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### OBITUARY.

#### Miss Ellen Kearns.

The death took place on Saturday at the residence of Mrs. W. A. Cathers, a sister of the late Mrs. W. A. Cathers, and is survived by three brothers and two sisters, the latter being Mrs. W. J. Lamb, from whose residence, 107 St. James street, the funeral will take place this afternoon, and Mrs. Jack James, of New York. Miss Kearns formerly resided in Mecklenburg street.

#### Mrs. Catherine Wark.

The death of Mrs. Catherine Wark, at the advanced age of 85, occurred Saturday at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. G. Blakeloe, 322 Union street. She was the widow of Alexander Wark, and is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Blakeloe. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock from 322 Union street.

#### Mrs. Elizabeth Esterbrook.

Mrs. Elizabeth Esterbrook, one of the oldest and most highly respected residents of the North End, passed away Saturday afternoon at her home, 197 Main street, in the 88th year of her age. She was the widow of Abram Esterbrook, a well known merchant of this city, a member of the firm of Esterbrook & King, who conducted business on the wharf. She is survived by her adopted daughter, Mrs. J. F. Esterbrook, and one sister, Mrs. Prince, Arizona. The funeral will be held this (Monday) afternoon at three o'clock from 197 Main street.

#### Death of Infant.

Many will be sorry to hear of the death of the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. M. Armstrong, of Lakewood, which occurred in this city yesterday. The funeral will take place this morning from the residence of James E. Arthur, interment being in Fernhill.

## RECOGNIZED THE WORTH OF CAPT. PARLOW

Employers of Gallant Skipper  
of Anglo-Californian Paid  
Tribute to Heroism He  
Displayed.

"The Syren and Shipping Illustrated," published in London, England, contains the following interesting particulars respecting the heroic conduct of Captain Parlow and members of the crew of the steamship Anglo-Californian which left St. John in September, 1914, consigned to J. T. Knight and Company, Shipping Agents, Market Square, who had charge of the shipment of amongst other details a cargo of horses. Captain Parlow heroically met his death while defending the Anglo-Californian against the attack of an enemy submarine. Extracts from reports of the Nitrate Producers' Steamship Company, Ltd., for the year ending April 30, last, are here given and explain the circumstances.

The report does not content itself with setting forth in crystallized form the pecuniary measure of the company's successful operations and its organization for the future. It strikes a more human note, one which will evoke a thrill of sympathy from all who realize the great part which the officers and men of the merchant service have played during the war in doing the work of the nation. Our sea supremacy implies today, perhaps more than ever, the exercise of all those traditional qualities which enable Britannia to rule the waves—dogged, patient persistence in the performance of duty, heroism and gallantry in the face of odds, and in many cases self-sacrifice. Certainly the company are to be congratulated that they have on their sea-going staffs men who do not hesitate to pay the supreme sacrifice when called upon. The heroic conduct of Capt. Parlow is thus alluded to in the report: "Four directors regret to record the death by shell fire of the commodore of the fleet, Capt. Parlow, and several members of the crew of the s.s. Anglo-Californian, which was attacked by an enemy submarine. Although under continuous fire for three consecutive hours, Capt. Parlow, with the assistance of some of his officers, engineers and crew, maintained a most determined and plucky fight and succeeded in saving his steamer. Unfortunately, the last shell fired blew him off the bridge. Of the many fights recorded between merchant ships and submarines the skill and bravery displayed by Capt. Parlow have not been exceeded. This tribute everyone will endorse. It was a deed of heroism and self-sacrifice which will live to show, if proof of such was wanting, that those under the Red Ensign are blood brothers of those under the White. Capt. Parlow's son, who also distinguished himself during this attack, was granted a commission in the R. N. R., and awarded the D. S. C.; while other members of this gallant crew were also suitably rewarded.

