not be known until later.

## CONTRIBUTIONS FOR THE RED CROSS

Lady Tilley Acknowledges Receipt of Donation.

As treasurer of the New Brunswick Provincial Branch of the Red Cross Society, Lady Tilley acknowledges with thanks the receipt of the following contributions:

The Lakeville and Williams-town Society for bed in the Duchess of Connaught Canadian Red Cross Hospital... \$50.00  
 Moncton Red Cross Society, for three beds in the Duchess of Connaught Canadian Red Cross Hospital... 150.00  
 Rev. F. H. Howell, for two "New Denmark" beds in the Duchess of Connaught Canadian Red Cross Hospital, contributed by the people of Saint-John... 100.00  
 Whitney, Strathadam and South Esk Red Cross, for bed in the Duchess of Connaught Hospital... 50.00  
 Dorchester Red Cross, for Duchess of Connaught Hospital... 60.00  
 Ladies of Fair Vale, for bed in the Duchess of Connaught Hospital and for hospital supplies... 62.00  
 The Gleason Society, Lakeside, N. B., for bed in Duchess of Connaught Hospital and "up-keep of same for one year... 75.00  
 People of Collingwood, per W. A. Schofield... 24.00  
 Red Cross Committee, Avonmore, per J. E. Hickson... 42.10  
 K. E. M... 1.00  
 Proceeds of Bazaar held by Louise Glennie, Jessie Kennedy and Louise Betts... 5.45

### THE FUNDS

Field Kitchen Fund.  
 Mayor Frink received the following subscriptions to the Field Kitchen Fund for the 26th Battalion yesterday:  
 W. H. B. Sadiel... \$10.00  
 Friend (J. V.)... 5.00

Patriotic Fund.  
 C. B. Allan, secretary-treasurer, reports the following contributions: Collection taken at annual service, R. K. Y. C. July 25, per H. W. Stubbs... \$90.00  
 Allan Gundry, monthly... 10.00  
 Officers and crew C. G. S. Aberdeen... 5.00

The following subscriptions to the Machine Gun Fund were received by Mayor Frink yesterday:  
 Salvage Corps No. 1... \$25.00  
 Emerson & Fisher... 750.00  
 W. E. DeM... 25.00  
 W. E. J... 1.00  
 E. V. L... 2.00  
 W. I. Fenton... 100.00

### CONFIRMATION TOUR.

His Lordship Bishop LeBlanc confirmed a class of 38 candidates at St. Andrew's church, St. Andrews, Wednesday morning. At 10 o'clock solemn High Mass was celebrated by Rt. Rev. Monsignor Doyle, D. P., with Rev. W. Menahan, D. D., pastor, as deacon, and Rev. R. J. Coughlan, Johnville, sub-deacon. Rev. F. W. McBride, C. S. C., of St. Joseph's College, and Rev. M. P. Howland, of St. John, supported the Bishop. Father Howland gave a brief instruction before Confirmation was given, and His Lordship addressed the class after administering the sacred rite.

In the afternoon at Rolling Dam His Lordship confirmed 40 candidates and gave an instructive sermon. Father Coughlan spoke before the ceremony.

Patriotic Entertainment  
 George Mitchell, Margaret Mitchell, Ronald Dykeman, Elene Fisher, Viola Johnson, Jean Johnson and Edson Somerville, young children, gave a patriotic entertainment at the United Baptist parlours, Starkey's, Queens county, on Tuesday evening, August 3rd. Songs, duets, recitations and exercises were rendered in a very pleasing manner. Robert Mitchell, with his auto, accompanied the singing in his usual skillful way. The sum of five dollars was realized which the children gave to the patriotic fund.

## HAD DIARRHOEA.

Was So Bad Passed Blood.

Little Boy Was Cured By Using DR. FOWLER'S Extract of Wild Strawberry.

Diarrhoea arises from many causes such as, change of water, change of climate, change of diet, catching cold, the eating of unripe fruits, etc. Never neglect what, at first sight, appears to be a slight attack of diarrhoea, for if you do some serious bowel trouble may ensue.

Mrs. Wm. Bartlett, Stanley, N.B., writes: "Last summer our little boy, age 1 1/2 years, took diarrhoea. He got so bad as to pass blood. We procured a bottle of Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry, and after I had given him the third dose he was all right. I would not be without it, as I consider it a household remedy. It is a Godsend to any family."

## ARRANGING FOR WORK IN BATHURST

A.R.C. Clark & Son collecting plant ready to start Water and Sewerage work.

At a meeting of the Bathurst town council on last Thursday evening, Mayor Michaud was authorized to sign the water and sewerage system contract with A. R. C. Clark & Son, St. John. The Mayor had previously refused to sign until the contractors had signed the necessary bond. Mr. Clark was present at the meeting.

George Gilbert, the town solicitor, said he had made several changes to safeguard the town's interests and these also had been agreed to by Hon. J. B. M. Baxter, solicitor for the contractors.

