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Lieut. Gordon Tufts Killed

Former St. John Man Who Had Won Military Cross - Other News of Our Soldiers in War

The casualty list issued from Ottawa yesterday contains very few New Bruns-wick names. The city will mourn the loss of one brave soldier in the person of Lieutenant Gordon H. Tufts, of Medicine Lieutenant Gordon H. Tufts, of Medicine Hat, but up to a few years ago a well known and popular young man of St. John. News of his death in France has come to friends in the city. A Newcastle man, himself in khaki, has received word that his second son has been wounded in Flanders when only last April he was called upon to mourn the death of another boy on the battlefields of Europe.

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Word of the death of Lieutenant Tufts reached the city yesterday and came to J. G. Willett, with whom Lieutenant Tufts was associated for many years in a business way in the Willett Fruit Com-

Lieutenant Tufts was about twentyeight years of age, and was born in St.
John. His father, Frank Tufts, was a
well known lumber merchant in South
wharf years ago. Lieutenant Tufts was,
prior to his removal to the west, located
in business with the Willett Fruit Company, of which concern he was experience. in business with the Willett Fruit Company, of which concern he was secretary-treasurer. About four years ago he left St. John and settled in Medicine Hat. During the progress of the war he enlisted and received his commission in an infantry corps, with which he went to France, leaving behind his wife, one small child, his mother and sister. While at the front Lieutenant Tufts distinguished himself and had a brilliant career. Readers of The Telegraph will recall an guished himself and had a brilliant career. Readers of The Telegraph will recall an account of conspicuous bravery on his part some few months ago for which he received the military cross. He was also mentioned in despatches for feats of gallantry. Another brother, Sergeant Raymond Tufts, is also in Flanders, and has also mentioned in the service of also received official recognition for bra-very on the field.

Letters received by comrades in Medi-cine Hat tell of the career that Lieuten-

WHAT AN IRISH-AMERICAN COP WOULD DO

(Air to the tune of "Where do we go from here, boys." When this war is over, laddie boy, just take it straight from me, When this war is over, laddie boy, just take it straight from me, You will see no German submarines a diving through the sea. For the fatherland of Kaiser Bill, the guy we are going to strike Will have a brand new Kaiser, and by gob he'll be a Mike. We'll change their tune Die Watcht on Rhine into an Irish reel And have those Dutchmen dance to it if that's the way we feel. For the cops then in Berlin will be Mikes from County Clare When we put an Irish Kaiser in the palace over there.

Sure in every German parkway you will see a sweet coleen,
While their fields of waving sauerkraut we'll plant with shamrock green.
No liverwurst, no sausage, when the Dutchman drinks his suds;
He will eat corn-beef and cabbage and some damn good Irish spuds.
Their murderous guns and gas bombs we'll make them throw away,
And have them use Shillelahs or bricks of Irish clay.
They will sport no iron crosses, sure 'tis shamrock they will wear

When we put an Irish Kaiser in the palace over there. We'll send Hinderburg and all the Vons onto some foreign shore; Instead of Dutchland Uber Alles, they'll sing the Harp of Tarras Hall, Or Reilly had no friends there, The night of Hogan's ball. On the Palace Green in Berlin then the bands will gayly play Rule Brittania, Yankee Doodle and Sweet St. Patrick's Day; Sure 'tis then we'll take their helmets all,caubeens they'll have to wear. When we put an Irish Kaiser in the palace over there.



PRIVATE LORNE F. THOMAS, PRIVATE T. BYDNE MCNAMARA,

ant Tufts has had and the name he has made for himself at the front. Lieutenant Tufts was one of the most promising young men of the city when he went west. He had numerous friends and was a general favorite.

Lieutenant Tufts' widow was formerly

Miss Elsie Gordon, of Medicine Hat, and his child, mother and a sister are in the west. He has many relatives in this city who will have the sympathy of the community in their sorrow.

St. George, Sept. 5—Wellington Thompson, of Black's Harbor was killed in



Thomas, 241 Brussels street, previously being wounded. He is a son of Mrs. P. eported in The Times as "killed in J. McNamara, St. Stephen, but formerly ction."