The chairman of the steamship company made the following remarks: "I cannot sit down without referring again to our commodore, Capt. Parlow, who was killed during a successful attack on the s.s. Anglo-Californian. Full particulars have appeared in the Press, but there is one detail that I have never noticed reported. When most of the crew, and no blame to them, insisted on surrendering, Capt. Parlow had a message from the two destroyers rushing to his aid urging him to hold on as they were at hand. Thereupon, he offered £100 to any man who would go into the stockhold. Several brave fellows acceded to his request. The whole of the three previous hours' fight would have been lost but for this last effort on the part of the captain, and it displays the pluck and iron determination of the man to the last. He had lost one of his sons in Flanders, and the other had been badly wounded, and he asserted that the flag of his country would never be lowered to a German submarine while he was alive. A German-American who was on board the pirate submarine has reported the circumstances to the New York American; the details are too long for me to go into, but establish the fact that the sound of the propellers of our pursuers overhead, and the crew agreed that the Anglo-Californian's captain ought to have had an Iron Cross. If ever a seaman deserved to have a monument raised to his memory to perpetuate what British seamen can do, Capt. Parlow has earned that distinction, and this company, in paying tribute to his memory, will ever be proud of having had such a commander."

#### A Runaway.

On Saturday morning a team belonging to the Dominion Express Company was standing in front of their office in King street when suddenly the horse bolted and ran as far as the old post office. The wagon was badly damaged but no person was injured.

A teacher had been telling a little boy the story of the disobedient lamb that was eaten by the wolf. "You see," said she, "had the lamb been obedient and stayed in the fold, it would not have been eaten by the wolf, would it?" "No, ma'am," said the boy promptly, "it would have been eaten by us."

## The Long and the Short of It



The tallest man in the Canadian army with two of the shortest soldiers. This photograph shows Miss Joyce Wishart, of St. John, with another nurse at the Canadian Special Hospital at Ramsgate, England. Canada's khaki giant is Sapper Bruce of the Engineers. He stands 6 ft. 8 1/2 inches. He was taken prisoner by the Germans and later exchanged.

## MARITIME MEN AT VALCARTIER QUICKLY ROUNDING INTO SHAPE

They Have Shown Vast Improvement Since Arrival at Big  
Training Camp — The 140th "St. John Tigers" Centre  
of Attraction for New Brunswick Visitors — Baseball  
Outfit Would be Appreciated by the Boys.

(Special Correspondence of The Standard.)

Camp Valcartier, July 15.—All the troops from the Maritime Provinces encamped at Valcartier have made wonderful progress since their arrival here. The improvement in the different corps is shown in their marching and their general appearance on parade. Their steadiness is particularly noticeable. This feature is not confined to one battalion alone but all have benefitted by their short stay in this big encampment. The fact that about twenty-five battalions are together here gives the necessary rivalry and all are doing their best to become efficient. The chief aim of every officer, non-commissioned officer and man in the camp is to reach the scene of conflict in Europe and shirkers have no place among them.

The military activities about camp are interesting and every man is learning some new feature of his business each day. While some of the training is very vigorous there are many minutes of leisure when other units may be viewed and their work inspected.

The 140th Battalion, St. John Tigers, are well to the front in their training. The work indulged in now has reached the advanced stages and the staff officers, who view the men in action, have freely praised the work. The boys in camp are very contented with all the arrangements and have nothing but good words for all that is being done for them.

The 140th band has rapidly come forward as a crack musical organization. Several days ago this band was selected to play at the mess of the headquarters. Brigadier-General E. W. Wilson, the camp commandant of Camp Valcartier, complimented the leader of the band on the splendid programme and requested that several more selections be given after the regular programme had been rendered.

General Wilson later sent his thanks to Colonel Reer for the pleasure given by the fine playing of the band.

All the men in the 140th have been inoculated and vaccinated. Several have very sore arms for a few days but now all are on parade again.

Staff officers, experts in the different branches of training, visit the camp every day and all comment favorably on the work.

Lieutenant Ashford, Sergeant Moore, Sergeant Pugh, Corporal Pugh and Corporal Thompson are taking a special course in bayonet fighting and physical training.

Lieutenant Manning has completed a course in trench warfare and several of the non-commissioned officers are being instructed in musketry.

Captain D. Stuart Bell of "B" Company, is president of the officers' mess and has done good work in providing comforts for the officers.

Captain E. E. Smith has taken over the duties of musketry instructor for the 140th and all the men are well up in this department.

