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CANDY FOR CHRISTMAS

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Store Open Every Night Until Xmas.

GILBERT'S GROCERY

ST. COLUMBA HONOR ROLL IS UNVEILED

Six Names on it—New Said There May be Through Car Service by New Year's Day

Last evening the congregation of St. Columba Presbyterian church, Fairville, assembled for the unveiling of a roll of honor of six men who have done khaki since the outbreak of the war. The handsome roll in a suitable frame covered with a flag was unveiled by Elder James Irvine, and the scene was impressive. Rev. Wm. Townsend read an address which was followed by the presentations of a beautifully bound Bible by Elder John Galey on behalf of the church to Private George W. Donaldson of the 100th Battalion, who has been an elder in the church and an active officer in the Sunday school, and has made quite a name for himself in that branch of the service.

Private Myles of the 26th Battalion was wounded sometime ago; but in a letter received at his home yesterday, he wrote that he had recovered and was lately transferred to the 18th Battalion reserve at Shorncliffe and would likely soon be sent to the front again.

After a social hour, refreshments were served by a capable committee of ladies, and the evening was brought to a fitting conclusion with the singing of the national anthem. The following are the names on the honor roll—Andrew Campbell, George Myles, Walter Scott, Charles Compton, James Mulherin and Geo. W. Donaldson. Andrew Campbell is at present serving with the artillery as a non-commissioned officer on the firing line "somewhere in France."

A very enjoyable feature of the evening was the singing of Miss Sadie Cougle whose patriotic solos were greatly appreciated.

The work of digging on the city approaches to the new bridge, preparatory to laying the tracks, has proven a job that has taxed the ingenuity of those in charge, trying to hustle with frost in the ground. A few days ago it was decided to inject steam into the ground for thawing purposes, but the result was unsatisfactory, the clay soil refusing to be "steamed." Late yesterday afternoon wood fires were built in the small trench-shaped holes in which the men had been working. Over the fires covers of sheet iron were placed, forcing the heat down into the ground and soon water was noticed coming out of the earth in all directions as the frost thawed.

A single track has been laid now, and work is being rushed on the second. "If all goes well," one of the officials remarked yesterday, "we may be able to give the public a New Year's day present of a through line to the city."

CORPORAL CHAS. O'BRIEN KILLED ON DECEMBER 15

Sad News to Parents at 184 Britain Street—Went With First Contingent

Corporal Charles O'Brien, number 22,781, of the 14th Battalion, formerly of the 12th Battalion, is officially reported killed in action on December 15.

This brief message from the adjutant general in Ottawa brought deep sorrow to the parents of the young man at 184 Britain street, telling, as it did, of the death of their son.

Charles O'Brien, who was twenty-seven years of age, left St. John with the first volunteers in August, 1914, was attached to the 12th and later transferred to the 14th. Although he had seen much service he had escaped injury so far and a post-card was received from him only three days ago with the news that he was then safe and well.

Besides his parents he is survived by five brothers, Alfred, who is with the Siege Battery on Partridge Island; Frank, Harry, Robert and Arthur, and five sisters, Mrs. Fred Trefitz, Mrs. Frank Alexander and Misses Lilly, Bertha and Belle.

He was a member of the Longshoremen's Association but the last work he had been engaged in before leaving St. John was on the construction of the sugar refinery.

The news of his death came as a great shock to his parents who are prostrated with grief. They received a letter from him two weeks ago in which he said he would be out of the trenches in a few days and was then to be given a month's furlough. He expected to eat his Christmas dinner in some barn, somewhere in Belgium, away from the firing line.

He was at the front for fourteen months and during that time escaped injury. He was in the battle of Ypres and Westhoek and came through them without a scratch, although in a letter he had mentioned that his companions had fallen like leaves on a tree. Prior to leaving St. John private O'Brien was engaged in the Atlantic Sugar Refineries where he enjoyed the confidence and esteem of his employers and the respect of his fellow employees.



Corporal Chas. O'Brien, who has made the supreme sacrifice. He was a private when he left here, but won promotion.

PLEASANT CHRISTMAS EVENT AT PLEASANT POINT SCHOOL

The seventeenth annual Christmas entertainment in the Pleasant Point Sunday School was carried out successfully last evening with a pleasing programme and treat for the members. The chair was occupied by Carey B. Black, superintendent, who made an opening address. Rev. P. R. Hayward also gave an address, while the programme was as follows:

Christmas Morn, Georgie Parris and little girls; recitation, Watching for Santa Claus, by Annie Ewart; recitation, A Birthday Gift, by Carson Snodgrass; exercise, James Boyd and Irene Curran; recitation, Once a Year, by Helen Straight; Harmonica solo, Sylvia Hamm; recitation, A Helper, by James Ewart; song, The Voice of Belgium, by Marion McLaughlin and Ella Hamm; recitation, Santa Claus' Visit, by Daisy Bottle; reading, Benny's Reprieve, by Mrs. Knox; recitation, Yarns, by Dorothy Bennett; exercises, Santa Claus by ten little girls; recitation, Xmas Secrets, by Sylvia Hamm; recitation, Santa Claus, by Cecil Henderson; recitation, Xmas Day, by Vera Naves; solo, "Take Me Back to Canada," by Ruby Spinks; recitation, One Christmas Gift, by Geo. Farris; recitation by Mary King; exercise and chorus, Irene Curran and little girls; recitation, St. Nick, by Thelma Moloncent; recitation, "My Folks," by Arthur Beardsley; recitation, "On the Road to Tipperary," by Jane Boyd; reading by Harvey Arbo; recitation, by Adolph Ryder; recitation, A British Soldier's Reply, by Kenneth Henderson; "God Save the King."

WORKMAN'S COMPENSATION CASE

This morning in Chambers before His Honor Judge McKeown the case of Albert Wolfe vs. E. J. Heat was taken up. This is a matter under the plaintiff's having been injured in the defendant's bakery. When the court adjourned at noon the plaintiff had finished his case, and at 2:30 this afternoon the defendant's evidence was to be taken. His Honor said that he would go to see the machine on which the injury was sustained. J. F. H. Reed is for the plaintiff and H. A. Powell, K. C., for the defendant.

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to.....\$2.75 per half dozen	Leather Club Bags.....\$2.50 to \$25.00	Cigarette Cases.....\$2.00 to \$2.50
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Neckwear.....25c to \$2.00	Ebony Military Brushes, \$1.50 to \$5.00	Bill Folds.....75c to \$3.50
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