PRIVATE JOHN WARD, reported in

action on Aug. 21. Word was received last week. He was the son of James Thompson and was twenty-seven years of age. Three brothers joined the 115th. His brother West is now at the front in the same regiment. The boys went overseas with the 115th and were transferred into the 26th. Welliarten was good into the 26th. Wellington was a good soldier and has "fought the good fight" and died with many of his comrades. Word has been received in the city that Major Charles Leonard, D. S. O., was suffering from the effects of sun stroke, but is reported now to be almost completely recovered. Recent advices received in the city also says that Captain Wood, adjutant of the 26th Battalion, is suffering from transh forward in the least of the complete of the city also says that Captain Wood, adjutant of the 26th Battalion, is suffering from transh forward in the least of the complete of the city and the city that Major Charles Leonard, D. S. O., was suffering from the city and the city that Major Charles Leonard, D. S. O., was suffering from the city and wood, adjutant of the 20th Battahon, is suffering from trench fever and is in hos-pital in France. Late word brings the good news that he is recovering and will soon be on duty again. Many friends in the city of both officers will hear with pleasure that they are reported to be im-proving.

Moncton Solider Killed. Word was received today by David D. Cormier that his son, Pte. Marielin David Cormier, was killed in action on August 23. His brother, Alyre, was badly wounded at Vimy Ridge. Pte. Cormier was formerly employed in the I. C. R. shops and enlisted in Cotoher

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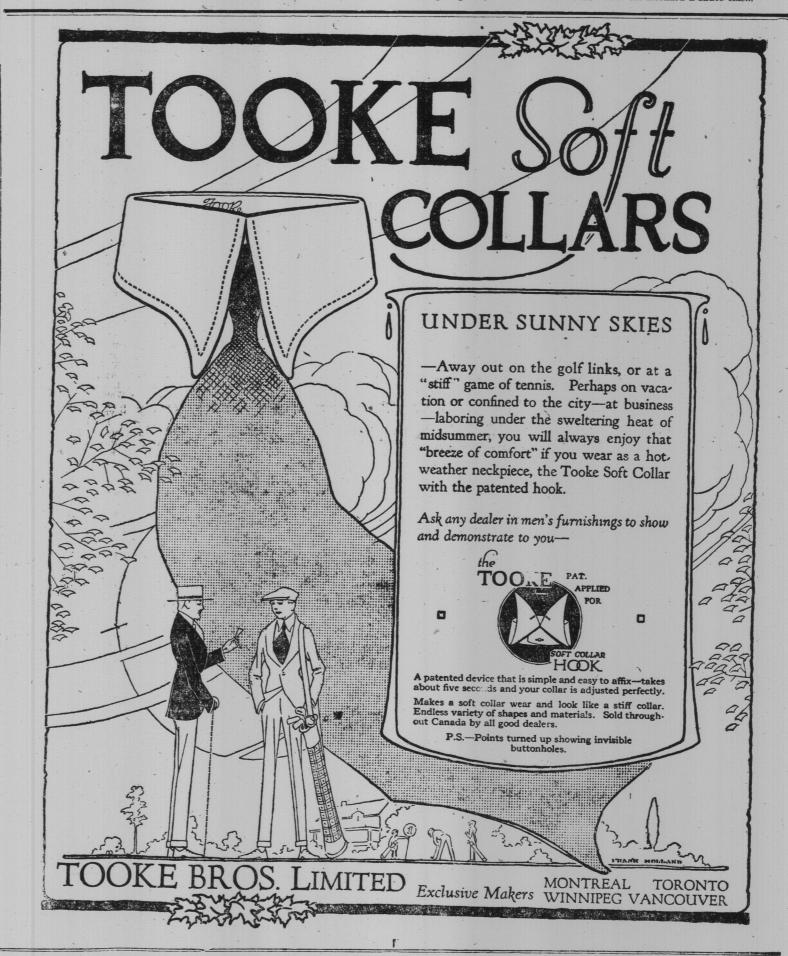
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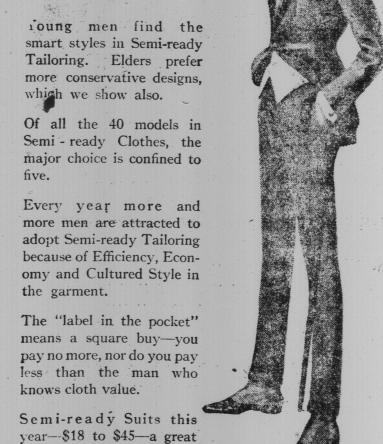
Ward, St. John; A. Gouet, Middle Sack-The casualties in the Canadian forces ville; reported wounded and missing, reported since Saturday, August 25, now not missing, Corporal J. J. Haslam, amount to more than 8,100. In the midnight list the names of seven New Bruns-wick men appear. Killed in action, John S. Minty, St. John.

New York, Sept. 5—Hugh LeBlanc ceive a flat sum of \$7,500. Le Blanc will put on another twenty-round bout between Benny Leonard and John ny Dundee, to be held in New Haven on Thanksgiving Day. Leonard has been lands the Leonard-Dundee clash.

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