

F. M. Hetherington, Lieutenant; **E. L. Howell**, Captain; **G. W. Jamieson**, Captain; **G. H. Ross**, Captain; all Barristers of Manitoba.

John Ure Garrow, Barrister, Toronto, Ont.; Lieutenant, C.M.R., killed by gas poisoning, Sept. 12, 1916, in France.

The kaleidoscopic incidents of the war occasionally bring up matters of legal interest. Mr. Asquith, in the House of Commons in his position as Premier said: "It appears to be true that Captain Fryatt was murdered by the Germans," and he continued: "When the time arrives the Government is determined to bring to justice the criminals whoever they may be and whatever their position. In a case such as this the man who authorized the system under which the crime was committed may well be most guilty of all."

At an immense gathering of workmen at Trafalgar Square called in reference to the same event, resolutions were passed calling upon the Government to bring these murderers to justice. An innate sense of justice pervades the British mind probably more than that of any other nation; and we can well believe that this sentiment was the dominant one in the thoughts of those present rather than a feeling of hatred caused by the cowardly atrocities attributable to the Kaiser and his soldiers. It would be an interesting sight to see the Kaiser and Admiral Von Tirpitz in a British dock on a formal charge of wilful murder. They would get a fair trial and the impartial judgment of twelve honest men and if found guilty an ordinary gallows within prison walls would be a fitting, as a merciful termination of the career of these cold-blooded murderers.

The General Council of the Bar in England has compiled a list of Barristers now serving or who have served with His Majesty's forces in this war, corrected to July 31st, 1916. It contains about twelve hundred names, and of these nearly one hundred have been killed in action or died of wounds. Would it be within the province of the Canadian Bar Association to prepare such a list for the Dominion? We have endeavoured from time to time to give information on this subject; but, if taken up by the Association as part of their work, a more complete and an authoritative list could be secured than in any other way. No statistics are available at present, but we should think a larger percentage of professional men have joined the army from Canada and given their lives for king and country than in England.