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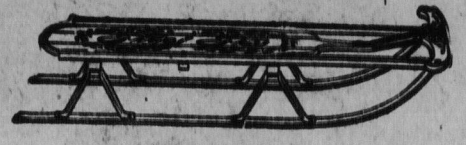
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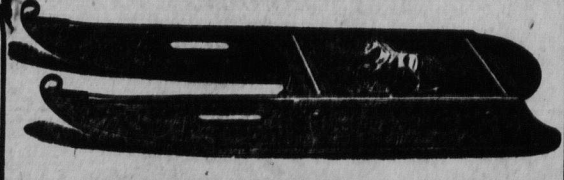


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CHARLES CLARKE OF CORNHILL KILLED

Met His Death in Last Charge of 26th Battalion—Was One of Three Brothers in the Service.

Charles Clarke, son of Jackson Clarke, Corn Hill, N. B., was killed in action at the front early in November, in the last charge made by the gallant 26th Battalion. The sad intelligence was conveyed to the family in a letter received on Monday last from Private Clarke's platoon commander. Charles Clarke was one of three brothers who enlisted with the 10th Battalion and who have all seen service at the front. George Clarke was wounded and lost one of his legs. Another brother, Herbert, has not been heard from for some time. Charles was with the 26th for some months and escaped until the last minute of fighting, when he gave his life for a cause which he believed to be sacred. The deceased soldier was in charge of the cheese factory at Corn Hill when he enlisted. He was widely known in the Parish of Havelock and was looked upon as a young man of particularly fine personal qualities. He was well liked by young and old. He enlisted to discharge a duty which in his opinion transcended all other calls. After he had put on the uniform of the 26th, he applied for his discharge, as well as for that of his brother, with a view to having them return to civilian life and resume their former occupations as cheese makers, for which they were particularly fitted. Both Clarke brothers refused, although the way had been paved for their honorable discharge. They had entered the army, they said, because they thought their services were needed in France and they turned a deaf ear to all representations that they should leave the army. And now one has given his life and the other will return maimed in defence of his native land. The little story explains as no language could, the high ideal of these boys. They fought for an ideal and nothing could turn them from it. Throughout their native parish nothing but regret could be heard when the news came. Charles Clarke was highly popular with the young folk of the section in which he lived. He was an excellent entertainer and his local function was considered complete without "Charlie." He was one of the finest young men that left this county for the front. His family has a military record of which it may reasonably feel proud.

PORTS NOW OPEN.

The Board of Trade is advised that radio service via U. S. Atlantic and Gulf Coast stations is now open to British and neutral steamers. Canadian censorship restrictions have been removed from commercial ship traffic passing through wireless stations at St. John, N. B., and Cape Race, Nfld. The chief cable censor advises that the special requirements heretofore applying to merchant shipping and ship movement cablegrams, addressed to trans-Atlantic ports or concerning trans-Atlantic movements as well as to all cablegrams concerning neutral vessels are abolished; that special censorship requirements of identification of merchant vessels, use of master's names, numbers, deletion of date, etc., will no longer be enforced and that all merchant shipping cablegrams are changed in plain language or authorized code will not be treated as a special class, but will be censored under the general regulations applying to regular commercial messages.

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Quebec, Dec. 6.—His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada, will go to Rimouski, on December 17, to deliver the military decorations won on the field of honor, where they died, by Capt. Brilliant, V.C., M.C., and Corporal Keeble, M.C.

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THE FAIR PRICE COMMITTEE HELD THIRD SESSION

Witnesses Examined Relative to Sale of Milk—Local Dealers Tell How it is Received and Delivered.

