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ARTHUR O'KEEFE WAS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED

Explosion of Hand Grenade Severely Wounded Three—Everything Done For Him

Mrs. D. O'Keefe this week received two letters from France, which are a great comfort to her and the family. By kind permission we reproduce these.

Jan. 24, 1916
 Dear Mrs. O'Keefe:
 I am writing to try and tell you how much we all sympathize with you in the terrible loss you have had in the death of your son. At the time, he



PTE. ART. O'KEEFE,
 8th Battalion,
 Killed in action Jan. 23rd, 1916.

was in the Grenadier Platoon, which was in my charge, and I have ever found him a most excellent soldier and a man. Major Anderson, in whose company your son was so long, has asked me to add his great sympathy also. It is needless to tell you how deeply all his old associates and companions have felt his loss and how much they miss his presence, but to you, who have lost so much more, all our hearts go out in a true and deep sympathy. Your son was killed by an accidental explosion of a Grenade in the front trenches while on duty, and although taken at once to the hospital, his life could not be saved and he died yesterday, being buried in a cemetery in the town of Baileul.

Again expressing the sincere sympathy of all of us

I am
 Yours very sincerely
 W. E. C. IRWIN.

Jan. 24, 1916

Dear Mrs. O'Keefe:
 I promised your son, Pte. A. O'Keefe, I would write and let you know we were taking care of him here at No. 2 Casualty Clearing Station. He sent his love to you.

He asked me to say at first it was slight as he did not wish you to be worried, but, as all need for worrying about his condition is gone, I am sorry to have to tell you he was very severely wounded in the abdomen and he passed peacefully away at 7.50 last evening, Sunday, January 23rd. The priest visited him several times. He will be buried tomorrow in a part of the cemetery reserved for our brave troops and a little wooden cross bearing the name and date marks each resting place. The name of place and number of his grave will be sent to you later from headquarters. I enclose a lock of his hair you may like to have. With much sympathy.

Yours sincerely
 L. E. JOLLEY;

Sister in charge.
 P. S.—Everything possible was done for him. We made him as comfortable and happy as we could, so you can feel quite satisfied about that.

L. E. J.

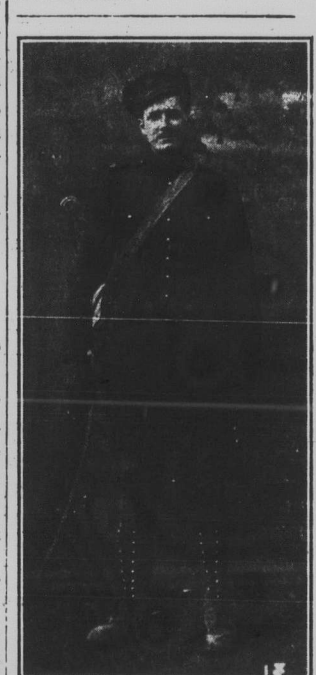
Austin McDonald has also received a letter from Lieut. Austin Murray, who was at the front as observation

NIGHT OF SPORTS FRIDAY EVENING

The Campbellton Citizens Band Have Arranged a Big Programme for That Evening

The Campbellton Citizens Band intend holding a Night of Sports in the Campbellton Skating Rink on Friday evening, Feb. 18th. There will be a number of quarter mile races for boys and girls, barrel races, snowshoe races and bag races, in fact the evening will prove one of the best nights of sport ever put on in this province. In addition to the above the Band has prepared an excellent programme of music, which in itself will be a rare treat. The Ladies' Soldiers Comfort Association will serve refreshments so that all who attend may look forward to spending a most enjoyable evening. The price of admission too to the rink has been placed at just half the price usually charged for such sports. Adults 25c, Children 15c. Notwithstanding the big programme to be carried through, the Citizens Band have arranged with the managers of the rink to keep the rink open for half an hour after the sports, to allow all those who might desire to skate an opportunity to do so. Don't fail to reserve the date, Friday evening, Feb. 18th, and witness one of the greatest Winter Nights of Sport ever put on in this province.

BOARD OF TRADE
 A meeting of the Campbellton Board of Trade will be held in the Council Chamber, Monday evening, February 21st, at 8 o'clock. As matters in connection with the Bay Chaleur steamer service will be discussed, it is hoped a large number of members will be present.



PRIVATE BOSWELL MALCOLM,
 Mechanical Transport.

The above picture was taken "somewhere in Belgium". In writing home Boss says that he and his brother Ross are driving big motor trucks upon which ammunition and supplies are taken. They go up very near the trenches at night and see much of the activities of war. Both are enjoying good health.

