

ROTHESAY

Rothessay, Feb. 25.—Members of the "Loyalist" club, including Mrs. Fred Crosby, Miss Purdy and Miss Daniel for luncheon and afternoon tea at the residence of Mrs. Crosby.

A skating party from St. John, on Tuesday, who had afternoon tea at the Kennedy House, included Friday Lillie Raymond, Miss Dorothy Bilsard, Miss Kathleen C. Coster, Miss Marion B. Blair, Miss Catherine McAvity, and Miss Kathleen Sturdee.

Miss Annie Lynch, of Annapolis, N. S., is here visiting Mrs. J. H. Henderson, and many friends are desirous of seeing her.

On Saturday afternoon at the Kennedy House, Mrs. Walter Trueman of Winnipeg, entertained for her daughter, Miss Dorothy Trueman, who is a student at "Netherwood," Mrs. Trueman's guests were Misses Allison, Armstrong, Hazel Warford, Arville McBride, Mary Henderson, Edith Gilbert, Mary White, Edith White, Lella Moore, Mary Armstrong, Mary Fleming, Dorothy Trueman, Mrs. T. E. Armstrong and Mrs. Harry Puddington.

Miss Catherine McAvity and Miss Kit Schindler, of St. John spent Saturday with Rothessay friends. It was a great pleasure for several years resident here, to meet her again on Tuesday, when Mrs. W. J. Davidson gave a little "Red Cross" in her honor. Miss Hollingsworth has been visiting in Toronto and is returning to Boston.

On Saturday afternoon, Mr. John M. Robinson had his "camp" moved from the shore at Fair Vale, to Henderson's Point. A party of friends skated to Fair Vale, and were later guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robinson for dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Percy Fairweather, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Allison, Mr. Walter Allison, Mr. Jack Fairweather, Miss Puddington, Miss Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Blanchet, Mr. Purdy, Mr. and Mrs. Frink, Mr. H. P. Puddington.

As usual the afternoon tea at the Tuesday meeting of the "Red Cross" Mabel, were in Halifax last week to bid good bye to Mr. Leslie Frier, who is sailing with the second contingent. A brother of the latter, Mr. Arthur Frier has also offered his services to the Empire and will enlist with the third contingent.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Charters left town recently on an extended trip to Bureka, California, where they will visit their son, Mr. Alex. Charters. Mr. and Mrs. Charters will visit points en route and be away some time. Their very large circle of friends wish them a safe and pleasant journey.

The Bridge Club was entertained last week at the home of Mrs. Jas. McQueen, Sackville street, when the party to Mrs. Jas. Stewart. Miss Bertie Murray is the guest of relatives in Bridgetown, N. S. Mrs. A. F. Burt, returned recently from a visit to friends in Moncton. Mrs. Joseph Donohue, has returned from a visit to members of her family in Boston.

Shediac, N. B., Feb. 25.—The sale of home cooking held last week, was highly successful, and a neat sum realized towards the soldiers and sailors' fund. A second sale of home cooking will be held on Saturday afternoon the 27th inst., from 4 to 6 in the Mrs. C. H. Galland's store on Main street.

The Red Cross Society is doing good work, and meeting week in the High School building letters of acknowledgment have been received from St. John for the recent consignment of goods sent by the society. Mrs. D. S. Harper is the guest of her son, Mr. D. W. Harper, St. John. Mr. Avard White is home from a visit to Millerton. Mr. Hugh Dobbie formerly of the Bank of Montreal staff here, was in town during the week. Mr. Dobbie is with the second contingent, and was bidding good bye to friends in Shediac previous to his departure overseas. Mr. James Frier and daughter Miss

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Max Gorky makes PEACE WITH RUSSIA. Petrograd, via London, Feb. 26.—The prosecution instituted against Maxim Gorky, the author, several years ago, for his socialist anti-government propaganda, which made necessary his self-exile for several years, has been abandoned definitely.

Maxim Gorky's restoration to the good graces of the Russian government comes after a long period of years during which he was in contact with the authorities. He returned to Russia about a year ago, after eight years of exile. He was included in an amnesty conceded by Emperor Nicholas in 1913, but declined to avail himself of it, and did not return to his native land until falling health and a longing to see his country caused him to go back.

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ACHING BONES AND SORE JOINTS CURED! ALL RHEUMATIC TENDENCIES DESTROYED! Away Go the Crotches, Every Sufferer Made Well Quickly. Old age is usually afflicted with rheumatism. Very few past fifty escape its tortures. Many it bends and deforms. Upon the countenances of others it writes the effects of its awful suffering. Nervine will cure rheumatism. It takes the pain out of throbbing muscles and swollen joints. It untwists gnarled knuckles. It does this quickly and surely. Nervine is not used internally. You just rub it on—lots of hard rubbing is required for a minute or two, and

STRIKE DELAYS SAILINGS FROM LIVERPOOL

Several Trans-Atlantic Liners held at port owing to trouble with Coal Passers.

London, Feb. 26.—Representatives of American trans-Atlantic steamship companies said today that sailings from Liverpool were being somewhat delayed by a strike of coal passers. It is expected that the steamships which have been held up on this account will sail not later than Monday.

