

## HERE TO MEET REMAINS OF LIEUT. ROBT. SHIVES

Campbellton Officer Will Be  
Buried in This City With  
Full Military Honours.

Mr. and Mrs. R. K. Shives, Mrs. K. Shives and A. K. Shives of Campbellton are in the city, guests at the Royal

Hotel. Their mission to St. John is a sad one inasmuch as they are here to meet the steamship which is bringing the remains of Robert K. Shives, flying officer, who met his death while engaged in war work for the flying corps.

The late Lieut. Shives will be buried in this city with full military honours. The funeral will be held from the West Side docks to St. Paul's church where service will be conducted.

The deceased officer was well and favorably known throughout New Brunswick. He was a graduate of the University of New Brunswick and was a prominent figure in college activities. It was only a few short months

ago that he visited his aunt, Miss Mills of this city, on his return from the front, where he had been wounded. When his wounds healed, he went back to continue to "do his bit."

No man of all the thousands who have cheerfully gone forth to give their all for their country was more alive than "Bobby" Shives. Life to him indeed was one long, delightfully fantastic adventure. His passing is a great tragedy, even in these days when tragedies are commonplace. He was an infantry man at the outset of the war, but the air service fascinated him, and he was doing his duty when he met his death. He was a glorious death and his relatives, although grieved by his passing, have every reason to feel proud of the truly enviable record he established as a member of the air fleet.

## CONVICT ESCAPED FROM PENITENTIARY BUT WAS RECAPTURED

Special to The Standard.  
Dorchester, N. B., Dec. 26.—A prisoner in the Federal Institution here made a successful dash for liberty from the prison quarters at about 2 o'clock today. The general alarm was given and the entire guard staff were soon in pursuit of the fugitive. Word reached here at six o'clock that the prisoner was apprehended just east of Evan's Sliding. When halted he was making rapid strides toward Nova Scotia. Guards Ward and McDonald made the capture. It is an indictable offense to escape from prison.

## OBITUARY.

Miss M. E. McPeake.

Word was received yesterday morning of the death of Miss Mary Estelle McPeake at Fredericton. Deceased, who was a niece of Mrs. T. Burke, Douglas Avenue, and daughter of the late Postmaster McPeake, Fredericton, was very popular and her passing away was the cause of sincere regret. The funeral will take place tomorrow morning in Fredericton.

F. Wilcox.

The death has been announced of Frederic Wilcox, youngest brother of Mrs. Charles Masters, of St. John, at Bahia, Brazil. Deceased had been in ill-health for several months.

George N. Clark.

The death of George N. Clark occurred last Thursday afternoon, December 21, at his home, Upper Wickham, Queens Co., N. B., in the 59th year of his age. He had been in his usual health until about a week before his death, when an attack of stomach trouble developed. He seemed to be improving, and on Thursday morning had been about his work as usual. He was suddenly stricken down at noon and died in about half an hour. He was a member of the Big Cove Baptist church, and a prominent member of the L.O.L. of Bellevue's Cove. He is survived by his wife and six children, three sons, Stanley A. and T. DeWitt of St. John, and George at home, three daughters, Mrs. Elbridge Barnes of

Port Fairfield, Me.; Mrs. Minnie Logan and Miss Alice at home.

The funeral services were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hopkins at the Upper Wickham Baptist church on Sunday, December 24.

James Howe.

Newcastle, Dec. 26.—The death of James Howe, one of the oldest residents of Nordin (Rosebank), occurred on Saturday night at ten o'clock. Deceased was 71 years of age and unmarried. Two brothers and a sister, all of Nordin, survive him—Richard and Miss Susie of this city, Mrs. John McDonald of Georgetown, Mass., and Mrs. Margaret Ann, with whom he lived, and William. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon, interment at Douglastown in St. Mark's cemetery.

Rev. Alexander Fifth of St. Mark's church conducted services at the house and grave.

Thomas P. Tracey.

The death of Thomas P. Tracey occurred at his home 270 Brussels street last night. He had been a resident of this city for some years and conducted a grocery business on Brussels street. Before coming to the city he resided at Willow Grove. He was a member of C.M.B.A. No. 134, and the I. L. and B. He is survived by three sisters, Miss Susie of this city, Mrs. John McDonald of Georgetown, Mass., and Mrs. Margaret Ann, with whom he lived, and William. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon, interment at Douglastown in St. Mark's cemetery.

Notice of the time of the funeral will be given later.

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## SHIPPING NEWS

MINIATURE ALMANAC.

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Full Moon ..... 9th 5h. 44m. a.m.  
Last Quarter ..... 17th 2h. 6m. p.m.  
New Moon ..... 24th 3h. 31m. p.m.  
First Quarter ..... 31st 5h. 7m. a.m.

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—if we could see the long and hungry bread-lines of people as intelligent and once as prosperous and comfortable as ourselves

—if we could watch the thousands of emaciated children who are fed at the schools by the Belgian Relief Commission

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