The third session of the Fair Price Committee relative to the sale of milk in this city was held last evening in City Hall, Commissioner Fisher presiding. George A. Thompson, a local milk dealer, residing at 57 Victoria street, informed the committee that he purchased milk from the King's County farmers, whom he understood were members of the King's County Milk and Cream Producers' Association. The rate paid was seventy cents for an eight-quart can delivered at the station, he paying the freight on the same. On arrival of the train the milk was taken to his home and about one-third of it was kept over until the next day for the following morning's early delivery. The remainder of the milk was retained to the stores and to individual consumers. The milk retained until the next day was thoroughly cleaned by hot water and returned to the trains for shipment to the farmers again for milking. Mr. Thompson added that he did not test the milk, nor did he know of the use of butter fat which the milk contained; however, a test had been taken by the Board of Health a short time previous, the result of which he was not prepared to say, as no return had yet been received by him of the test made. Upon the delivery of the milk to the several stores of the city it was received in jars with covers on the same to preserve the contents from the possible influence of the atmosphere, some of the jars having labels making it convenient to the grocer and to the consumer, at the same time averting the dangers to which the milk might be subjected by the consequences of its being exposed to air. The milk sold at the rate of 12 cents to the wholesaler, and 14 cents to the consumer. Asked by Commissioner Bullock if any suggestion had been made at the recent meeting in the city of the dealers and the representatives of the association relative to a shut-off in the milk supply, Mr. Thompson replied that as much had been offered, if not stated openly. However, he was one against the proposed increase as he believed the consumer would not, and could not, meet the added expense. Relative to the question of pasteurizing, clarifying and using bottles in the sale of milk he felt that the two first processes were in his opinion called for, as the process served to weaken the quality of the milk in this respect, the cream not showing to as great advantage as when such processes were not even thought of. Relative to the use of bottles he believed they were only an added expense to the dealer and the benefits to be derived from their use were hardly worthy of that comment so often heard. Thomas Robinson, another dealer, residing at 30 Garden street, told of receiving the milk from the farmers of King's County and of its being delivered in much the same way as was delivered by the former dealer and retained to the storekeepers at the rate of 12 cents to the consumer at 14 cents. The emptied cans were thoroughly cleaned by himself or at a place on City Road erected for the purpose for about one cent per can was charged. Replying to the query of the benefits attached to the pasteurizing and the clarifying of milk, Mr. Robinson believed such processes entirely unnecessary, as himself, he believed, had such only brought the milk in contact with germs, etc., through being washed through the machines manufactured for the purpose. Relative to the use of bottles he mentioned the fact of these being left on the doorsteps of homes and of their being accessible to the several families of the city and of the fact that, in his belief, not to be sanitary as many believed them to be. Again they were

Fall Clearance Sale

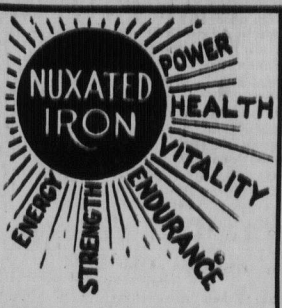
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constantly as a supply had to be kept on hand to overcome consequent drought, and loss through various mediums. However, the bottles were of utility to the householders when they wished to purchase molasses from a store or when preserving in the early autumn. Asked why some milk presented a blue appearance when the cover was taken off the can, or receptacle, he replied that the cream in milk tended to come to the top, and if a dealer did not stir it occasionally the consumer who received the first portion procured the cream. In life others did not receive the same proportion of cream, thus the blue tinge to the milk.

David M. Lawson, 149 Britain street, proprietor of the dairy at the corner of Queen and Carmarthen streets, gave some information relative to the sale of milk and how delivered. He was of the same opinion as the two former men, that bottles were an added nuisance to the trade and as a consequence he dispensed with their usage long ago. Reference to pasteurizing and clarifying milk was made, but he believed, as Mr. Robinson, that the milk was the more palatable as it came from the cow, and the countless methods involved with the aims of purifying milk were needless in his estimation as the milk was tested by the Board of Health and found to meet the requirements of purity in every sense.

This concluded the session for the evening, and at a future time the investigation may be continued.

GUNNER WILLIAMS RECEIVES MEDAL

Successfully Repelled Two Attacks by Submarines on Atlantic — Lieut. Mulcahy Made Presentation.

A ceremony of much interest took place yesterday morning at the Naval Transport office, Prince William St., when Lieut. A. J. Mulcahy, pinned on the breast of William Williams, leading gunner of R.N.R. transport Cydonia, a medal for bravery. In presenting the medal, Lieut. Mulcahy added his hearty congratulations to the recipient.

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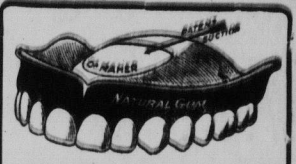
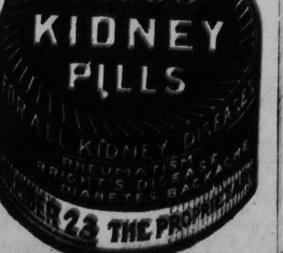
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the latter occasion the running fight continued two hours and a half and the enemy had superior guns.

DIED.

MacMILLAN.—At his home, New Mills, N. B., Nov. 30, after a nine days' illness of influenza, Arthur, son of Mr. and Mrs. James MacMILLAN, in the thirty-fifth year of his age, leaving brothers and sisters, and a large circle of relatives and friends to mourn.

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