The bag on the strap over the shoulder contains the gas helmet provided all men, and which is worn at all times.

officer on the day Art. O'Keefe was wounded. He was quite near the trench where the explosion took place, and heard the call for stretcher bearers. Three men were wounded. When service

CAMPBELLTON COUNCIL BUYS HALL SITE

Corner of Andrew and Roseberry Favored.—I. C. R. Blocking Streets.—Other Business

A meeting of the town council was held last evening, His Worship Mayor A. A. Andrew presiding. Couns. Miller, Patterson, Goss, Alexander and Ellsworth present.

The Town Clerk submitted a list of persons qualified to vote whether or not licenses to sell liquor shall be granted in Ward II.

List was approved.

Coun. Miller from the Finance Com-

mittee submitted the following ac-

counts, which were ordered paid.

N. B. Telephone Co., phone rent 8.00

H. P. Doyle, horse hire 1.50

Graphic, envelopes 5.00

Graphic, pencils 1.35

S. H. Lingley, salary and com-

mission 1703.87

Coun. Goss from the Fire Protection

Committee submitted the following ac-

counts which were ordered paid.

N. B. Telephone Co., phone rent 5.00

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W. J. Price, coal 11.40

H. Marquis, supplies 1.60

W. T. Cook, coal 7.75

Dunlop Tire and Rubber Co.,

Rubber coats 56.00

Dunlop Tire and Rubber Co.,

Hose 336.50

Goodyear Tire & Rubber Co.,

boots 5.50

Northern Electric Co., repairs 3.46

Coun. Miller stated that the commit-

tee appointed to look into the matter

of selling bonds to wipe out overdraft

had considered the matter fully, but

had come to the conclusion that the

time was not just right for selling

bonds. The overdraft was now about

\$32,000 or \$2000 less than last year.

Coun. Goss asked what interest the

bank was charging and what they in-

timated they would require in future.

Coun. Miller—We are paying 5 per

cent, and it had been intimated that 6

per cent would be the rate, but he felt

that 5½ would be about what would

have to be paid.

Coun. Goss expressed the opinion

that nothing would be gained by sell-

ing bonds now, and nothing lost by

waiting. The chances were for a

betterment in a year or two.

The matter was allowed to stand.

Coun. Alexander brought to the at-

tention of the Council the matter of

the I. C. R. blocking Andrew street

and other crossings. He spoke of

Sunday evening when a number of

ladies and gentlemen were held up for

a time by a train of empty passenger

cars. A brakeman came along and

opened the vestibule door on one side,

but the other would not open. While

endeavoring to do this the train started

and carried all to the west end of

the yard when they had to walk home.

The Clerk was instructed to write to

the Divisional Superintendent in refer-

ence to this matter.

Coun. Goss from the Fire Protection

Committee submitted the committee's

annual report, together with the Fire

Chief's annual report.

These were received and ordered

printed in the blue book.

In the Fire Chief's report he men-

tioned the fact that the lack of proper

housing facilities for the department

was a serious hindrance to efficient

service.

Coun. Patterson said that the Chief

was about right in this matter and the

town should take steps at once to pro-

vide a site and build a Town Hall. He

had made it his business to interview

the heirs of the Wm. Andrew estate

PTE. J. E. ARSENEAU KILLED IN ACTION

Popular Bonaventure Co. Boy Gives up Life For King and Country. Enlisted in West

We regret to record the death of Pte. J. E. Arsenau of St. Jean l'Evangeliste, son of Mrs. Henry Arsenau, who was killed in action on Jan. 23rd.

He enlisted in Winnipeg in Nov., 1914, in the 32nd Batt., was transferred to the 8th Canadian Inf. Batt., when he landed in England and was in the trenches since the 7th of May.

Besides his mother, he leaves five

sisters and two brothers, one of them

Henry, in the 26th Batt., in the trench-

es somewhere in France.

He has fought his last fight and died

on the battlefield. Although a great

grief to his family, it is a great con-

solation for them to know that he died

fighting for a righteous cause for his

King and country, and to free Europe

of Prussian militarism.

BARGAINS

A few Toilet Sets will be sold at less than cost prices to clear.

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 Soldiers Money Belts 50c., 75c.
 Soldiers Army Service Kit Mirror 35c.
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NIGHT OF SPORTS FRIDAY, FEB. 18th.

Under the auspices of Campbellton Citizen's Band who are rendering a special Programme of Music.

SKATING FOR ONE HOUR AFTER SPORTS
 NEW SKATING MUSIC BY BAND

Half Mile Race, Quarter Mile Races for Boy's and Girls, Snowshoe Race, Potato Race for Boy's and Girls, Barrel Race, Bag Race, etc., etc.

SPORTS START AT 8 O'CLOCK SHARP

Admission: ADULTS 25c.
 CHILDREN 15c.