

DID NOT PLAY.

On account of the damp weather the N. B. Tennis Association tournament was not opened yesterday morning at St. John, but will be commenced as soon as the weather is suitable.

COMMISSION ENDS TO-DAY

The Dominion Royal Commission, which has been sitting at St. John, has terminated its tour of Canada, on account of the war. The commissioners were to have visited Fredericton.

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR ENTERTAIN.

Local Knights Templar entertained the members of St. Omer's Commandery, K.T., of Boston, to an automobile ride about the city and vicinity yesterday after their arrival by the steamer from St. John.

TO JOIN THE COLORS.

Six English naval reservists from Saskatoon arrived in St. John on the Montreal train at noon yesterday. They were en route to Halifax, where they will endeavor to get transportation back to England.

NOVA SCOTIA KING'S PRINTER.

F. W. Smith, of Halifax, King's Printer for Nova Scotia, is here attending the A. O. H. provincial convention. Mrs. Smith accompanies him. Mr. Smith is the very efficient chairman of the Press Committee of the convention.

WITH THE TEACHERS

The London Daily Graphic of July 25th, a copy of which has been received at this office, contains several illustrations, depicting the visit of Canadian teachers to Harrow. In a large photograph shown, Mr. C. A. Sampson and Mr. and Mrs. John E. Page loom up conspicuously.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION

The steamer Victoria has been chartered for a sail in the river tomorrow evening and will leave her wharf at six o'clock. A number of ladies have the matter in hand and the proceeds will go to the patriotic fund for local purposes. Ice cream and refreshments will be on sale.

EXCURSIONS TO-DAY

The Closing of the Gates of Derry is being celebrated today at Newcastle Bridge and St. John. The Royal Black Knights accompanied by the Fredericton Brass Band ran an excursion to the former place, and the Prentice Boys with the 71st Regt. Band went to St. John. Both excursions were well attended.

FRENCH DESERTERS.

The consul general for France at Montreal, has instructed Mr. W. Frank Hatheway, French consular agent at St. John, to notify all deserters or insubordinates of France's army or navy that they are pardoned and must report before September 14 to the departmental consular authorities.

VOLUNTEERED AS NURSE

Miss Catherine R. Shea, of the North End, St. John, who has volunteered as a nurse to the Militia Department, has frequently visited Fredericton and vicinity in a professional way. She is a sister of Mr. J. Vincent Shea, of St. John Post Office, and Mrs. L. Rosemand Violette, St. Leonard's, Madawaska Co.

MANY VETERANS ENLIST.

Many regiments of the Imperial and Canadian forces are represented among the men enlisted here for active service with the Canadian troops. Among the regiments are Royal Canadian Regiment, Royal Canadian Artillery, Royal Canadian Engineers, Royal Horse Artillery, Sherwood Foresters, Scots Guards, Black Watch, King's Royal Rifles, Royal Lancashire Regiment. The 69th New York National Guard and the United States Coast Artillery Corps are also represented. The volunteers also include veterans of the South African, Matabele and Indian Frontier wars.

CONCERT MUCH ENJOYED

The band which accompanied the St. Omer Commandery, Knights Templar, of Boston, to this city from St. John, gave an excellent concert at Parliament Square last night. The programme was necessarily short as the party returned to St. John by the C. P. R. at nine o'clock. A fair sized crowd heard the music and applauded heartily. The rendition of "God Save the King" at the close of the programme was encouraged. The band was composed of professional musicians living in and about Boston, all of whom are members of the Masonic Order. It was organized particularly to accompany St. Omer's Commandery but probably now will become a permanent organization. The commandery was under the command of Eminent Sir Elton A. Clark. The party was composed of forty-two Sir Knights, and twenty-five ladies.

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Highest Competitors in High School Entrance Examination for Each County of Province are Announced

The following are the names of the successful competitors in the High School Entrance Examinations held throughout the province in June last in competition for the Lieutenant Governor's medals. In each the name of the school is given where the examination was written by the successful competitor.

- Albert, Blanche Duffy, Hillsboro.
- Carleton, Winnifred McCunn, Woodstock.
- Charlotte, Irene Haley, St. Stephen.
- Gloucester, Edith Bateman, Bathurst.
- Kent, Mary V. J. Wathea, Harcourt.
- Kings, Grace Mitchell, Sussex.
- Northumberland, Constance Wilson, Berby.
- Queens, Grace Baird, Chipman.
- Restigouche, Jessie Ferguson, Adingtoa.
- St. John, Frances Ryan, St. John.
- Victoria and Madawaska, Myrtle Crawford, Andover.
- Westmorland, Harry O'Neill, Moncton.

The three highest in the above list in the order of merit are: York, Annie F. Baird, Fredericton; Jessie Ferguson, Addington, Camp Belton.

Frances Ryan, St. John.

Annie F. Baird, Fredericton.

Miss Baird is a daughter of H. P. Baird of this city.

CAVALRYMEN WANT TO ENLIST AS INFANTRY

Members of 28th Dragoons From Carleton County Apply to Lt. Col. H. F. McLeod--Recruiting is Continued by 71st Regt.

The announcement that very few cavalrymen will be required for the first contingent of Canadian troops to be sent out of the Dominion on active service has caused numbers of the 28th New Brunswick Dragoons to apply for enlistment in the infantry. This morning Lt. Col. H. F. McLeod received a letter from Major A. N. Vines of Woodstock which contained a list of officers and men of the 28th Dragoons raised in Carleton County who are desirous of enlisting with the contingent of the 71st York Regt.

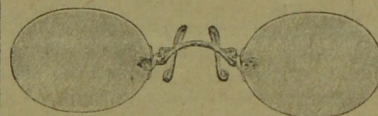
Recruiting for active service continues here. The list of names of those volunteers passed by the medical officer is to be forwarded to Ottawa today but recruiting will be continued until ordered to stop. Up to noon today about eighty officers and men had been enlisted here for active service.

Those enlisted yesterday and this morning are:—John B. Boby, John Dorcas, W. S. Neales, Arthur Higgins, Raymond R. Stevenson, Harold Briggs, Sydney Findley, Ernest Wall, James Kelly, Fred Titus, W. McLoughlin, A. J. Godges, J. Merryfield, J. H. Bladen, G. E. T. Roberts, H. J. Donovan, Walter M. C. Burden, J. A. Reynolds, Fred Wade, Richard C. Titton, Hedley Hanson.

RECRUITS AT BORDER.

Lieut. George P. Ryder of "F" Company of St. Stephen, arrived

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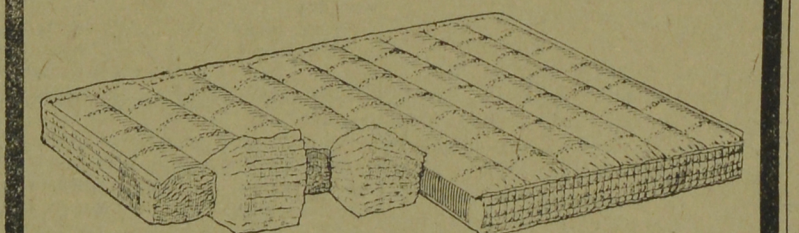
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1	"	"	\$4.00	"	\$2.85	1	"	"	\$2.50	"	\$1.40
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