Mr. Clark said that it was only a waste of time to talk about having the bond produced before the contract was signed, as it was absolutely impossible for him to secure a bond for this work before the contract was signed.

Ald. Power asked Mr. Clark if the tender was first accepted that the Clark Company would award the contract for item No. 2 to Connolly Bros. would be inserted in the contract awarded to them, and Mr. Clark replied that while this could not be entered in the contract, he gave his word of honor that this part of the work would be given to the Bathurst men as previously agreed upon.

It was agreed that item No. 3 in the original contract and specifications with amendments as accepted by the council be awarded to the Chicago Bridge & Iron Works in the same words as that A. R. C. Clark & Son, varying only as to price of work and number of days—the price to be \$13,860 and number of days 100 calendar days.

Mr. Clark left for Montreal to arrange his company's bond and order forward material. It is expected that a large part of the material required to commence the work will be in Bathurst this week, and no time will be lost in getting the job started.

## TOBACCO FUND



**TOMMY NEEDS THE SMOKES!**  
 Contributions taken by the Postmaster of St. John for Overseas Tobacco Fund.

To the Editor of the Standard:  
 Sir—Having received from Overseas Amalgamated Tobacco Funds of Montreal (P. Q.), their Collecting Funds' Card, I would earnestly appeal to our citizens for their contributions towards maintaining successfully the mission it represents.

I may here quote the following information contained in the appeal, and state the Postmaster will gladly receive all contributions, and as each card is filled will forward the same with the amount collected to headquarters, Montreal.

(1st) Every cent contributed goes to purchase tobacco and cigarettes.  
 (2nd) By arrangement with the British and French governments the tobacco is packed in bond and shipped duty free. This enables the Overseas Club to secure tobacco and cigarettes at the lowest possible price.

(3rd) For one quarter (25c.), the Overseas Club are able to supply 50 cigarettes, 4 oz. smoking mixture, a box of matches and a postcard. For \$1.00 the Overseas Club can supply 50 cigarettes, 4 oz. smoking tobacco, 1 briar pipe, 1 tinder lighter, 1 rubber-lined pouch, some matches and a postcard.

Received by the Postmaster for Overseas Tobacco Fund:  
 Previously acknowledged... \$60.00  
 G. E. Webb, 41 Sewall St... 5.00  
 W. E. Whelpley, 240 Paradise Row... 1.00  
 T. L. Reed, P. O. Staff... 1.00  
 Mrs. F. O. Allison, 23 Garden St... 2.00  
 Mrs. R. N. Ritchie, Hampton... 1.00  
 A. Friend (Mr. McK)... 25  
 J. D. Maher, D.D.S., Douglas Ave... 1.00  
 J. E. Whittaker, 34 Dorchester St... 1.00  
 A. B. Holly, Douglas Ave... 5.00  
 Total... \$77.25

### Gave Their Earnings.

Five boys belonging to Renforth gave all the money they earned as caddies on the Riverside golf links last week to the Red Cross Fund. In this way something in the vicinity of fifteen dollars was raised.

## NEW PICTURE HOUSE FOR THE NORTH END

Temple Building has been fitted up to seat 350 people.

A new picture house to be known as the Palace will be opened in the Temple Building, Main street, soon. The lower floor of the building has been remodelled and presents a pleasing appearance. Up-to-date equipment, including a fireproof operating booth have been installed.

The operating booth, situated in the gallery, is built of angle iron and reinforced with steel netting, besides being finished with asbestos and concrete. Steel slides cover all the openings, thus rendering the booth absolutely fireproof.

A thoroughly up-to-date picture machine has been procured by the management. Thomas Prince will be the operator. The theatre is provided with three exits, making it possible to empty the building inside of three minutes. The Palace will be run under the management of John T. Vincent.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal.  
 R. L. Darnel and family, C. S. Archibald, Toronto; D. Townsend, River Glade; J. B. Hildart, Montreal; Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Smith, Lynn; Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Anderson, New York; A. B. Wilmet, R. W. McLellan, Fredericton; Mrs. C. W. Reinhold, Miss Helen Vickery, Steelton; G. Erhard, Boston; B. MacFarlane, Truro; A. O. Dawson, W. M. Johnston, Montreal; J. W. Graham, R. M. Webster, St. Stephen; L. A. Keams, Miss Read, Ottawa; L. M. Fortier, Annapolis Royal; Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Buckley, Jr., Philadelphia; Mr. and Mrs. E. Hollwedel, Brooklyn; J. Cripp, Boston; Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Linhart, Gloucester; E. V. Papin, E. C. Papin, St. Louis; A. B. McLean, Boston; Dr. E. F. McVane, A. M. Brickford, Portland; Mrs. L. C. Bridgeham, Boston; J. A. Bailey and wife, Dr. B. Manning and wife, New York; A. B. Papin, Sackville; A. B. Pringle, St. Pringle, Toronto; C. L. Mullin, New York.

