

DR. T. H. LUNNEY DIES IN EGYPT

Former Prominent Saint
John Physician Stricken
on Voyage.

Hospital Superintendent Here
for Term and Had Been
Grand Knight, K. C.

DR. THOMAS H. LUNNEY, of
Saint John, is dead at Port
Said, Egypt, it was learned in
the city yesterday. He died
Aug. 7. The news reached his
relatives here yesterday afternoon.

It came in a letter to the family
homed in Union street and was
from the Peninsular and
Oriental Steam Navigation Com-
pany, Leadenhall street, Lon-
don.

The letter quoted a telegram received
under date of Aug. 8 from Port Said,
stating that Dr. Lunney had died there
on the previous day. He was buried at
Port Said.

GRADUATE OF MCGILL

Dr. Lunney was a son of the late
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lunney. His
mother was Miss Lantulum before mar-
riage, and was a member of one of the
outstanding families of the city. His
father was prominent in the business
life of Saint John in his day and was
for a long time a merchant in Dock
street. Dr. Lunney was a brilliant stu-
dent in his public school career in Saint
John. He went to McGill University,
Montreal, where he had a splendid
record in medicine, graduating in 1901.

HOSPITAL SUPERINTENDENT

For three years after that he was su-
perintendent of the General Public Hos-
pital here and then went into private
practice with office in Union street,
near Charlotte. Later he removed his
office to the family residence in the
same street. He continued with suc-
cess until the war came. Then he
went overseas and joined the Royal
Army Medical Corps in the Imperial
army. He served all through the
troubled years that followed and his
duties took him to many countries,
including Malta and Russia. After the
armistice he was attached to the hos-
pital of the King George Hospital in Lon-
don.

IN HOSPITAL AT ADEN

He had recently taken a voyage to
Antwerp on one of the Peninsular and
Oriental Company's vessels and was
asked then to join for a voyage to In-
dia. It was on that voyage that he was
stricken. It was on the steamship Nore
that he sailed from London on June 2
and presumably on return he was
taken ill. He was placed in hospital
at Aden on July 28 but after a little
while there was again taken on ship-
board to return to the British capital.
He became worse, however, and had to
be landed at Port Said and there he
died. He had gone on this voyage as
surgeon of the vessel.

Dr. Lunney had the gift of music
and he had a fluent command of lan-
guage that made him outstanding on
the public platform or in the fraternal
assemblies of which he was a member.
Well read in the affairs of the coun-
try and with a ready wit, he was al-
ways welcomed as he rose to speak at
any gathering.

BELONGED TO K. O. F. C.

Dr. Lunney had built up a large prac-
tice here when the illness of the war
reached him. He was a charter member of Saint
John Council 897 of the Knights of Co-
lumbus and was one of the earlier
grand knights of the council.

Dr. Lunney is survived by one sis-
ter, Miss Helen, 104 Union street, and
by four brothers, J. P., formerly of the
Canadian immigration department here;
Dr. E. W. Lunney, of this city; Victor,
also of Saint John; and Harry, a
prominent attorney in Calgary. There
are also three uncles, James V. Lan-
tulum, Canadian immigration agent at
Saint John; F. T. Lantulum, of the
Board of Assessors of this city, and
William F. Lantulum, of Portland, Me.,
and one aunt, Miss Margaret Lantulum,
of Union street.

Motor Cycle Speeder Proves Deaf and Dumb

LONDON, Aug. 20.—The toll of life
through motor accidents has not been
diminished since the bank holiday of
Aug. 8, when 30 people were killed
and more than 60 injured.

So serious has it become that the
Ministry of Transport proposes tak-
ing drastic action, though in what
direction the action will be taken is
not yet decided.

A motor cyclist who was heavily
fined for exceeding the speed limit
in Surrey was described to be deaf
and dumb, and he was carrying on
the pillion of his cycle another man
similarly affected.

