

## Local News

### A REAL LIVE ONE

A small brown snake made its appearance on Queen Street this afternoon and was crushed beneath the heel of a pedestrian.

### HUNTING AT CAIN'S RIVER

Mr. Harry M. Blair, secretary of the Provincial Public Works Department, is spending a few days hunting big game at Cain's River.

### LOCAL HORSES AT HALIFAX

At the Halifax races on Tuesday, Tommy Raymond's Alice Ham, won the 2.30 stake, her best time being 2.30 1/2. Wm. Sharon's Ohulla was second in the two year old stakes.

### LADIES' WEAR

They are now showing at Edgcombe's an exceptionally fine range of Ladies' Coats and Suits, exclusive and distinctive styles, different from what you see in other stores. Now is the time to buy.

### LITTLE GIRL BURNED

At Moncton on Wednesday the five year old daughter of Mrs. H. H. Archibald was badly burned while playing with matches. She was severely injured but it is thought she will recover.

### TO HOLD RECEPTION

Gibson Lodge, No. 37, Protestant Association of Prentice Boys, have issued invitations for a reception and smoker to be held in the Temperance Hall at Gibson on the evening of Monday, September, 21st.

### ELECTED TREASURER W. C. T. U.

At the morning session of the eighth annual Women's Temperance Union Convention at St. John yesterday, Mrs. A.C.M. Lawson, of this city, was re-elected the treasurer for the ensuing year. Mrs. Lawson's report for the past year showed a balance of \$345.32.

### HUNTING TRAGEDY

Mr. George Baxter, of Amherst, aged fifty-five years, was shot by Mansfield Oxley in the woods near Simpson's Lake a few days ago in mistake for a moose. One bullet tore off his fingers and the other entered the hip. He bled to death before medical aid could be procured.

### SUPREME COURT

The Supreme Court, Chancery Division, resumed this morning pursuant to adjournment. The case of the Tutuall Real Estate Company vs. John A. Segee was taken up. H. J. Smith for appellant, John A. Segee supported appeal from decision, and order of Chief Justice McLeod. Mr. W. A. Ewing contra. Court considers.

### EXAMINATIONS AT U.N.B.

A large number of candidates are writing the senior matriculation examinations and supplementary examinations which commenced at the University of New Brunswick this morning. Lectures will commence at the University on Monday morning, and it is expected that the attendance will be slightly larger than last year.

### TOURIST PARTIES HERE

A party of Boston tourists composed of Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Smith, Miss M. P. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. MacDonald and Mrs. E. B. Stalton arrived here yesterday, and registered at the Barker House. Another party composed of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Young of Boston, Mass., and Miss T. Dalylish, England, came here on the afternoon boat from St. John and are guests at the Queen Hotel.

### DID WELL

John Beblington & Son who had an exhibit at the St. John Exhibition had the honor of receiving in the vicinity of one hundred dollars in prize money on their display of flowers and vegetables. The exhibit was much admired by the large number of visitors who attended the Fair. A visit to the green houses of the Messrs. Beblington is well worth making. Everything is in full bloom and looking the best. See their adv. in another part of today's paper.

### STARTED SOLICITING TODAY

A meeting of the general committee of the local branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund was held in the Mayor's Office yesterday afternoon. Mayor Mitchell presided and there was a full attendance of the members of the committee. The report of the recent meeting of the Finance Committee at which the collectors were appointed, was received and adopted. This afternoon Dr. T. C. Allen and Mr. J. J. McCaffrey commenced the soliciting of subscriptions to the fund.

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**BANDSMEN ARE  
ANXIOUS TO GO  
TO THE FRONT**

Telegram From Capt. Guthrie to Local  
Scribe Says 71st Band is Wanted  
for Foreign Service---No  
Official Word Yet

It is not unlikely that the 71st Regiment Band will leave for Valcartier on the I. C. R. express tomorrow evening, although no official orders to that effect have yet been received by Major W. H. Gray, the officer commanding the 71st Regiment.

Last evening a local newspaper man received a telegram from Capt. P. A. Guthrie stating that the band would go to the front with the first Canadian contingent and will be attached to the 12th Battalion of the 3rd Brigade.