### Victoria.

N. R. Norman, Moncton; C. E. Cole, do; A. McGowan, Montreal; W. K. Sprague, New York; L. Roberts, do; F. S. Small, Fredericton; J. B. Lord, New York; E. P. Ratray, Amherst; J. W. Houlton, Harry McLean, Woodstock; H. W. Stephenson, do; J. H. Thompson, do; C. A. MacVey, Fredericton; J. A. Barry, York Mills; F. Lister, McAdam; C. A. McKay, Brockville; J. A. Buswell, Boston; D. L. Miller, do; E. P. Miller, do; G. P. Morton and wife, Newport, N. J.; Miss R. M. Ritchie, Hampton, N. B.; Dr. G. G. Ritchie, Halifax, N. S.; J. L. Scott, Boston; Rev. Wm. Tucker, Mansfield, Mass.; J. W. Jordan, Vancouver; W. W. Fenety and wife, Fredericton; H. G. Fenety and wife, do; A. E. Trilles, Salisbury; H. C. Clouston, Halifax; L. H. Mountain, Worcester, Mass.; W. H. Cather, do; E. Connelly, Salmon River; B. G. Philbrick, Salem, Mass.; N. E. Guelius, Brownville, N. J.; J. L. Chisholm, Truro; J. E. Fowler, wife and children, Sackville; G. C. McGregor, Dorchester, Mass.

### Dufferin.

A. C. Smith, Sackville; S. Abraham, do; J. H. Barry, Fredericton; A. R. Gould, P. E. I.; Ross Thompson, Fredericton; B. MacDonald, Toronto; A. A. Theriault and wife, Bellevue Cove; M. T. Bruce, Toronto; Chas. D. Prickard, Fredericton; Mrs. L. R. Murray, Sussex; Lewis Connors, Black's Harbor; Mr. and Mrs. W. Norton, New York; P. Bun and wife, Springfield; Louis E. Duenkel, West Hoboken, N. J.; J. E. D. Eon, Metekhan River; Chas. C. Thomas, Boston; W. H. Irvine, Fredericton; A. P. Bally, Montreal; T. Leblanc, College Bridge; A. H. Munson, Montreal; Saml. G. Stein, Toronto; H. Thomas, do; E. F. Fowles, Sydney, N. S.; M. Beutene, do.

### POLICE COURT

Sigurd Hensen, a Norwegian sailor, arrested Wednesday night by Inspector Wickham on a charge of drunkenness and on suspicion of stealing liquor from the schooner, Macfarlane, was remanded in the Police Court yesterday morning. Captain Monk testified that Hensen, who is second officer on the ship, was drunk and he ordered him to go to bed and allow the men to work, and he refused. He also accused the defendant of stealing a case of gin from his private stock. He denied the charges and was remanded until this morning.

Albert Smith, arrested yesterday morning, wandering about South wharf, and being unable to give a satisfactory account of himself, was remanded.

Ray Peters, arrested on a drunkenness charge, and also on suspicion of having deserted from the 6th Mounted Rifles, acknowledged that he was drunk. He denied that he was a deserter. He was fined \$8 or two months in jail on the first charge and remanded on the second.

### OBITUARY.

Mrs. Herman Dreschel.

News has reached the city of the death of Mrs. Mary Rankine Broad Dreschel, wife of Mr. Hermann Broad, of Montreal, on Monday, in her 86th year. Mrs. Dreschel was the eldest daughter of the late Elisha Broad, who was many years ago in the axe business in St. John. When her parents removed to St. Stephen she went with them and was married there. She has resided in Montreal for some years. Besides her husband

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 1—Return Tubular type... 40 h. p.  
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## Fresh Fish

Fresh Gaspareaux, Codfish and Halibut.  
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 19 and 20 South Market Wharf.

Mrs. Dreschel is survived by several children: Messrs. Frank, Allan and Henry Rankine of this city are cousins. Wallace Broad of St. Andrews, is a brother of the deceased.

Mrs. George Morris.

The death took place at her home at 1207 Susquehanna avenue, Philadelphia, on Tuesday, of Mrs. George Morris. Deceased was a native of this city, but has for a number of years resided in Philadelphia. She was an adherent of St. John Presbyterian church of this city. She is survived by her husband, one daughter, Mrs. W. P. Gilpin, of Germantown, Pa.; three sons, Thomas a magistrate in New York; George, engaged in the automobile business in Philadelphia, and Edward, of Vannamaker's, Philadelphia. Mrs. Morris was 70 years of age. The funeral service took place yesterday, the interment being at Philadelphia.

### Trees of Canada.

The Canadian Forestry Association, Ottawa, has recently issued a neat booklet giving a brief description of twenty of the most common and most important Canadian trees. The booklet is well illustrated, and care has been taken to avoid, as far as possible, the use of technical language. It is made small so that it may be carried in the pocket on walks in the parks, woods and forests. Eventually one of these booklets will, it is hoped, be placed in the hands of every boy and girl in Canada.