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**OBITUARY**

**WELL KNOWN FISHERMAN DEAD.**  
Yesterday at the General Hospital Mr. Jacob Wharford, of Port de Grave, passed away after an illness of some months. Mr. Wharford entered the hospital about three weeks ago to undergo an operation.

Some time previous Mr. Wharford while working at the Belle Isle mines received serious injury through being caught between two cars, and this along with cancer troubles eventually led to his death. Mrs. Morgan, Mrs. Taylor and Mr. Grimes, along with the two nurses attending him were present when he quietly passed away without any evidence of pain. Deceased was a member of the F. P. U. He was a good citizen, independent in conduct and always cheerful in disposition. He leaves a wife, one daughter and a son, who is now in Sydney. The Mail and Advocate tenders its sincerest sympathy to the bereaved relatives.

**DEATH OF SOLDIER HERO.**

When news of the death in action of Lieut. Samuel Ebsary, of the South Side, became known in the City today, grief was profound and universal as "Sam," as he was familiarly known was a prime favourite with all classes. He was for years one of the most prominent members of the Church Lads' Brigade and was one of the best known oarsmen and athletes, with a splendid record behind him. He was the son of Newman and Sarah Ebsary, of the South Side, who have also to mourn the death of another son, who died in Cairo, Egypt, last year, at the age of 17.

Private Joseph Hollihan, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. Ebsary, is also reported missing since July 1st. Truly the grim reaper Death has been busy with this devoted and patriotic family, but their grief for the loved ones gone before must be assuaged by the knowledge that in no higher or holier cause could their brave soldier-lads give up their young lives.

**K. OF C. AT MASS**

The Knights of Columbus to the number of over 200 attended at the R.C. Cathedral yesterday at 11 o'clock when High Mass was sung by Rt. Rev. Monsignor McDermott, V.G., assisted by Revs. Fr. Conway and Dr. Carter, at Deacon and Sub-Deacon respectively. His Grace the Archbishop occupied the throne, the Deacons of Honour being Revs. Frs. Ryan of Burin and O'Flaherty of Trepassy, while Rev. Fr. Fyde of St. Kyran's assisted as High Priest and Dr. Greene master of Ceremonies. Rev. Fr. Sheehan occupied the pulpit and delivered a very eloquent sermon. The singing of the choir was of a very high order.

**MOVEMENTS OF SHIPPING**

Mr. H. W. LeMessurier, C.M.G., had the following to-day:  
The scho. Annie H. Atilla, from Sydney; and Emily E. Selig from Gloucester, arrived at Lamaline.  
The S.S. Elmhouse from Newport, Wales, arrived at Lewisporte to load lumber.  
The Coban arrived at Heart's Content, coal laden, from Sydney.  
The S.S. Alconda left Botwood Saturday for London with 5,100 tons pulp and paper and 150,000 feet lumber.

**RAN THE BLOCKADE**

To-day all over the city people are talking and in no congratulatory manner of the action of Capt. Abraham Kean, of the Prospero, in bringing his ship through the narrows in the defiance of port regulations. On all sides there is conjecture as to what the Government will do in the premises, and people will watch with interest the outcome of the episode. "What's sauce for the goose" &c. should apply in this case surely.

**Russian Reinforcements For Roumania**

BUCHAREST, Oct. 15.—King Ferdinand of Roumania, announced to-day that he would personally take supreme command of the Russo-Roumanian armies. Considerable Russian reinforcements are expected in Roumania.

**THE "PROSPERO"**

We ask what action the Government intend to take respecting the doings of Capt. Ab. Kean in entering port last night. This matter must be immediately attended to and punishment meted out for the outrage. Unless this is done by to-morrow we intend to take up this matter and deal with it as it deserves.

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**DEATH STRUGGLES OVER CRYPTS WHERE LIE BONES OF MONKS**

If Their Ghosts Could Walk They Would See Strange and Terrifying Things.

At the British Front, Oct. 14.—Romance clings to old buildings, and even the remnant of a wall or two in a place like Eaucourt l'Abbaye seems of greater importance than a network of ditches like the Schwaben or Hessian redoubts.

The bones of monks lie below the soil in deep crypts. If their ghosts would walk in the dark nights they would have seen strange and terrifying things in these three days just past, men fighting and killing each other in attack, retreat, and counter-attack.

