

GEORGE ROGERS BOY VICTIM OF SHOOTING, DEAD

George Rogers of Barnesville, who about two weeks ago was shot while working in his father's barn, not far from his home, died in the General Public Hospital at an early hour this morning. His relatives were present at his bedside when he passed away. His death and the circumstances surrounding it are very sad and the family will have the sympathy of their friends in their bereavement. Up until a few days ago when he took a turn for the worse, there were some hopes held for his recovery. His condition was critical all day yesterday and last night and his death did not come as a surprise.

A post mortem was held at the hospital at noon today.

Since the accident young Rogers' condition has been very closely followed and his death will be learned with general regret.

VICTIMS OF U-BOAT OFF ATLANTIC COAST

Teris Island, B. W. I., Nov. 4, via Halifax, Nov. 5.—Reporting the capture of their ship in latitude 37.30, longitude 53.30 by a German submarine on October 18, the captain and seven men of the Norwegian bark Seldinger, New York to Freanville, arrived here last night in a pitiable condition following their twenty-one days exposure in an open boat with little or no food. A second boat containing the remaining seven members of the crew became separated from the captain's boat a few days away from the ship and nothing is known of its fate.

The captain stated that when he and his crew were abandoned to their fate by the U-boat they first tried to reach Halifax, but their boat capsized and with them went the bulk of their provisions. They managed to right the boat after a great deal of effort and then, because of the extremely cold weather decided to make for Bermuda. They were again unable to carry out their project and after twenty-one days of intense suffering were finally able to make this island.

Frederick, Nov. 5.—George E. Marsh, formerly of Fredericton, died this morning at Belle Isle Station, Quebec. He was in his twenty-ninth year. His wife and one son survive. There also survive four brothers, of which one is a bombardier Charles Marsh, now at St. John with the 9th Siege Battery, and three sisters.

Capt. A. B. Blanchard of St. John, of the staff of No. 7 military district, is here today to meet the buildings committee and secretary of Agricultural Society No. 34 with a view to ascertaining the condition of the exhibition buildings in this city and the repairs necessary to make them fit for the accommodation of troops. Mayor Hanson is attending the meeting.

Hon. J. P. Byrne, Hon. P. J. Veniot and Hon. J. F. Tweedie are here to attend the meeting of the provincial government which will begin tonight. The other members will arrive tonight.

The latest report to be received is that cases of influenza in Fredericton since the beginning of the epidemic have numbered 664, in ninety-seven of which pneumonia developed.

Within the last week the number of new cases reported was 104. There have been twenty-one deaths. The diphtheria cases are progressing satisfactorily, one of the five being convalescent.

Notice of Births, Marriages and Deaths, 50c.

BIRTHS

HARDING—To Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harding, 88 Spring street, a daughter, CHEMBELLAIN—On November 4, 1918, to Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Chamberlain, 12 Clarence street, a son, Andrew Wilson.

DEATHS

GRIFFIN—On November 4, 1918, Nellie Griffin, leaving four sisters and two brothers to mourn. Funeral tomorrow, private.

LYNCH—At the Home for incurables on November 3, Mary, widow of Daniel Lynch, leaving four sons and four daughters to mourn. Interment in Lynch's Settlement on Wednesday.

TOLAN—In this city, on November 4, Leo A., second son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Tolan, in his twenty-first year, leaving his parents, three brothers and three sisters. Funeral from No. 12 Windsor Terrace, today, Tuesday, at 3 o'clock. Private.

WINTER—At his residence, 65 St. David street, at 2:15 p.m., on November 4, of pneumonia, in the thirty-third year of his age, Walter S., son of Frederick and Margaret Winter, leaving his wife, little son, his aged parents, six brothers and two sisters to mourn. Funeral, strictly private, Cedar Hill cemetery, this (Tuesday) afternoon.

HOOPER—Suddenly, at Bull's Lake, on November 3, William E. Hooper, of West Beach, leaving his wife, two sons and three daughters to mourn. Interment in Cedar Hill cemetery.

GILLEN—At East St. John on Monday, November 4, William GilLEN, in the eighty-fifth year of his age, leaving four daughters and one son to mourn. Funeral service on Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock from the residence of his son-in-law, P. C. Joseph, Mount Pleasant street, East St. John.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. John Chetley, 201 Millidge avenue, wishes to thank her many friends, especially the employees of T. McAvity & Sons' plant, Rothery avenue, for kindness and sympathy during her recent sad bereavement.

