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Behind the Darkest Cloud

WILL YOU HELP TO SHOW THE
SILVER LINING?

Behind the darkest cloud there is always a silver lining, and it is that cloud that is beginning to shine. From East and West good news is coming, from the battlefields of Flanders to the snowclad steppes of Russia, the communiques are full of hope of a sure and successful victory. The reports from Saxony tend to give one hopes of a speedy success. As recently as November 2nd, 80,000 people paraded the streets of Dresden crying out: "Give us food; we want peace." Before next summer, as later reports will show, it will be peace at any price. Then the birds will peal the song of victory throughout the civilized world. Not only will the soldiers be praised but the women of our Mother Country will deserve the highest recommendation. Are they not doing their share? Let me tell you how. On the railway platforms of our cities the women, God bless them, are doing men's work. Cleaning engines, acting as porters, and collecting tickets. On the street cars they take your fare. In the restaurants they wait on table, and amid the

whirring of belts and clatter-clatter of the lathes they turn out shells and ammunition for you and me to fire. With cheerful faces you will see them go about their work, but deep in their hearts there is a longing for their man's return. The little children are waiting for "Daddy," and with proud little faces you can see them tell each other "he is a soldier." Oh, you men of the Outports, you, everyone, can help these children to realize their heart's desire. Your own countrymen's children, too, by joining the Army, Newfoundland, I know, has done a lot, but can't we do more? Come along, Newfoundlanders, you know what we are fighting for. The freedom and peace of the civilized world. No further repetitions of the barbarous atrocities which the hell-frends have committed in France and Belgium, and a greater and glorious Empire for our children. Now that is worth fighting for. Don't you think so? The crash is coming. Even as the chimney totters under the hands of the chimney fellers, so surely as the ship falls to pieces under the hands of the ship-breakers, so surely the German Empire is falling under the blows of the Allies. Come on, boys, you in the outports, who do not hear the music of the military bands, it is you I am writing to, not only boys but men—each one is wanted. If you do not succeed in passing the doctor your return fare is paid, you will receive a Badge to show you are still a man, and have offered yourself as a Volunteer, not a Conscript. And those who do succeed will have done the manliest action they have done in their lives. Come along, boys, and the silver lining will pierce the darkest cloud in history, for it means the downfall of His Satanic Majesty the Kaiser, and the overthrow of the German Empire. Won't you come?
"HAZEMAN."
(No. 3305 Pte. George Manning,
No. 1 Platoon,
"B" Company,
1st Nfld. Regiment.)

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Obituary.

Ignatius Butler, 1st Nfld. Regiment.
(A. J. O'R.)

Mrs. M. C. Butler, of St. George's, has received official notice of the death of her son Ignatius, in the 1st of July drive, together with letters of condolence from the Colonial Secretary and from Sir Edward Morris.

Solemn High Mass was celebrated in the Cathedral by His Lordship Bishop Power for the repose of the soul of the young soldier. At the conclusion of the impressive service, His Lordship referred in touching terms to the loss sustained by the family, and eulogistically to the young man as a model son and brother, a model youth and a model Christian.

Ignatius Butler is a loss not only to his own family, but to friends and neighbors, to acquaintances, to his fellow-townsmen. At a time when most young men are chiefly interested in seeking out amusement for themselves, Ignatius Butler was occupied with making home pleasant and comfortable, with binding the links of affection more firmly by those little attentions which cement them forever around the heart. His was one of those natures unselfish enough to say: "Would that I ne'er had filled those eyes with love,
For love is only tears."

"He was one of those boys who might be called a 'mother's boy'; one of the kind of boys that make the best men; one of the kind who quietly perform such work as was done by Our Boys on the memorable First of July. An act of DUTY quietly performed; an act of heroism, unexcelled; an act of self-sacrifice, than which, none can be greater.
"Some men command success," says the Poet—
"but we'll do better, we'll deserve it."

Never was success better deserved than on that day—that day that brought heartbreak to so many in Newfoundland—that day that also brought the glorious knowledge that though Our Boys had died, they had died bravest of the brave. They acted with noble heroism in the face of an impossible situation. They went down to death with the glorious traditions of the races from which they sprang, unstartled. On this day and at this fatal spot Ignatius Butler died, falling amid that proud fellowship, his companions, his friends of the 1st Nfld. Regiment. And knowing, as I do, his goodness and sterling worth, his attention to his religious duties, his constant care, love and respect for his widowed mother, I feel that he went to his rest on that field in France.
"As one who, folding the drapery of his couch around him, lies down to pleasant dreams."
May he rest in peace.

Another One of Our Bravest

Killed in action Somewhere in France another brave boy from Topsail who gave up his life for his King and country in the person of Private Henry Charles Dawe, Gallipoli Veteran, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dawe. The deceased worked with the D.S. Co., Wabana, where he was generally a favorite with his fellow employees. He lies buried in a foreign land far from those who are near and dear to him but nevertheless his memory will be forever fresh in their hearts. To the grief-stricken parents brother, and sisters we can only offer the consolation of our sympathy and when time shall wear off the keen edge of their sorrow they will be able to recall the fact that he had laid down his life for his friends and defence of right and justice and his name will be enrolled amongst the hundreds of those who have shed their blood for the cause of Empire and country. He leaves to mourn mother and father and one brother residing at Topsail, C.B. and two sisters in this city.

Patriotic Fund.

Amount acknowledged... \$113,902.45
Received from Rev. Charles Jeffrey, Pouch Cove, per "Daily News" 9.53
M. C. Messervey, Esq., November instalment 2.40
Bell Island Patriotic Association, per F. F. Berstein, Esq., Hon. Secy. 300.00
D. A. McLaine, Esq., 11th instalment 7.00
Royal Bank of Canada—interest to Nov. 30th 803.35

\$113,025.16
JOHN S. MUNN, Hon. Treas.

From Cape Race.

Special to Evening Telegram.
CAPE RACE, To-day.
Wind W., light, with fog and rain; nothing heard passing to-day. Bar. 29.05; Ther. 43.

CITIZENS' COMMITTEE.—The Citizens' Committee will meet in the Board of Trade Rooms to-night to discuss further the new Municipal Bill.



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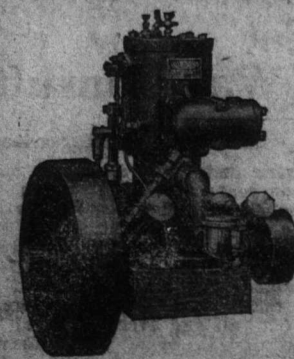
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