The quartermaster, Major Fairweather, has secured lumber and has placed a new floor in the orderly room. He has also placed electric lights in the larger tents.

Lieutenant R. Bruce McFarlane has gone to Fredericton for a few days.

The canteen Sergeant, H. A. McGinley has been a busy man since reaching camp. He has had to dig to secure sufficient supplies for his canteen. The warm weather of the last few days has caused a boom in the soft drink business and the demand is only limited by the supply.

The men of the battalion have taken a pride in fitting up the grounds and every tent has a special decorative scheme. Shrubs, secured from the neighboring woods, have been set out and no one would ever suspect the boys had only been here three weeks. In the centre of the parade ground facing the main road a large mound has been constructed and on this has been laid out the emblem of the battalion. The words "New Brunswick" are shown in white stones on a green background. "The St. John Tigers" are known far and wide in the camp, and their grounds have become one of the features at Valcartier. Baseball is the chief sport at present but the battalion is lacking in gloves, bats and balls. Any citizen could do a good turn by donating goods of this nature to the 140th.

## FRED MCGOVERN LED CITY IN HIGH SCHOOL ENTRANCE

St. Peter's Boy Made Fine  
Showing — Boys Captured  
Honors this Year.

The returns of the High School entrance examinations, issued on Saturday, show that Fred McGovern, of St. Peter's Boys' School, is the winner of the gold medal awarded by R. B. Emerson to the pupil making the highest marks. His total was 864. Florence Henry, of the Victoria street school, was second, with 859, and Margaret Cronin of St. Joseph's school third with 856. Willie Beattie, with 812, won the gold medal awarded by G. S. Hayes to the pupil making the highest number of marks in West St. John.

Of 344 pupils, 141 succeeded in making the first division, 122 the second and forty-eight the third. Twenty-nine scholars failed and four did not write the examinations.

This year the boys carried off the chief honors.

#### Garden Party.

The St. Ursula Ladies' Society of Silver Falls held an enjoyable and successful garden party on Saturday at the grounds of J. W. V. Lawlor, Brookville. Mrs. Lawlor is president of the society. The proceeds of the function are for the funds of the society and for patriotic purposes.

Miss Maud Joselyn, of East St. John, is visiting her uncle, J. A. Gillen, at Onanetto.

## FIGHTING THE WHITE PLAGUE

Canadian Association for Prevention of Tuberculosis  
Will Meet in Ottawa in  
September Next.

Under the distinguished patronage of Field Marshal, His Royal Highness the Governor General, the fifth annual meeting of the Canadian Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis, of which Senator Daniel is president, will be held in the parliament buildings, Quebec city, on Tuesday and Wednesday, 12th and 13th of September. The programme for the two days follows:

Tuesday, September 12th—Two p.m.

Reports from delegates.

Report of executive council: Geo. D. Porter, M. B., secretary.

Nomination of committees.

"Why Notification of Tuberculosis is Necessary." P. H. Bryce, M. A., M. D., chief medical officer, Department of the Interior.

"Reasons Why Open Cases Should Be Isolated." J. H. Holbrook, M. D., Mountain Sanatorium, Hamilton, Ont.

Eight p.m.

Address of welcome, Sir Evariste LeBlanc, Lieut. Governor of Quebec.

President's address: Hon. J. W. Daniel, M. D., St. John, N. B.

Public address on tuberculosis, J. E. Dubé, M. D., Montreal.

Wednesday September 13th—Ten a.m.

"The Visiting Nurse," anti-tuberculosis work in a small city: F. C. Neal, M. D., Peterborough, Ont.

"Advantages of Early Sanatorium Treatment." David Townsend, M. D., Jordan Memorial Sanatorium, River Glade, N. B.

"Place of Dispensary Work." Armand Rousseau, M. D., Quebec.

Reports of committees.

Election of officers.

Two p.m.

Public health convention opens.

The fifth annual convention of the Canadian Public Health Association will meet immediately after this.

CITY CORNET BAND WILL  
HOLD CONCERT TONIGHT

The public band concerts on the King Square will commence tonight when the City Cornet Band, under the direction of Bandmaster Frank Waddington, will render the following programme:

March, "Honest Toll," Hume.  
Overture, "Odeon," Claus.  
Novelty, "Humoresque," Dvorak.  
Operatic selection, "Chimes of Normandy," Planquette.