RECALL TO BE FILED TODAY, THEY SAY

Petitions for the recall of Commissioners McLellan and Hilyard are to be filed at city hall this afternoon, according to the chairman of the committee in charge. Each petition contains about 1,000 names. As soon as the lists have been gone over by the city clerk and if his report is favorable, the committee in charge of the recall proceedings will nominate their candidates. Until that time they will not make public the names of their representatives.

LOCAL NEWS

NO MORE SMALLPOX—The smallpox situation remains unchanged with two patients only in the Isolation Hospital.

INSPECTING BUILDINGS—Brigadier-General Macdonnell, in company with Major Victor Heron, inspected the work being done to the military buildings in the exhibition grounds this morning. The work is progressing very favorably.

SUCCESSFUL FILM MAN—Edouard Auger, formerly in the film business in this city, arrived at noon from Montreal. Mr. Auger is one of the prominent figures in the motor picture industry in an international way. His success is a matter of much gratification to St. John acquaintances.

GUY FAWKES' DAY—This is Guy Fawkes' Day—the anniversary of the discovery of a nefarious plot to blow up "King and commons in one foul blow," as the history text books have it. There is no special observance of the occasion.

DIED OLD WEST.—The body of Harrison Spencer, chief engineer of the C. P. R. steamer Prince of Victoria, passed through the city today en route to the late home of deceased in Bay Roberts (Nfld). Mr. Spencer died of broncho-pneumonia while working in British Columbia.

OPENING BRANCH HERE—The firm of Arnoux and Company, whose head Canadian office is at Hamilton, Ont., is to open a branch in this city. It will be in charge of E. E. King, who was formerly in the employ of Oak Hall. The company's full line of meats and packing house products will be handled by the local branch.

LAURENCE V. MCGILL.—Mrs. J. M. Burns, of Kilmouth street, received word today of the death of her brother, Laurence V. McGill, of River (N. H.), which occurred last evening. He was a native of St. John and was in the late Laurence and Mary McGill. He left here about thirty years ago and took up the practice of law in the States. At the time of his death he was a municipal judge in Rochester. Besides his wife he is survived by a daughter, Rev. H. J. McGill, of Sanford, Maine, and two sisters, Mrs. Thomas Lunigan, of Bath (Me.), and Mrs. J. M. Burns, of this city.

WORK OF JEWS IN WAR—Felix M. Warburg Tells of Activities of Various Organizations. Felix M. Warburg, secretary of the New York Board of Managers of the Young Men's Hebrew and Kindred Associations, 31 Union Square West, said the other day, referring to the work of the Jewish Welfare Board.

"While the Jewish Welfare Board is taking care of the actual work in the cantonments here and abroad, the organizations are continuing actively many other phases of war work. They are co-operating extensively and earnestly with the War Camp Community Service and the Jewish Welfare Board in looking after enlisted men in the cities near the camps and in cities at a distance from camp. The associations, for example, in New York, Philadelphia, Seattle, Louisville, Trenton, Chattanooga, and Washington, have all expanded their work into the ideal of service to the enlisted men wherever and however possible.

"Practically all of the 870 associations affiliated with the national committee aided in the sale of Liberty Bonds, in the Red Cross campaigns, and in the War Savings Stamps campaign. Though reports are incomplete, it is quite evident that in each of the Liberty Bond campaigns hundreds of thousands of dollars have been subscribed through the efforts of the members of the Young Men's and Young Women's Hebrew Associations. In the instance of the War Savings Stamps campaign, in one city at least, for a time the entire campaign was given over to the Young Men's Hebrew Association, and this association (in Passaic, N. J.) sold \$20,000 in stamps in a week—a record which is perhaps not equalled or excelled by any institution of its kind for a similar period.

"Some time ago the national office of the Young Men's Hebrew Association received notice of the organization of a young men's Hebrew association of France among the Jewish soldiers of the 29th Division. These young men held religious services on the various Jewish holidays, sometimes holding them in small synagogues in rest villages, sometimes in dugouts at the actual front.

"As a matter of fact, the Young Men's Hebrew Association has been responsible for the development of a viable American Jew, thoroughly imbued with the fundamentals of his religion. Nowhere has there been any evidence at all of the slightest degree of slackness. Superior trends of associations, as well as their memberships, have not only gladly responded to the call for service, but have made many sacrifices to get into actual service when they might have remained at home.

"There is no defeat like the defeat of a foul fighter. A knockout under the rules may be no disgrace, but a knockout when forbidden weapons drop from powerless hands is fatal. For every fighter there is no other day. Honorable fighters will not meet him, and the ring is closed against him. Germany has lost her place in the sun because she has lost the favor of law-abiding nations. The iron ring around which hindered her political growth was merely the right of other nations to their own property, and offered no check to honest German commerce. That iron ring now must be handed over to the United Nations which did not restrain its censure. A statesman of an earlier generation did not know how to indict a whole people. Our generation is about to show that it knows how to put an entire nation out of the robber industry.

