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HOSPITAL DAY TO BE OBSERVED AT BOTH LOCAL HOSPITALS

PAPER READ ON LORD SHEFFIELD

Big Timothy O'Brien at Meeting of N. B. Historical Society

(St. John Globe, April 24)
James S. Flaherty, President, was in the chair at the monthly meeting of the New Brunswick Historical Society held in the National History rooms, Friday evening. A paper was read from Dr. Charles Webster, Shelburne, asking the society to name the historical sites in the province, which in the opinion of that body should have markers. The gifts included a copy of the History of the Post Office in British North America from 1689 to 1870, written by William Smith, from Arthur Webster, secretary of the Post Office Department, Ottawa and as the gift of the author a copy of the History of the Confederation parish church written by R. P. Gorman.

The paper of the evening was read by the librarian, Timothy O'Brien having for his subject Lord Sheffield. The noble Lord was one of the first gentlemen, if not the very first, to have the honor of the freedom of the City conferred on him by the Common Council of St. John. This memorable event took place, March 15, 1806, and the Council had his portrait painted and placed in the City Hall. Two years later the House of Assembly voted \$150 for the portrait of Lord Sheffield to be placed in the Provincial Building. The action of the Common Council and the House of Assembly was taken in recognition of the able support that Lord Sheffield had given to the British Navigation Laws.

Lord Sheffield in his day was a recognized authority on commerce and agriculture. He was a great friend of the fishery and the fur trade. As the head of a detachment of the Northumberland Militia, he was active in suppressing the riots that sprang from the conduct of Lord George Gordon in 1793. Lord Sheffield had to his credit the appointment of Edward Winslow to the Supreme Court of New Brunswick, and his Lordship's name appears frequently in the Winslow Papers, published by the late Rev. Dr. W. O. Raymond, under the auspices of the N. B. Historical Society, 1901. Lord Sheffield died in 1821, aged 66 years.

On motion of D. H. Waterbury, seconded by Judge Henderson, a vote of thanks was passed to the speaker of the evening.

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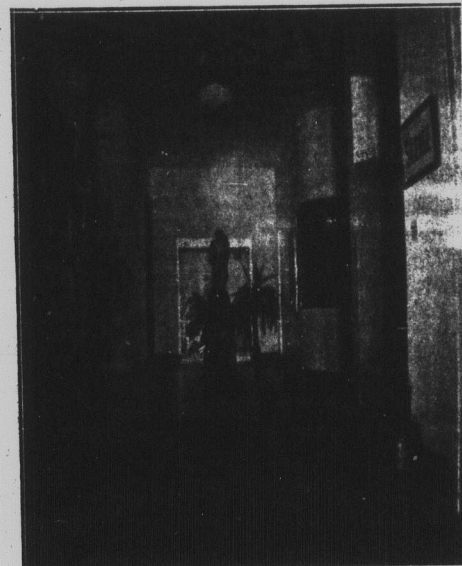
Despite the fact that it may not receive the widespread publicity that is given many other dates on the calendar of really less importance, Monday, May 12th National Hospital Day, is a day of considerable significance to people everywhere who are interested in the splendid work being carried on by hospitals through out the land and the great service they combine to render towards the promotion of health as it effects all phases of modern life.

That the interest in health and hospital work is steadily increasing is shown by the help and co-operation that these institutions are receiving and the steady progress that they are making in their work. Campbellton is no exception. Our citizens will be given a splendid opportunity to visit our two fine hospitals, the Hotel Dieu and the Soldiers Memorial, and become more intimately acquainted with the splendid work they are doing and incidentally gain a more comprehensive knowledge of the varied phases of hospital work.

At the Hotel Dieu
At the Hotel Dieu special arrangements are being made for Monday's event and everyone is cordially invited. A choice programme of music is being prepared for the occasion and many other attractions are being arranged for. A feature of the programme will be a Baby Show to which all mothers and their babies are invited. Refreshments will also be served.

The Soldiers Memorial
From the Soldiers Memorial Hospital, erected in commemoration of the soldiers of Beauséjour and the Battle of Chaleur district who made the supreme sacrifice in the world war and which completed its first year of service on April 17th, comes a cordial invitation for citizens to visit the institution on Monday. Owing to various circumstances relative to hospital work, it has not been convenient for the staff to arrange any special programme but everybody is tendered an invitation to visit the Soldiers Memorial Hospital on Monday next and take advantage of this occasion to become more familiar with the different branches of hospital work.

Reason for Pride
There is ample reason for a justifiable sense of pride on the part of citizens here over the fact that we have two such splendid institutions located in our town. Both local hospitals are modern in every respect and rank as fully standardized hospitals.



THE MAIN ENTRANCE OF THE HOTEL DIEU

tals. In point of equipment and facilities for competent hospital service both institutions are thoroughly up-to-date and the success with which they are being operated should be a source of deep gratification on the part of every resident and especially to those who have helped so generously in their erection and maintenance.

Both hospitals are equipped with an up-to-date X-Ray apparatus and Pathological Laboratories.

