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RE-OPENING OF SCHOOLS

PUPILS ARE BACK AT THEIR STUDIES AGAIN.
Collegiate Institute Will Not Open Until Tuesday Next—Busy Time Getting the New Classes Arranged.
"School days, school days, dear old golden rule days,
Reading and writing and 'rithmetic,
Taught by the rule of the hickory stick;
You were my queen in calico,
I was your bashful, barefoot beau,
And you wrote on my slate, 'I love you, Joe,'
When we were a couple of kids."
The city and county schools re-opened on Wednesday morning and the day took the form of a "reception day," as it always takes a day to get things in working order.
Mother had a great time on Wednesday morning, getting Tommy and Johnny out of bed in time to get to school. It is certainly no easy trick to get out of bed early after having two months to "sleep in."
As a result of the school bell's call, the famous "swimmin' holes" and "baseball diamonds" will now be deserted during the school hours.
A big attendance was reported at all the schools, but no figures could be secured on Wednesday morning owing to the fact that the classes had not been arranged. Inspector Stuart was a very busy man Wednesday looking after the welfare of the children. The teaching staff also had its hands full. The recent changes made in the staff were carried out.
The Collegiate Institute will not open until Tuesday next. The pupils attending the Collegiate are smiling at the scholars of the public school, as they have holidays a week longer.

BOYS DID THEIR "BIT."

Youngsters Made Money For the Blue Cross Society.
An incident which goes to show that the small boy can do his "bit" during war time as well as the older folk, has been demonstrated in the work which has been carried on by five boys who have been spending the summer at Dead Man's Bay. The lads secured home-made goods and making a trip to the camp at Barriefield, found a ready sale for everything they had to offer and in this way they cleared \$30.40 which has been handed over to the Blue Cross Society. The boys are deserving of much credit for the way in which they carried out their work, and the society wishes to thank them. The boys who did the work are Grant McDonald, "Teddy" Minnes, Howard Rees, Donald Anglin and "Billy" McDonald.

The Price Of Grain.

There is some concern among farmers and millers over the market for the wheat crop. It is pointed out that a war-time embargo forbids the sale of wheat and flour in either enemy or neutral countries. Cases are even cited where flour contracts received by a Canadian milling company from Greece and Holland have been handed over to mills in the United States.
Canadian farmers responded to the appeal for increased production in order to feed the British Empire and its Allies during the war. Now prices are dropping, as they always do drop when the first delivering of an unusually large harvest commences. Our people freely make monetary as other sacrifices for the great cause which all have at heart, but it is improbable that they will be asked to accept losses on their grain crop.
Other acute financial questions arising during the war have been handled in a masterly manner by the Minister of Finance, and The Daily News has no doubt that this new difficulty is being provided against. This is one of the problems upon which Sir Robert Borden has been working in London. He is on his way across the Atlantic and probably will have important announcements to make on returning to the Capital. The Imperial Government is protecting the British farmer and there is little likelihood that the Canadian farmer's interests will be neglected.

A Loyal Old Man.

The spirit of the older residents of the city is shown by an incident that happened to Lieut. A. P. Christmas, recruiting officer for the 59th Battalion. An old man, evidently a laborer, walked in on Tuesday afternoon to see the lieutenant. He saluted and said in a trembling voice: "I am not able to go, sir; I am too old, but I wish you would take this (fifty cents) to help the boys who are going."

Thursday 2.15 p.m.

Thousand Islander leaves for complete tour 1000 Islands. Home 7.30 p.m. Fare 50c. Also on Saturday.

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IN MARINE CIRCLES.

Movements of Vessels Reported Along the Harbor.
Steamer Conger Coal cleared for Cleveland to load coal for Toronto.
Steamer Buena Vista cleared for Rideau Canal ports.
Schooner Ford River arrived from Charlotte, and is unloading coal into cars at the C. P. R. wharf for Richardson's fieldspar mines.
Steamer Jeska arrived from Oswego with coal for Robert Crawford.
Steamers Advance and Simla passed down, with grain from Port Colborne to Montreal.
M. T. Co.'s Bulletin: Steamer India cleared from Port Dalhousie Tuesday night, with the barge Selkirk loaded with grain from Port Colborne; tug Emerson passed down with coal from Oswego for Montreal; and will pick up the barges Hilda and Davie at Qudensburg, loaded with grain for Montreal.
It will be some three weeks or more before the steamer Kenora will be ready to leave the Kingston Shipbuilding drydock. Seventy-seven plates will have to be taken off.
For the past few days no freighters have passed up or down.

TO READJUST RATES.

The members of the Utilities Commission realize that the new electric power rates will have to be adjusted. They do not expect the power users to pay the amounts "prescribed" in the bills being issued, as charges under the new system are out of all reason.
The Whig has spoken with members of the Commission, who intimate that as soon as they have all the bills of power or customers before them they will be able to adjust the rates.
The bills so far issued for July show that power users are being charged from 200 to 400 per cent. more than they paid for the same month a year ago.

Letters to the Editor

A Kind Word For "Poor Baptiste."
Kingston, Sept. 1.—(To the Editor)—"Poor Baptiste" is for perhaps the 150th time incarcerated at the public expense in Castle Corbett. Is it not time that the curtain was rung down on this disgraceful farce and a new method of dealing with this inebriate be adopted? When he is sober he is inoffensive and harmless, and an extended term at the Industrial farm or at Rockwood would keep him so.

If the presiding Magistrate has no power to send the poor fellow to one of the other places, he should call on Inspector Wright to put him on the Indian list perpetually. To the credit of the liquor dealers I am informed that there is only one of them who is mean enough to furnish this unfortunate with liquor. If the license of this hotel is brought to time—as he should be—society will be relieved of an oft-occurring nuisance.—Nolens Volens.