A meeting of the 71st Band was held in the band room at the Armoury last evening and practically every member of that organization volunteered for active service. It is understood that several former members of the band who are now at Valcartier with regiments from different parts of Canada, will be transferred should the 71st Band be called upon to accompany the troops across the water. Another meeting of the band will be held tonight to further discuss the situation.

A report from St. John states that the 2nd Regimental Band will not take any action regarding sending any of its members to Valcartier until an official confirmation of Capt. Guthrie's orders are received at that place.

Capt. (Rev.) A. L. Skerry, of Stanley, who has been at his home in Stanley for the past few days, left last evening for Valcartier accompanied by Lieut. Theodore Roberts, who also has been here on leave of

**COTTON INDUSTRY  
WILL BENEFIT  
FROM THE WAR**

Marysville Mill Likely to be Running  
Full Time Within a Short Time---  
Dominion Textile Mills Have  
Resumed Work

The present war situation has had the result of stimulating the cotton industry in Canada and it is learned on good authority that the Canadian Cotton Limited's mill at Marysville, which of late has been running three quarters time, will soon be working full time and perhaps with two shifts.

The cotton industry is one of the first to reap the benefits of the present conflict it is expected that the heavy demand for the manufacture of finished Canadian cotton will in the near future keep the factories running at full capacity.

The ten mills of the Dominion Textile Company, Ltd., scattered from Kingston, Ont., to Halifax, have resumed full time as a result of the war. During the eight prior months to the war 7,000 employees of this Company were working on an average of 75 per cent full time, but since the outbreak they have been working full time and if the present demand for Canadian cotton continues, double shifts and overtime will be necessary in practically all departments.

Jawn McGraw remarks: "We don't want no tainted pennants." How Jawn has changed these last few years.

absence. Capt. Skerry was recently appointed a chaplain for the first contingent going to the front while Lieut. Roberts has been placed on the supernumary list at Valcartier.

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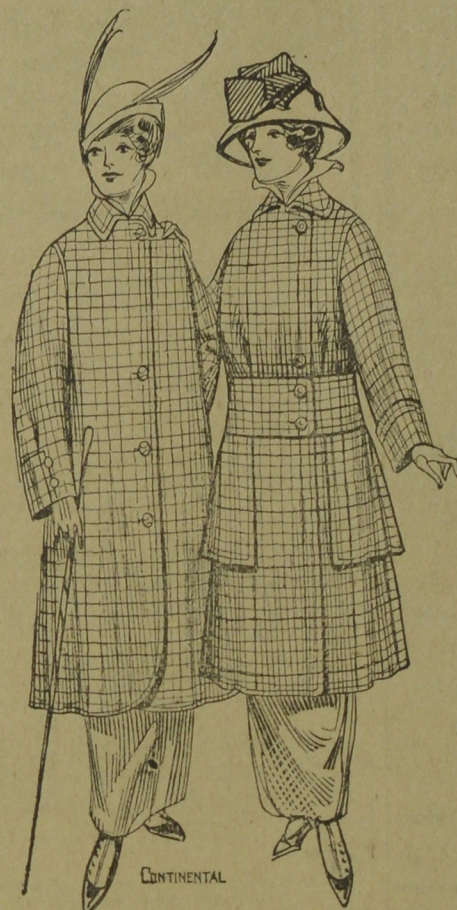
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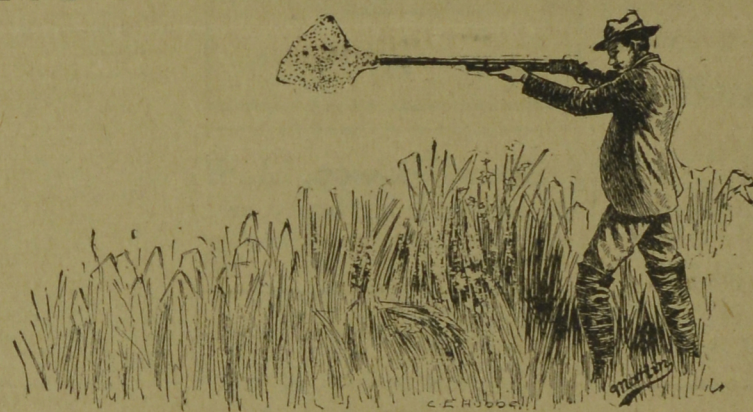
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