Two Harvesters Are Drowned In Quebec

ROBERTVAL LAKE, St. John, Que.,
Aug. 20.—Two young men were
drowned here Tuesday.

Alfred Brasser, 17 years of age, and
Paul Parnon, 16 years, had worked in
the morning harvesting and in the
afternoon after a rather heavy lunch
decided to take a swim in the river.

They had hardly entered the deep
water when they called for help. Eff-
orts to save them failed. Their bodies
were recovered last evening.

Former Moncton Man Is Drowned In West

MONCTON, Aug. 20.—Stephen M.
Rutherford, a C.N.R. train dispatcher
at Winnipeg, was drowned while bath-
ing at Winnipeg Beach on Aug. 8.

He was a son of the late Captain
Thomas Rutherford, of Rivet Hebert,
N.S., and is survived by his mother,
one sister, Mrs. David Pugsley, Mac-
can, and one brother, Robert, at home.

Interment was made at Rivet Hebert
on Tuesday. The late Mr. Ruther-
ford was well known in Moncton. He
had resided here for some time.

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WATCH COMMUNISTIC SCHOOL

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PREMIER FAVORS EARLY ELECTION

Federal Cabinet Reported to
Back Leader for Con-
test Soon

Ottawa Believes Announcement
Will Not be Delayed
for Long.

TORONTO, Aug. 20.—An Ot-
tawa despatch to the Toronto
Star says: "The impression pre-
vails today, that as a result of
cabinet councils and private con-
ferences, which have been going
on since the beginning of the
week, advocates of an early gen-
eral election have prevailed over
those who desire delay and that
to all intents and purposes the
campaign is on."

"While no definite official announce-
ment is expected for some time, it is
understood that Premier King, who
has favored an early election from the
outset and those members of his cabi-
net who were of a like mind, have suc-
ceeded in overcoming the objections of
opposing ministers and of private mem-
bers who have been unfavorable to the
plunge."

2 SOUGHT IN ORGIES AT MELVILLE COVE VANISH; LIQUOR HELD

HALIFAX, Aug. 20.—A palatial speedboat of Connecticut registry, a
high powered motor car bearing a New York license plate, a bunga-
low on the shores of the Northwest Arm and several visitors believed to
be from the United States, have been colorful features of the summer
colony at Melville Cove since Aug. 5.

But today the bungalow was vacant, the motor boat swung idly at its
moorings and the car and visitors were elsewhere while police, armed with
a warrant for the arrest of R. S. Sherman and J. Mayhew, addresses un-
known, had given up the vigil they had kept from ambush near the cot-
tage since Monday night when they visited the place while the tenants
were absent and seized a large quantity of rum.

Hilariety lasting far into the morning hours and participated in by young
girls, had become annoying to the other members of the colony and a
complaint to the police resulted in the raid.

Police were unable to give the license number of the car nor identify
the motor boat beyond finding that it had come from Connecticut.

"The premier, it is understood, has
urged the immediate necessity of the
government securing a clear mandate
or majority, not only from the stand-
point of government itself, but in order
to better re-establish confidence in the
country."

Want a Cook? Use a want ad.

His 50th Term

Harvard Student, "Broke" in
London, Tries Stowaway
Stunt on Liner.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—When
Cornelius Osgood, 21, Harvard Uni-
versity student and a stowaway on
the American-bound liner Minnekahda,
made his presence known as the vessel
left London it cost him 11 hours of
hard work a day to get a free pas-
sage.

Osgood, the son of Frederick S.
Osgood of Chicago, landed here yester-
day. He declares he was dead
broke after "doing" London. His
father was caught in the recent rub-
ber slump, he said, and didn't seem
a favorable prospect for a touch.

After seven attempts to sign up with
an American-bound vessel, he walked
aboard the Minnekahda.

"I worked 11 hours a day and more
when I had to," Osgood said. "I
figure I paid my passage."

Then he grinned and beat it down
the gangplank for a telegraph of-
fice to wire his parents.

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