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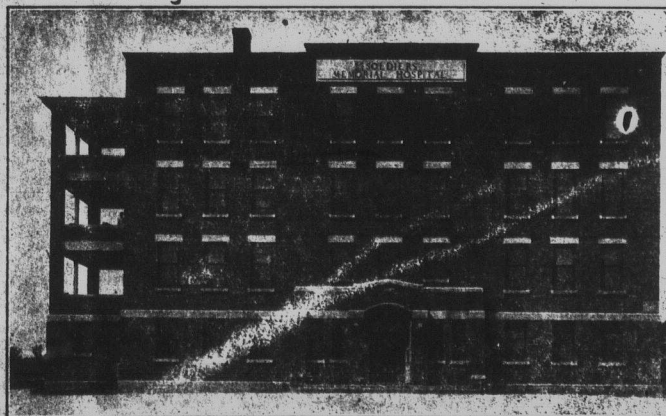
Wall Hospital Day affords people all over the United States and Canada a splendid opportunity to become better acquainted with hospital work as a vital factor in the life today. The occasion is one of dual significance for citizens of Campbellton and the surrounding country for, added to the invitation to personally inspect these

two home institutions is the opportunity to survey at first hand the splendid results of the untiring efforts put forth to keep abreast of the times. In this leading department of health work, the success so far attained has been due very largely to the sustained interest of the people throughout the Bay Chaleur county and it is to be hoped that Monday May 12th may prove that a steady continuance of this interest and support may be depended upon by those who are so usefully engaged in this splendid work.

The teachers were trying to impress on the children how important had been the discovery of the law of gravitation.

"Sir Isaac Newton was sitting on the ground looking at the tree an apple fell on his head, and from that he discovered gravitation. Just think children," she added, "isn't that wonderful?"

The inevitable small boy replied: "Yess miss, and if he had been sitting in school, lookin' at his books, he would never have discovered nothin'."



THE SOLDIERS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL FRONT VIEW

PROVED TO BE MYSTERY POISON

Man and Wife Die Following Eating of Morning Meal—Eight other Members of Family Ill but Recover.

Arco, Sask., May 6.—The uncovering of the mystery poison as arsenic was the development disclosed at the inquest here yesterday into the deaths of Robert and Catherine Mitchener, who died last week, following an attack by poison at the morning meal. Eight other members of the Mitchener family became ill after the meal but have since recovered.

The coroner's jury yesterday brought in an open verdict, which stated the deaths were caused by arsenic poisoning, contained in food, but from what source it came or by what means it entered the food cannot be determined. The theory that the poison might have come from an abandoned grasshopper bait-mixing station was destroyed when witnesses testified that it had been thoroughly cleaned out when the mixing operations were discontinued.

Hopetown

On account of not much stir and excitement, this little village has not been heard from for some time.

We are pleased to see Mrs. Chas. Dent and her little daughter home again after spending the winter in Montreal. She has the entire sympathy of the community over the loss of her husband and little son.

Mr. John E. McRae has returned home after spending some months with his daughter Mrs. David McLaughlin.

Mr. Raymond Ross has returned home owing to an epidemic which spread in the college.

We are anticipating a dance in the Orange Hall, to take place shortly in honor of some of our boys who expect to leave for the States.

A number of our young men of this place left for Niagara Falls, N. Y. some time ago.

There is yet very little improvement in the health of Mrs. Cameron Powers, but we hope when the weather gets fine it will hasten her recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin of Matapedia were last week the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Ernest McRae. The newly married couple Mr. and Mrs. Chisholm McWhirter expect to move into their new home next week. They have the good wishes of their friends and acquaintances.

CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUNDS

Many papers in Ontario are strongly advocating community playgrounds for the children. In recent years many thousands of dollars have been spent in this way by towns and municipalities all over the country and, for all the initial outlay, in some cases seemed almost to border on extravagance these playgrounds have become to be regarded as valuable assets to their respective communities.

Playgrounds are necessities of modern life in cities because of the increased danger on the streets, from electric cars and automobiles, but even in towns of Campbellton's size it is hardly fair to make the children choose between playing on the streets or not playing at all.

As time goes on there are always new matters of considerable interest and importance coming up for discussion and consideration. This may be one of them.

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Belledune School Report

March and April

GRADE V (a)—Everett Grant 85.8
GRADE V (b)—May Lapointe 87.5; Gladys Levesque 88.8; Ruby Beaudry 81; Josephine Lapointe 86.8; Mary Beaudry 84.4; Sadie Boulay 83; Elodie Pines 82.8; Simon Guitard 81.2

GRADE IV (a)—Berton Chalmers 94.7; Elphège Levesque 93.8; Clarence Grant 86.7

GRADE IV (b)—Phyllis Boulay 79.5

GRADE III (a)—Margaret Ellis 88.8; George Guitard 89.2; James Levesque 88.1; Raymond Sauveur 85.8

GRADE III (b)—Mona Talbot 84.5; George Ellis 74; Mathias Lagace 68.8; Alfred Doucet 66.5; Lydia Doucet 64; Beatrice Guitard 63

GRADE II (a)—Gilbert Gardiner 88.8; Ellis Guitard

GRADE II (b)—Bernice Ellis

Alice Lagace.

GRADE II (c)—Leontine Bertin, Ralph Talbot, Mary Dempsey.

GRADE I (a)—Constance Chalmers, Delma Guitard.

GRADE I (b)—Regina Guitard, Raymond Bertin, Orin Devereaux, Duncan Miller, Robert Dempsey, Violet Dempsey, Benoit Lagace.

Perfect Attendance
Elphège Levesque, Margaret Ellis, George Ellis, Bernice Ellis.

M. A. LANOUETTE, Teacher.

New Carlisle West

Quite a number of young men left last week for the drive.

Mrs. Fannie Harvey left last week for her home in Campbellton after spending a few months in New Carlisle West with her daughter Mrs. E. A. Delaney. She was accompanied by her little grandson, Bobby Delaney. Born to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Delaney on April 6th, a son—William Scott Delaney on April 29th a son.

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