The steamship representatives said there was no foundation for a report that sailings had been suspended on the order of the British Admiralty. The American Line, which was to have sailed from Liverpool for New York tomorrow, will be delayed at least until Monday owing to the strike. Representatives of the company said they were hopeful that she would be able to sail on Monday, but that they could give no assurance.

SANTA-CLAUS SHIP ON WAY HOME AGAIN. Collier Jason bringing exhibits from England and Europe to Panama Pacific Fair.

Avonmouth, Eng., via London, Feb. 26.—The United States naval collier Jason, which brought Christmas presents from American children to the children in countries suffering from the war, sailed this afternoon with exhibits from England and other European countries for the Panama Pacific Exposition at San Francisco. Some of the exhibits were left on the deck, as the captain of the Jason had received orders from the Navy Department at Washington to expedite his departure.

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FREE!! \$200.00 IN CASH AND 100 VALUABLE PREMIUMS GIVEN AWAY



Above will be found the picture of a modern gun of the kind that is being used in the present war. At a glance the gun and some old trees appear to be all there is in the picture, but by careful scrutiny some soldiers' faces will be found. There are 19 of them in all. Can you find them? It is no easy task, but by patience and perseverance can be accomplished.

You may win a cash prize by doing so. Many have done this as will be shown by the names and addresses published below. If you find the faces mark each one you find with an X cut out the picture and send it to us, together with a slip of paper on which you have plainly and neatly, as in case of ties, both writing and answers will be considered factors in this contest. This may take up a little of your time, but as there are TWO HUNDRED DOLLARS in cash and One Hundred premiums given away, it is worth your time to take a little trouble over this matter. Remember, all you have to do is to mark the faces, cut out the picture and send it to us on a separate piece of paper with the words, "I have found all the faces and marked them." We do not ask you to spend One Cent of Your Money in order to enter this Contest. Send your answer at once, we will reply by Return Mail telling you whether your answer is correct or not, and we will send you a complete Prize List, together with the names and addresses of persons who have recently received over Two Thousand Dollars in Cash Prizes from us, and full particulars of a simple condition that must be fulfilled. This condition does not involve the spending of any of your money. Winners of cash prizes in our late contests are carried out with the utmost fairness and integrity. Your opportunity to win a good round sum is equally as good as that of anyone else, as all previous winners of cash prizes are shown from entering this contest.

Table listing names and addresses of prize winners from recent contests, including Mr. A. J. Sproston, Motor Cyclist Despatch Rider, and others.

More Letters showing how OXO CUBES are valued. "FOUR MONTHS UNDER FIRE." A diary by Corporal A. J. Sproston, Motor Cyclist Despatch Rider, with the British Expeditionary Force.



Food has been for some days almost unobtainable in the villages, and shops and cottages have been cleared out by the enemy. We beg a little hot water at Serches and make OXO, the bread I had obtained the previous day at Neuilly St. Front proving a boon.

For City men we have shaken down wonderfully, and our health generally is very good. The only change we can get from cold food is tea, OXO, etc. We cook in fires and pans, etc. The Germans, from the smoke we see rising from their trenches, seem to do things more elaborately.

OXO CUBES. The handiness of OXO CUBES is almost as great a recommendation as their food value. By simply adding an OXO CUBE to a cupful of hot water a delicious warming cupful of OXO can be made in a moment. OXO CUBES are prepared by intricate scientific processes: they provide in handy form the nourishing Beef-fibrine, which builds up the body and creates energy, combined with the valuable Beef-extractives which promote nutrition and ensure ready assimilation.

Vaughan, Mrs. Thomas Heffer, Mrs. H. C. Heffer, Mrs. Alfred White, Mrs. W. William McLeod, Miss Louise Mac... on her way from Campbellton, was in... shell, who has been... for two weeks, in... home in Frederic... of the University... was in Sussex... secretary of Agricul... interesting address... Baptist church, on... the subject being... "Miss Della was very much en... who has been visit... Mrs. M. Gardfield... on Saturday, re... last.

CONSUMPTION. Vapor of Catarrhosus. The living germ of rhonchogone will the healing rhonchogone go in ten... can penetrate to... that of Catarrhosus... nothing vapor—that's... is so wonderful ef... vapor of Catarrhosus... of coughs and... (stermost parts of the... are reached. Bron... ery cell in the head... is treated by Catarr... rhonchogone.

ade. A large box con... of paper and 24... at seller.

MONCTON. Moncton, Feb. 25.—Mrs. F. E. Whelpley returned Saturday from Mont... real, where she has been spending the past week. She was accompanied by her daughter, Miss Whelpley, who is a graduate of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal. Miss Whelpley will spend some time at her home here.

PIMPLES APPEARED ON HIS FACE AND HANDS. The primary cause of pimples arises from the blood not being in a good condition. When the blood becomes impure you will find that pimples will break out all over the body, but more particularly on the forehead, nose and chin, and although they are not a dangerous trouble, they make you appear unsightly both to your friends and yourself.

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