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MR. D. A. ARSENEAU HAS PASSED AWAY

Has Been Ill With Cancer For Some Time—Prominent Ex-Warden and Councillor

By the death of Mr. D. A. Arsenau at his home at Richardsville, Sunday night, Restigouche loses one of its prominent young men, and one who will be greatly missed.

Mr. D. A. Arsenau was a native of Restigouche. When quite a young man he removed from Eel River Crossing to Balmoral where he resided until a few years ago, when he bought a property at Richardsville and has since resided there. He married Miss Annie LeBlanc of Balmoral, who with five sons and two daughters survive. The sons are Edmund, studying medicine at Quebec, Nelson, Allan and Robert at home and Ervin with the Canadians in France. The daughters are Bertha, a sister at the Hotel Dieu Hospital here and Clarine at home.

For many years Mr. Arsenau represented Balmoral and later Dalhousie parishes at the Municipal Council board. For a term he acted as Warden of the council. He was also a government lumber scaler.

Last fall the deceased was taken ill and has been failing ever since. In December he was taken to Quebec, but nothing could be done for him.

The funeral was held Tuesday and was very largely attended. Rev. Fr. Wallace officiating. The pall-bearers were George St. Onge, Sandy Arsenau, John LeBlanc, Wm. Comeau, Alme Lacasse, Robt St. Onge.

To Mrs. Arsenau and family go out the sympathy of all in their bereavement.

BAD COLLESSION

NEAR PETIT ROCHER

Freight Special Ran into Rear of Way Freight and Made Bad Spill.

About 1.30 Sunday morning, a bad spill occurred on the main line of the North Shore division, about two miles south of Petit Rocher, where north bound freight extras 445, Conductor Haines, Engineer Steeves, of Moncton, ran into the rear of a north bound way freight in charge of Conductor Sears and Engineer Mitton, also of Moncton, breaking up a van and several cars, damaging a locomotive, and painfully, though not seriously injuring an I. C. R. employee who was riding on the way freight, and blocking the right of way for several hours.

The place where the accident occurred is on a curve two miles south of Petit Rocher and three north of Berdsford.

From the particulars received it is learned that the way freight ran into heavy snow and struck in a drift. While members of the crew were out trying to shovel the engine clear, extra 445 came along and ran into the rear of the train. The 445, which is a Pacific passenger locomotive of the latest design plowed right through the van, and came to a stop up against a store-car, next ahead.

In this store-car was a young man from Memramcook, N. B. Several heavy boxes were dislodged by the shock and fell upon him, breaking his nose and doing other damage. Several other cars were derailed.

The van and store car took fire and burned up.

Locomotive 445 was somewhat damaged, and her engineer was thrown from the cab window, hurting his back although not seriously.

Wreckers were sent out from Moncton and Campbellton, and the line was clear through again at 5.30.

IS MR. CULLIGAN'S MOVE NEXT

His Veracity Questioned and He is Asked to Produce His Proof

The Graphic called on Mr. Arthur T. LeBlanc, M. P. P., and asked him what he had to say concerning the letter of Mr. D. A. Stewart, which appeared in the Tribune of this week and in the Standard and the Gleaner, concerning the alleged canvass of conscription, which Mr. Stewart said were used by the Opposition canvassers during the course of the last electoral campaign.

Mr. LeBlanc stated that he had written a letter to Mr. Culligan on the 5th of March, concerning the statement made by the latter gentleman on Declaration day at Dalhousie, that a certain young man from Durham had refused to vote for Messrs. Culligan and Stewart because Opposition canvassers had told him that if the Murray government was sustained we would have conscription. The letter was sent to Mr. Culligan at Jacques River, being the address given by him in his nomination paper and to this day no answer to that letter has been given by Mr. Culligan to him, LeBlanc.

Whenever Mr. Culligan furnishes the name of the young man in question and the proof of what he advanced Mr. LeBlanc stated that the matter would receive due consideration.

Following is the letter which was sent to Mr. Culligan and to which Mr. Culligan has not so far answered:

Campbellton, N. B.,
March 5th, 1917.
Honorable Arthur P. Culligan,
Jacques River, N. B.

Dear Sir:

In your speech at Dalhousie, on Declaration Day among other things you said: "I met a young man from the Parish of Durham who had always voted for us in the past and when I asked him to vote for us this time, he said that he could not, for an opposition canvasser had told him that if he voted for me and Stewart, and the Murray government was sustained, we would have conscription in Canada before three months."

If a young man from Durham made that statement to you, his name should be known. We feel sure that none of our canvassers or workers have used any such canvass during the last election.

Your statement leaves a dark cloud hanging over the young manhood of your own parish. Coming as it does from a man who was honored with a post in the government, and made as Mrs. W. Dobson is spending a few it was on a solemn occasion, before representatives of the whole county, your public utterance cannot help but affect the good names of all the young men of Durham by reason of the suspicion it leaves hovering over them.

For the sake of these young men you owe it to them and to the country to give the name of the young man who, you say, refused to vote for you because he was afraid of conscription.

A man of honor like you cannot permit a whole parish to be humiliated in its young manhood for the sake of shielding a squealer.

When it is proven to us that one of our workers used such a canvass during the last campaign we will lose no time in repudiating him.

Now, Mr. Culligan, unless you give us the name of the young man in question forthwith, your statement cannot escape being challenged and doubted by every intelligent person in this province.

