

## Local News

### A BIG DONATION.

The Bank of Montreal has donated the sum of one hundred thousand dollars to the Canadian patriotic fund.

### C. T. A. CASE ADJOURNED

In the police court yesterday afternoon the Scott Act case against the Victoria Steamship Company was further adjourned until Monday for argument.

### INCREASE IN TAX COLLECTIONS

City Treasurer George R. Perkins stated this morning that there would be at least \$3,000 increase in the amount of taxes collected this year over last year's payment.

### YACHTS IN PORT

The schooner rigged yacht Dahinda arrived from St. John yesterday, and anchored below the Club House. Dr. A. P. Crockett's handsome gasoline yacht is also in port.

### MR. BIRD AT MONCTON

Mr. Theodore H. Bird, who has staged several amateur productions in this city is to present the play, "The Girl I Love" at Moncton on August 27th and 28th.

### HOCKEY PLAYER TO FRONT.

Sammy Murphy, who played on the local hockey team last winter, has enlisted for active service and is at Val Cartier, Quebec, with the 78th Pictou Highlanders, a Nova Scotia regiment.

### MODEL SCHOOL OPENING.

The Model School departments of the Normal School will not re-open until Monday, August 31st, to enable teachers to attend the Inter-Provincial Education Institute to be held at Halifax, August 26th-28th.

### BAND CONCERT POSTPONED

The band concert which was to have been played by the Fredericton Brass Band at Parliament Square last evening, has been indefinitely postponed owing to the inclemency of the weather.

### PRICES GO UP.

The tariff bill passed by parliament has been followed by a jump in the price of coffee and tobacco. Coffee has advanced three cents per pound and tobacco five cents. A further advance in the price of sugar is expected.

### A CHILD'S DEATH.

John B. O'Ree, son of Charles O'Ree, died at the Municipal Home this morning from tuberculosis, aged ten years. He is survived by his father, three brothers and four sisters. The funeral took place this morning with services by Rev. E. B. Lake.

### MANAGER RESIGNS

Mr. Arthur X. Rowan, who has been manager of the St. John River Log Driving Company here for the past two years has resigned his position. It is understood that Mr. Walter Jackson, who is well known in lumbering circles has been appointed as his successor.

### CONVENTION POSTPONED.

The annual convention of the Union of New Brunswick Municipalities, which was to have been held in St. John on September 9th and 10th, has been postponed on account of the war situation. The dates now spoken of are November 17th and 18th.

### ESCAPED FROM REFORMATORY

Allen Smith, the youth who was recently sentenced to spend two years in the Boys' Industrial Home at St. John, for stealing thirty-five dollars from his mother, Mrs. Wm. Smith, Regent Street, was arrested here yesterday afternoon by Officer Charles Marshall on the charge of escaping from that institution a few days ago. The authorities at St. John were notified of the arrest, and last evening an officer from the institution arrived to take charge of the youthful prisoner. Smith came to this city on one of the river boats.

### PRESENTATION TO

### MAIL CARRIER

About thirty friends gathered at the residence of Mr. Willis Ketch, Saunders Street, last evening, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ketch, who arrived here at noon yesterday from an extended honeymoon trip to Montreal and other Canadian cities. Games and other amusements were indulged in after which Mr. Ketch, who is one of the mail carriers in this city, was presented with a handsome brass bed by the postmaster and post office staff. Mr. Bedford Phillips made the presentation and Mr. Ketch made a short reply.

## New Recruits in Footwear LADIES' BUCK PUMPS AND SHOES IN BROWN AND WHITE

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## MORE VOLUNTEERS ENLIST FOR WAR SERVICE

Four Army Veterans in the List---  
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Home Service

The recruiting of volunteers for overseas service with the 71st Regt. should it become necessary to send another Canadian contingent to the front, has commenced in earnest at the Military Hospital in connection with No. 3 Depot, and already six recruits have passed the medical examinations.

The volunteers for the second detachment are as follows:  
John Scott, formerly of the Imperial forces.

James Hill, no military experience.  
John J. Paul, a Milicete Indian from the St. Mary's Reserve, no military experience.

John Lavigne, member of the Royal Horse Artillery, saw active service in South African war, having lost the sight of one eye by a bursting shell in one of the engagements.

Wheeler Quartermaster Sergt. Reuben Stapley, served twenty-one years with the Royal Army Service Corps and draws pension from the British government. Was to the front with the Service Corps in South Africa and received both the King's and Queen's medals at the close of the campaign.

John Ward, served three years with the Engineers Corps of the United States Army at Sacramento, Cal.

Capt. Woodbridge, the recruiting officer of the 71st Regt., has a list of twenty volunteers who have signed for home service.

Mr. C. K. Stewart, who has been spending his vacation here and at Chatham, returns this evening to Granby, P.Q.

## LAKE GEORGE ANTIMONY MINES MAY BE REOPENED

European War Responsible for an  
Enormous Rise in the Price of  
Antimony---Many Fredericton  
People Interested in the Co.

Stockholders of the Canadian Antimony Company, Limited, of which there are quite a number in this vicinity, will be pleased to learn that there are good prospects of the mines at Lake George being re-opened in the near future. The European war has boosted the price of antimony two hundred and fifty per cent. and there are good prospects of it going much higher. One of the purposes for which it is used is to harden lead, and should the war last as long as some people believe it will, there is likely to be a brisk demand for lead. Already the export of antimony has been prohibited in Great Britain. At the Lake George mine, which is the largest in Canada, there is said to be an inexhaustible supply. A few years ago this mine was taken over by the Canadian Antimony Company and the most modern machinery installed. The mine was in operation a short time when a slump in the price of antimony caused the company to suspend operations. The machinery is still intact and the expenditure of a few thousand dollars would enable the company to start business again. Some repairs would probably have to be made to the machinery and it would be necessary to pump the water out of the mine. Mr. Noble Crowe, the late manager, is now in Nova Scotia, and it is believed that his services will be available if operations at Lake George should be resumed.

When the mine was in operation

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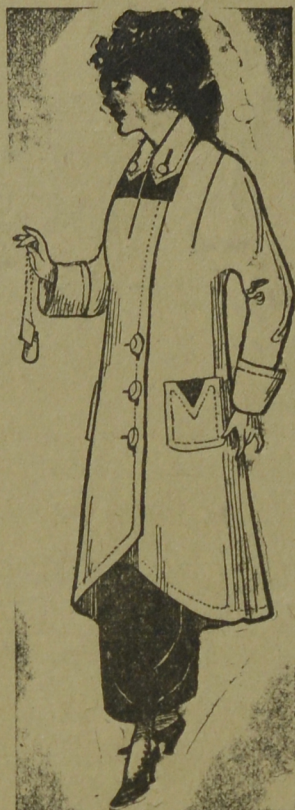
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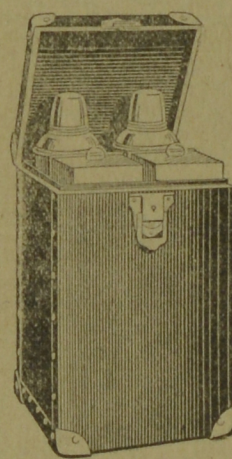
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