LOCAL NEWS

Montreal Star, 'Phone West 369-41. Expectoration cures bronchitis, etc., 80c, at Wasson's, Main street.

MEN'S MACKINAWs—Wool mackinaws, all colors, good patterns, extra warm, every size. Special \$9.98 at King Square Sales Co.

Benzoin lotion (carbulated); keeps hands soft, 25c, at Wasson's.

SPECIAL OVERCOAT, \$20.00—Men's chinilla, or cheviot overcoats, velvet collars, raglan back, stylish and good wearing, \$20, at King Square Sales Co.

Hot water bottles patched—Wasson's, Main street.

UNDERWEAR AND HOSIERY—Warm garments for fall wear at sale going on King Square Sales Co., mitts, gloves, etc., complete line.

Vinol is the best tonic for old and young, \$1.04 at Wasson's.

Dry, heavy slab-wood—O'Brien's, Fairville. 'Phone West 254-11.

Analgesic tablets break up colds and grippe, 25c, at Wasson's.

HOUR OF SAILING—On and after Nov. 7, the steamer D. J. Purdy will leave Indiantown for Fredericton at 7:30 o'clock.

SALE GOES ON—All this week King Square Sales Co. continue big sale. Total income investment in Victory bonds. Extra values on entire stock of footwear and furnishings.

WANTED TO RENT—Store in central locality, Union, Charlotte or King street preferred. May buy established business. Box T 102, Times.

Splendid opportunities for young men with technical training. The L. C. S. trains young men for high-grade positions as mechanical draftsmen, designers, toolmakers. Ask or write for information. The International Correspondence Schools, 8 Sydney street, St. John, N. B.

CHILDREN'S WEEK—Owing to the disagreeable weather of the past week we will extend our Children's week until Saturday, November 9, inclusive. Bring the little fellows and have their pictures taken and receive the large 8x10 picture free.—The Reid Studio, corner Charlotte and King streets. 11-8.

THIS WEEK, TOO—The King Square Sales Co. have decided, because of the inclement weather last week, to continue their sale this week, income to be invested in Victory bonds—Books and shoes, underwear, sweaters, warm hosiery, caps, gloves, mitts, all at same reduced prices. Store corner King square and Charlotte street.

PERSONALS—Friends of Frank L. O'Regan will regret to learn that his condition today is unchanged and still quite serious.

Rev. J. Carleton and Rev. H. L. Coughlan, who were sick in the St. John Infirmary, are both rapidly recovering and hope to be about again in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. William Daniels and children, Victoria street, left this morning for a visit to their home in Kingston, Kings county, owing to the serious illness of Mr. Daniels' grandfather.

Clarence D. Campbell of this city returned today from Chicago, where he graduated from the Koester Commercial College.

Mrs. Charles Short of Montreal, who has been visiting relatives and friends in the city and province for several months, returning to the west this evening. Her little son will visit his aunt, Mrs. Gregory, Hurd street, during the winter.

BU-Y-VICTORY BONDS—DIFFERENT WAYS—London, Nov. 6.—A demonstration was held before the Bismarck monument in Berlin on Sunday in favor of continuing the war and a resolution was passed protesting against the acceptance of a humiliating peace, according to the Copenhagen dispatch in the Exchange Telegraph Company quoting the Tagblatt of Berlin.

Amsterdam, Nov. 4.—The Berlin Tagblatt's Munich correspondent says the Bourgeoisie as well as the Social-Democratic newspapers of Bavaria are demanding the abdication of the emperor.

The Munich Neue Nachrichten, a copy of which has been received here.

"Even the decree of the Kaiser enjoining the new state form of government could not restore the people's confidence in him."

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FIRE ALARM TELEGRAPH

- No. 2 Engine House, King square.
No. 3 Engine House, Union street.
Cor. Sewell and Garden streets.
No. 4 Engine House, Union street.
Prince Wm. street, opposite M. R. A. alley.
No. 5 Engine House, Union street.
Cor. Mill and Bond streets.
Water street, opposite Farnham's alley.
Waterloo street, opposite Putnam street.
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(Continued from page 1) Compel Withdrawals by Germans.—Paris, Nov. 5.—French successes have compelled the Germans to make new withdrawals at several points along the front, according to the war office statement. Between the Oise and the Aisne the French have advanced about one mile on a five mile front.

