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**WAS ATTACKED BY TEN HUNS IN AIR FOR RED CROSS LOCAL DRIVE**  
Canadian Airman, Here Yesterday, Had Thrilling Time ALONE ON SCOUTING TOUR  
Ten of Enemy Rose and Lively Chase Ensued—Bullet Found Lodgment in Throat and That is Why Flight Lieutenant Reason is Home

Flight Lieutenant H. P. Reason, of Moosejaw, was a passenger on the steamer which reached here yesterday. There have been few Canadian aviators who have been so close to death as he and yet survive. When the war was on he was working in the United States and, having a knowledge of aviation work, he went to Moosejaw, where he was able to secure an appointment in the Canadian aviation corps. He crossed to England with the first contingent and from the day he arrived until he left, he said it was nothing but a state of excitement.  
"One bright summer morning last year," he said, "there was not a German machine up, and very few of ours. Our colonel said I had better make a little tour. I did, and the trip I shall never forget."  
"I had no sooner got over the German lines than I saw at least ten machines. I saw in a second that I was their objective, and as there was nothing that I could do much I started for home. That I arrived was only through a miracle. Just after I got under way their machines had risen and it meant the best machine would win. By this time a few bullets were coming my way and when about 400 yards over our line I was hit in the throat. By this time the German machines had turned as our men, seeing what was going on, had begun to rise. I came to earth semi-unconscious. That bullet is the cause of my being where I am today."

Second Lieutenant O. Gibbons, son of Mrs. William J. Baker, of Halifax, arrived home. He went overseas in the aviation corps, and while flying in France fell and as a result of his injuries has been returned home. He is to be employed in the flying school in Toronto.  
Lieutenant E. MacDermot of Montreal was in the party. He went overseas as a sapper with the Canadian Signallers more than two years ago. For conspicuous work in France he was promoted to the rank of lieutenant. He is home as a result of his wounds.  
Lieutenant A. B. Graydon of Toronto arrived home. He went overseas as a member of the Royal Field Artillery early in the spring of last year. At the battle of Vimy he was wounded by shrapnel. As the result of his wounds he has been returned home.

Among the noted officers who returned was Lieut. B. W. Harmon, of Woodstock, and brother of Mrs. F. R. Hayward, Fairville. Lieut. Harmon went overseas with the 32nd Canadian Engineers as an N. C. O., and while "carrying on" as a sapper was awarded the D.C.M. Later while serving with the Canadian Field Engineers he was an M. C. He has also been awarded the military decoration of the Russian government known as the Cross of St. George. Following his brilliant and noted career in the infantry, Lieut. Harmon joined the Royal Flying Corps where, it is reported, he met with a smash-up recently and was in a hospital for some time. He is now home on leave. Lieut. Harmon, besides winning these decorations, was also given his commission on the field.

**LIFE SAVED BUT RIGHT LEG LOST**  
Pte. A. C. Boyle Was Severely Wounded in Right Arm and Both Legs—Chaplain Writes in Praise of Him

Mrs. Edward Boyle of Waasit, Sunbury county has received word that her son, Private Austin C. Boyle, who went over with the 104th Battalion, has been wounded and is now in a hospital in France. Following is a copy of a letter she received from the chaplain:—  
No. C. C. S.,  
B. E. F., France,  
Dec. 27, 1917.

Dear Mrs. Boyle:—  
Your son, Private A. C. Boyle, asked me to write and tell you that he has been admitted to this hospital, but is making good progress. He was severely wounded yesterday in the right arm and both legs, by a shell. We have been able to save his life, though at the cost of his right leg, which it was necessary to amputate.  
He is splendidly brave and sends you his love, with the message that you are not to worry.  
He has done his bit finely and greatly, and you have reason to be proud of such a son. He hopes to write himself later.  
Yours sincerely,  
H. J. GAMBLE,  
United Baptist chaplain.  
Mr. and Mrs. Boyle have two other sons in khaki, now overseas.

**MISSION IS OPENED WITH LARGE ATTENDANCE**  
A mission was begun in the Mission church, Paradise Row, by Rev. Father Mayo, of the Order of the Holy Cross, West Park, N. Y., yesterday. Archdeacon Crowfoot was present and gave the authority of the bishop to the missionary to conduct the mission and also gave the mission his blessing.  
Father Mayo is an exceptionally good speaker. His manner is quiet yet forceful. Yesterday afternoon he held a children's service. He took as his theme "The Nature of God." At the service held in the church auditorium last night Father Mayo spoke again on the same subject. The attendance was very large at both services.

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Jan. 18, '18.

Judging by the crowds of eager shoppers which thronged our store yesterday, this Sale will be the biggest bargain event in the history of our business. We wish to apologize to those of our patrons who were disappointed at waiting so long to be served. We will have more extra salespeople in addition to those already employed, so come expecting to share in this annual event which St. John's thrifty buyers always wait for.  
This Sale will be continued the balance of this week and all of next week, but the early buyer gets the choice of the best assortment.

**OAK HALL - SCOVIL BROS., LIMITED**  
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**TOMORROW IS THE LAST DAY OF OUR January Furniture Sale**  
Your last opportunity to save real money by buying at the rock-bottom prices we have set for this event only. The great reductions we have made have startled many of those who are judges of furniture values; but after tomorrow we will be compelled to return to regular prices, which, even at that, are as low as any concern can afford to offer regularly.  
There are still many pieces which will attract you. Call before it is too late.

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