On Monday two monsters came crawling in the ditches outside the monastery wall. They breathed out smoke and fire. Their sides opened with stabs of flame and killed men in the ditches by rolling on and crushing them and hurling invisible bolts. Modern warfare has brought back the medieval dragon myth.

To the British boys who have given their blood it was not an old fairy tale. It was just one of those grim bits of fighting, damnably dangerous, urgently and fearlessly, belonging to the Battle of the Somme.

Thanks to the Rescuers. Two days ago the British, in an attack on a double line of trenches outside the monastery were checked by barbed wire and machine guns. Two tanks were sent to the rescue. The British infantry passed through the monastery rooms and dug a new ditch. They were cold, wet and hungry. For a time it was impossible to get food to them. The ground behind was a quagmire for miles and the carriers were bogged. The little body north of the abbey must have starved for the help of troops on their right, who, discovering their needs, sent food.

That Monday night they were in force all around, yet it was only an hour or two when there was only a few German soldiers close to the neighborhood of the abbey. When the expected relief did not come they had cursed the war and the weather and decided to go back without further waiting. Only a few snipers and machine gunners stayed. Such things have happened before in the German lines.

This time a body of twenty men, an officer and a non-commissioned officer came and took cover under the bank close to the abbey buildings. Our men crouched toward them with their machine guns and shouted "Hands up."

The men held up their hands, but the officer and non-commissioned officer ran hard backward and made their escape, unless two of the British bullets reached them.

A telephone message sent up the artillery, which flung out a barrage fire which caught more of the relief coming up from Warlencourt.

The Germans who got through the barrage were bold fellows. They attacked the Abbey trenches with a new supply of bombs, which they used freely.

Our men were sadly at a disadvantage as bombs were very scarce and they had to fight with what they carried on their bodies. They could not keep the Germans from bombing into part of the ruins and the southern

**RAILMEN STAND FOR THIS**  
Willie finally persuaded his aunt to play train with him. The chairs were arranged in line, and he issued his orders:

"Now you be the engineer and I'll be the conductor. Lend me your watch, and get into the cab."

Then he hurried down the platform, his timetable in hand. Pull out there, you red-headed, pie face jay!" he shouted.

"Why Willie," his aunt exclaimed in exasperation.

"That's right. Chew the rag. Pull out we're five minutes late already. Willie's parents had to forbid him playing down by the track.

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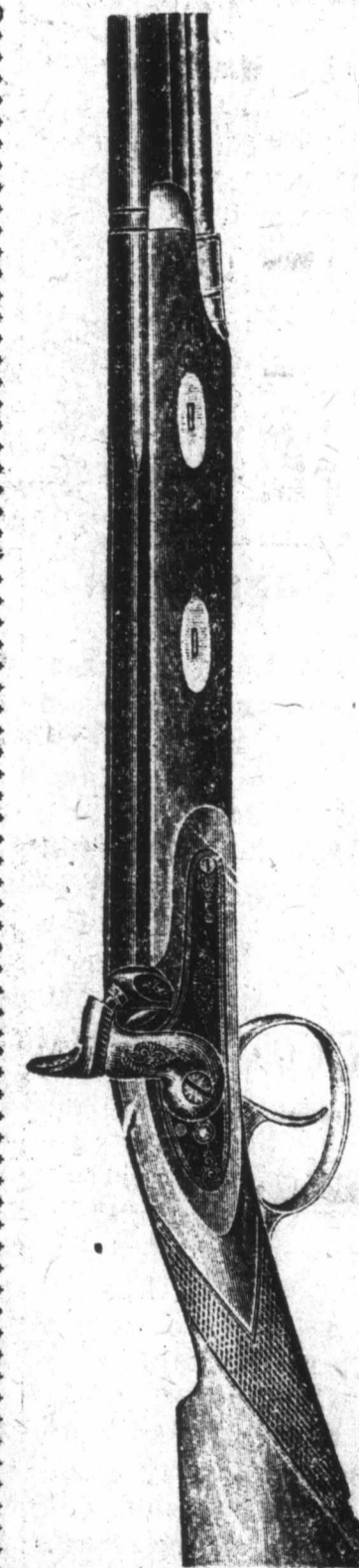
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