The French first army resumed the attack this morning and is making progress. Between Sissonne and Chateau Porcien, a front of more than fifteen miles, the French have penetrated the Hindenburg line. The French are making a general advance from east of St. Quentin Le Petit to the outskirts of Herpy.

French troops continue successfully to pursue the Germans in the region of Guise, northeast of which they have taken the village of Bergues-Sur-Somme, according to the war office announcement today.

BRITISH CAPTURE TOWN OF LEQUESNOY.—London, Nov. 5.—British troops in their offensive southeast of Valenciennes have captured the fortified town of Lequesnoy, after having completely surrounded it. Field Marshal Haig announced that the entire garrison of more than 1,000 men was taken with the town.

OTHER VILLAGES ALSO ARE TAKEN.—Rapid progress has been made by British divisions east of Lequesnoy, where an advance of between three and four miles has been scored. The villages of Jolimet, Larond Quene, Fresnoy and La Petit Marais have been captured. Further ground has been gained in Mormal Forest. The village of Etré, five miles southeast of Valenciennes, has been taken.

The text of the statement follows: "The walled town of Lequesnoy, being completely surrounded, fell into our hands yesterday afternoon with the entire garrison of over 1,000 men.

"In the sector south and north of Lequesnoy the 37th and 67th divisions in hand fighting yesterday took many prisoners. Overcoming strong resistance, they advanced to a depth of between three and four miles and capturing the villages of Jolimet, Larond Quene, Fresnoy and La Petit Marais.

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FLANDERS ADVANCE COST GERMAN DEAR.—With the Allied Forces in Flanders, Nov. 4.—(From The Associated Press.)—The German sector of the French and American forces now hold Severin, Zuywaerde, St. Denis-Western, Aisne and Tronchiennes. Thence the advance east to the German line, especially in the Elsegem area, has been comparatively easy owing to the enemy's withdrawal to the Scheidt, but the advance cost the Germans dear, especially in the Elsegem area, where the enemy fought strongly for the high positions north of Elsegem, but the British attacked successfully and with the help of French tanks forced the enemy to retire.

The Boche has been throwing gas and high explosives indiscriminately into hamlets and farms, causing the death of many civilians. A most distressing feature of this unqualified warfare was seen yesterday when German machine gunners turned rapid fire against civilians with household belongings seeking refuge behind the Allied lines.

AMERICAN GAINS ARE IMPORTANT.—With the Americans on the Sedan Front, Nov. 4, 10 p.m. (By The Associated Press.)—The importance of the new positions gained by the Americans, notably the heights south of Beaumont, may be gauged by the declaration by the chief of staff hardly an hour before the news came that the Germans had begun to retreat from their positions.

Sunday noon the correspondent had asked as to whether the American long range bombardment of the Mezieres-Louvy railway had been effective.

The officer gave it as his opinion that a further advance from nine to ten miles was necessary before the bombardment could become vitally effective. Nor did he anticipate that it would probably be seriously disturbed by the German communications for days to come, for he pointed out, referring to a large scale map, the infinitely difficult terrain lying to the north, with its succession of ridges, ravines, hills and forests.

The enemy, he said, though driven behind his previously prepared fortified defenses, had abundantly shown the ability to utilize each knoll and clump of trees for excellent machine gun positions, which had to be wiped out individually before an advance was possible.

Within an hour the German retreat had begun, contrary to the conservative officers' most sanguine expectations and during the day that followed more than twelve miles had been gained.

WHERE HUNS WILL MAKE LAST STAND.—With the American Army Northwest of Verdun, Nov. 4.—(Monday, By The Associated Press, 11 p.m.)—German forces are strengthening the Meuse line north of the American front. There are indications that this work was resumed during the last few days and that soldiers are laboring on it day and night. Reports agree that this strengthening operation extends along the line running

from Mezieres to Montmedy, Longuyon and Dieulouard.

In various places in front of the line, where the Germans are expected to make a last stand in France, tank traps are already completed. These traps are 100 yards long, ten yards wide and ten yards deep. They are covered with boards hidden by earth and soil.

BU-Y-VICTORY BONDS—MILKMEAN LIABLE TO FINE OF \$5,000, SAYS MR. FISHER—(Continued from page 1) Commissioner Fisher said he favored an increase, but said that a statement made by the Commissioner of Water and Sewerage that his superintendent was not making as much as he did last year should be looked into and if a mistake was made to have it rectified. He said he would oppose it, if it were put through without more information. He then read an application from Clifford Price, superintendent of the public works department, for an increase. He said he felt that his superintendent should get as much as the superintendent of water and sewerage.