Honor is at stake on both sides. It is your move. We have the honor to be,

Yours very truly,
WM. CURRIE.
ARTHUR T. LeBLANC.

LOCALS TRIUMPH IN RETURN GAME

Second Game Between Khaki Boys and Locals Result in Victory 6-2

Notwithstanding soft ice a clean fast game of hockey was witnessed by local fans last night. The soldiers scored twice before the locals found themselves. Campbellton then scored three in short order, period ending 3-2 in local's favor.

The second period was closely contested although the locals scored three more goals, period ending 6-2. Matthews was hurt in this period but gamely came back. The last period was the most interesting of all with the soldiers pressing the locals hard but failing to score.

Lieut. Ferguson judge of play and Mr. Lockhart of Moncton handled the game very satisfactorily.

The line up was as follows:

Locals	Goal	Khaki
Kelly	R. Defence	Briswell
Thomas	L. Defence	Phillips
McLean	Centre	Boettger
Wallace	R. Wing	Thomas
Matthews	L. Wing	Galbraith
Starrack	Rover	Reid
Henderson		Nelles

The net proceeds of the game go to the Tipperary Club.

LOWER QUEBEC FIRE PROTECTION ASSO.

Above Association to Look Well After the District of Matane, Bonaventure and Gaspé

At a meeting recently held in Upper Quebec on March 5, 6, and 7 it was decided to organize an Association which would well look after the protection of the forests in the district of Matane, Bonaventure and Gaspé. The object of the Association is to appoint patrolmen to guard against fire in this district as well as to care for forest preservation. At this meeting Messrs. R. L. Montgomery of New Richmond, August McLean of Cascapedia, David Champoux of Restigouche, Chas. McClay of Sayabec and H. J. Lyons were appointed a Board of Directors.

These gentlemen met here Tuesday and selected Mr. R. L. Montgomery as president. At this meeting it was decided to appoint a Superintendent whose duty it will be to appoint some 50 patrolmen to properly look after the work of the Association. The limit holders agreed to furnish the necessary money to have each district well patrolled. The Association are particularly anxious to have the farmers and all others co-operate with them in the preservation of our forests.

Not Her Job.—He was a young subaltern. One evening the Sister had just finished making him comfortable for the night, and before going off duty asked:

"Is there anything I can do for you before I leave?"

Dear little "Two Stars" replied: "Well, yes! I should like very much to be kissed good-night."

Sister rustled to the door. "Just wait till I call the orderly," she said. "He does all the rough work here."

Well Combined.—"Do their lives blend well?"

"Very. She has the gray matter, and he has the long green."

Egotism.—Unlucky Motorist (having killed the lady's pet puppy)—"Madam, I will replace the animal."

Indignant Owner—"Sir, you flatter yourself."

WHITE HOUSE TROPHY GOES TO BATHURST

Eight Rinks of Campbellton Curlers Defeated by the Bathurst Rinks

One of the most valued trophies in the treasury of the Campbellton Curling Club has gone to its home town, Bathurst. This is the White House trophy. In 1914 four rinks of Campbellton curlers went to Bathurst to play for the McLennan Cup. They were defeated, but some of the local men decided to "lift" a trophy and put one over on the genial Henry of the White House. The Cup was lifted and safely stored away and carried to Chatham where it was proudly displayed, and at the Miramichi town the North Shore Trophy was added to the bag.

Upon arrival home at Campbellton the "Cup" was duly mounted and placed on display.

The first games were played for this cup in 1915 when Campbellton won out as it did in 1916, but this year the Bathurst men carry it back to their club.

The games on the Campbellton ice resulted as follows:

BATHURST	CAMPBELLTON
Stout	14
Ellis	13
McKay	20
Thibodeau	16

BATHURST ICE

Lamigan	19	E. P. Mowat	19
Miller	19	Reid	11
Duncan	17	Marquis	11
Duncan	13	Jardine	12

Both at Bathurst and Campbellton the winners were entertained and a most enjoyable time was spent.

SOLD TO AN INDIAN

A licensed tavern keeper was taken before His Honor on Tuesday charged with selling liquor to an Indian. He was fined \$5.00 and costs which were promptly paid.

POLICE COURT

Things have been unusually quiet in police circles for sometime. The week three drunks were before His Honor, all fined \$5.00 and costs.

CLAUDE FARRAR WOUNDED

Mr. John Farrar has been notified that his son Claude, who went overseas with the first Contingent has been wounded in the foot and is now in hospital.

EXPECTED HOME

Word has been received from James Fraser, who went overseas with the first Canadian Contingent that he expected to leave for home and his parents are looking for him about the middle of April. He was wounded some months ago.

KILLED IN ACTION

Word has been received by Mr. Mary Keeley, of Athol that her son Pte. Armand J. Keeley had been killed in action on March 3rd. Pte. Keeley who was nineteen years of age enlisted in Campbellton with the 132nd Battalion but was later transferred to the 87th Battalion and had only been in the trenches once.

Annual Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of the Restigouche Log Driving & Boom Co., will be held, as required by law, at their office in the Town of Campbellton, on Tuesday, March 27th inst., at half past two in the afternoon for the transaction of such business as may legally come before the meeting.

M. A. KELLY,
Secretary.
Campbellton, N. B. 2 w.