Selection, "Southern Star," Boyer.

March, "Dark Lochmar," Hood.

Grand selection of National Airs of the Allied Forces, "Upholding Freedom's Flag," Hume.

Waltz, "Wedding of the Winds," Hall.

Selection, "The Emerald Isle," March, "The Scout Master," Farnham.

God Save the King.

If the weather is unfavorable this evening the concert will take place tomorrow evening. The Temple Band will render a concert on Thursday evening.

#### BORN.

HARTIN—At 13 St. Patrick street, on July 14th, to the wife of Charles F. Hartin, a son—10 1/2 pounds.

#### MARRIED.

HOLMES-PETERS—On the 12th July, 1916, at St. John's church, Gagetown, N. B., by the Right Rev. the Lord Bishop of Fredericton, assisted by the Rev. W. B. Armstrong, uncle of the bride, and Rev. T. F. Marshall, rector of the parish, Nora Sherman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sherman Peters, of Gagetown, to the Rev. John Herbert Arkwright Holmes, second son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hedley Holmes, of Picton, Ont., late of Liverpool, England.

#### DIED.

WARK—In this city, on the 15th inst., Catherine, widow of Alexander Wark, in the 86th year of her age, leaving one daughter to mourn.

Funeral from the residence of her son-in-law, A. G. Blakeloe, 322 Union street, Tuesday afternoon, at 2.30 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances invited to attend.

ESTERBROOK—At 197 Main street, on Saturday, July 15, Elizabeth Esterbrook, widow of Abram J. Esterbrook, in the 95th year of her age. Funeral will be held this (Monday) afternoon from 197 Main street, at three o'clock. Coaches will be taken at the house.

KEARNS—In this city, on 15th inst., Ellen Kearns.

Funeral from the residence of W. J. Lamb, 107 St. James street, today, Monday, at 2.30 o'clock.

ARMSTRONG—In this city, on the 16th inst., infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. M. Armstrong, aged four days.

Funeral from the residence of Mr. Jas. E. Arthur, 50 Mecklenburg street, this morning at eleven o'clock. Interment in Fernhill.

BLANCH—At her residence, 117 Elliott Row, on Saturday, 15th inst., Mrs. Thomas Blanch, leaving husband, one son and four daughters to mourn.

Notice of funeral later.

## LONDON PRESS IS JUBILANT

"Situation of German Army  
is Now Very Critical," is  
Telegraph's View — "Goal  
Almost in Sight," says  
Express."

London, July 15.—The new British advance on the western front provides the theme for exultant comment in the morning papers.

"The situation of the German army is very critical," declares the Telegraph.

The Daily News, under the caption "The Breaking Lines," says: "The comparative ease with which the second line have been forced leads countenance to the belief that they were not so strong as the first lines undoubtedly were. It may be that the worst and heaviest task was achieved with the carrying of the first line, which the Germans are said to have held to be impregnable."

"The important thing is to retain in true perspective the nature and objects of this western offensive. It is not intended to be a knock-out blow and if the German lines do crumble sensationally that will be a success not contemplated in the original design. That design is to wear down the enemy, partly by the mere slaughter and capture of his effectives and partly by forcing him to keep his slender reserves continually in motion to meet incessant attacks delivered in widely distant areas. So far as can be judged this plan of operations is succeeding perfectly."

While the note of editorials is optimistic they generally add the customary warning to the British public not to attach too much importance to this success.

The Express comments:—"It is necessary once more to warn the ever sanguine not to underestimate the enemy's capabilities of resistance. The Germans are brave, stubborn and a highly organized people, bred in traditions of war. Our goal is almost in sight, but the last round of the fight will be the hardest."

High Prices For Beans.  
Prices of beans have been steadily soaring, an increase last week bringing present quotations to from \$5.75 to \$6.00 per bushel for the yellow-eyed variety, and for white from \$5.50 to \$5.75. Before the war the average price asked for beans was about \$2.50 per bushel.

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