SKIPPED THE RANKS.

Soldier Left Uniform in a Hotel Yard.
On Wednesday the military police found a soldier's uniform in the yard at one of the local hotels, and as a result another desertion from the ranks is reported. It is stated that eleven desertions were reported in the last few days. If a man wants to desert and succeeds in getting into civilian clothes, unless he is known to the members of the military police, he has a very easy time of getting away.

ARRIVED AT BARRIEFIELD.

A. J. Gilmore, Toronto, One of Three Brothers in Service.
A. J. Gilmore, son of A. H. Gilmore, North Toronto, has arrived at Barriefield Camp, as a member of the Canadian Royal Horse Artillery. He is the third son to volunteer for service. It is only age that keeps the patriotic father from joining the colors. He is captain of the North Toronto Rifle Association and served nine years in the Queen's Own Regiment.

Need New Stone Bin.

The stone bin for the Perth road owned by the county is causing the county officials a great amount of trouble. A special meeting of the Good Roads Committee was held on Tuesday afternoon to consider the replacing of the bin, which collapsed a few days ago under a heavy load of stone. Bins of the required type can be secured immediately, but the largest obtainable holds fifteen tons and the county wants one that will hold twenty-one tons. The superintendent was empowered to make temporary repairs until a new bin is secured.

Big Patriotic Meeting.

Prof. L. W. Mulloy is making great arrangements for the patriotic meeting to be held in the City Hall on Wednesday, September 14th. The meeting is for the purpose of explaining to the people and to the County Council what funds are needed by the different patriotic societies. Hands will be present, and a prominent Ottawa man has been invited to give an address.

For the 21st Battalion.

A despatch from Brockville says: "The secretary of the Board of Trade will go to Ottawa to present the Acting Minister of Militia with a draft for \$2,500 from the business men of Brockville for two machine guns for the Canadian overseas soldiers, preferably for the 21st Battalion of Kingston, in which are so many Brockville men."

Islands By Seaboard.

Thursday, September 2nd, per SS. Thousand Islander. Complete 50 mile trip. Leave 7.30 p.m., home at 10.30 p.m.

INJURED HIS SPINE

PTE. THOMAS BOUCHIER FELL OVER TENT ROPE
At Barriefield Camp on Tuesday Night—He Is In Hotel Dieu In a Serious Condition.
Pte. Thomas Bouchier, attached to the C.A.S.C. at Barriefield Camp, accidentally fell upon a tent-peg while returning to his quarters shortly after nine o'clock Tuesday evening and injured his spine. His injuries may prove fatal. Pte. Bouchier apparently had fallen over a rope in the darkness and fell heavily on his back. He was rendered unconscious at first, but after reaching the Hotel Dieu he went into convulsions. Four men were required to hold him in bed the greater portion of the night. On Wednesday morning he was resting a little easier but his condition was far from being satisfactory.
Previous to enlisting Mr. Bouchier was employed by the firm of James Reid & Co., Princess street. His home is on John street, where his wife and three children reside. Pte. Bouchier is thirty-eight years of age.

A WORD TO IDLE MEN.

They Are Invited To Enlist At Barriefield Camp.
Lieut. A. P. Christmas, recruiting men for service with the 59th Battalion, when asked for his opinion on recruiting gave the Whig the following statement:
"While recruiting during the past few days for the 59th has been active, it is noticeable that Kingston men while in the majority are not enlisting as should be their duty. From the number of men loitering around the streets without any visible means of support, it would appear that their place is over in Barriefield doing their little bit for the country, instead of posing in the eyes of their wives, family, sweethearts and friends as a little worse than a fifth rate circus exhibit. The country needs all the soldiers possible, and to those who enlist will accrue the honor, also the everlasting gratitude of the generation who wants to go but are too old, and the generation who look with envious eyes on the men in uniform but are too young to go."

KILLED AT THE FRONT.

Brother of Barriefield Soldier Met His Death.
Word has been received that Bugler Joshua Walker, who enlisted with the Fourth Battalion, at Edmounton, had been killed in action. He was a brother of John Robert Walker, a recent recruit taken on at Barriefield camp. Another brother, Daniel Walker, is with the 7th Battalion at Rockcliffe camp, Ottawa. Deceased's home was at City View near Ottawa.
Bugler Walker was killed by a German sniper while he was doing duty in the trenches.

Was Drunk All Right.

A drunk on remand was the only offender in the Police Court on Wednesday morning. He was remanded from Tuesday owing to the fact that he denied the charge. Constables Cotter and Nicholson gave evidence against him, and the Magistrate imposed a fine of \$3 and costs or twenty days in jail.

1000 Islands—Rochester

SS. Caspian leaves on Sundays, Wednesdays and Fridays, at 10.40 a.m. for 1000 Islands (50c); and at 5 p.m. for Rochester, via Bay of Quinte.

Inland Revenue Collections.

Inland revenue collections for August were: Spirits, \$5,841.01; malt, \$528; tobacco and cigars, \$1,483.86; vinegar, \$459.67; methylated spirits, \$227.31; war tax, \$290.55; other receipts, \$51; total, \$8,866.40.

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Special Ogdensburg Trip.
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Punish the Grafters.

Ottawa Journal.
There is very little to be said about the report of the Mathers Royal Commission on graft in Manitoba. The report speaks for itself. What is wanted is not words, but action, and unless the men who broke the laws of the land and violated public trust are meted out their full deserts law and order in Canada will rightly be regarded as a mockery and a sham. Politics or ordinary transgressors of the statutes of this country. There is a suspicion in the public mind of Canada that politics and politicians are not as honest as they might be. If the rascals who have trafficked in public trust in Manitoba are permitted to go scot free this suspicion will be gravely accentuated. To the great detriment of our political institutions.

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