

John Boys Live; Casualties

Winter Killed—Former Resident

Lad Also Pay Price—Sergt. of Condolence.

action. Private Casey was only nineteen years old on May 20. He was one of the first to respond to the call of this empire and enlisted in September, 1914. He went across with the 53rd Battalion. News of his death came to his family on July 7. He leaves father and mother—Mr. and Mrs. John Casey—and two sisters, Misses Nellie and Margaret.

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MARINE JOURNAL

Thursday, Aug. 3. Str Corunna, 792, Kemp, Sydney, coal. K. P. & W. F. Star (and sailed).

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CANADIAN PORTS

Montreal, Aug 3—Ard, str Carthaginian, Glasgow.

St. Michaels, Aug 3—Ard, str Giuseppe Verdi, New York.

Gibraltar, Aug 3—Ard, str Duca Deffil, New York.

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Halifax, Aug 3—Ard, bark Queen of Scots (Monty), Clyde, to load deals for United Kingdom; schr Dean Brown (Am four-masted), Flyn, New York.

Dalhousie, July 30—Ard, schr Dagur, Dan, 189, Madson, Iceland, Aug 4.

Ship Half (Dan), 1202, Reese, Glasgow; ship Geina (Nor), 1715, Salvesen, Dublin.

Old July 24, bark Ashmore (Nor), 1048, Gerulden, Fleetwood; 24th, ship Stegelberg (Dan), 1715, Lond, Broadway.

BRITISH PORTS

Dover—Passed previously Aug 1, str Haigh Hall, Griffiths, Montreal via Queenstown.

Manchester, Aug 2—Sid, str Skard (Nor), Gundersen, Louisiana (OB).

FOREIGN PORTS

Passed Aug 1, schi Rosalie Bellevue, Bridgetown, for New York; Winance, Whiting for do; Anne Lord, Apple River (NS) for do; Percy B Eatonville (NS) for do; Harriet C Whitehead, Eastern port for do; tug Western, towing 3 barges, Boston for Guntamburg, Boston; str Aug 1, schi George B Bradford, Rockport (Mass); L Plummer, from Ingrahamport (NS), for New York (from below); Ann Lord, from Apple River (NS), for New York; Flora M. Fort, Greville (NS); Monitor, Burgeo (Nfld).

Eastport—Sid Aug 1, schi Moonlight, New York; Maggie Todd, do; Samuel Hart, Fall River; Eugenie, New York; Maude S, Portland.

Portland—Sid Aug 1, schi Hattie, Loring, Thivert (NS); Sade A Klumball, South West Harbor.

Rockland—Sid Aug 1, schi George E Klinc, New York; J S Glover, Boston; W Hilton, Bridgeport; Ann C Stewart, Sullivan.

Vineyard Haven—Ard and old Aug 1, schi Hattie R Dunn, South Amboy for Halifax; W R Perkins, Machilus for Norwalk (Conn).

Ard Aug 1, schi Collin C Baker, St George for Halifax; Abbie S Walker, Elizabethport for St Stephen (NB); Genevieve, New York for Dorchester (NB).

Sid Aug 1, schi Fannie and Fay, from New York for St John; str John Bowler, New York for Augustus; Louis Francis, Stuen for Yarmouth.

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OUR SOLDIERS HOME AND ABROAD

St. John friends of Major J. T. McGowan, who went overseas with the 1st Canadian Division, are pleased to hear that he is now in France in command of a battery of his own, recruited in England.

Something like a record was established at the recruiting quarters of the 24th, Kitchener's Own, at Montreal on Tuesday, when a recruit turned up and when he was passed, stated that he was the 57th member of his family to don khaki, he already having fifty-six blood relations either at the front or in Kitchener's army.

Leith said he was 44 years old, and had a son at the front with a Montreal Highland battalion. He had desired to enlist in the 24th, but at that time his wife was very ill and he could not go. Since then Mrs. Leith had died, and now he was determined to go to the front that had called so many of his kith and kin.

A Toronto paper reports that all of the late Edward Blake's grandsons excepting one, who is physically unfit, are in khaki, and the youngest recently been killed and another taken prisoner.

Sergeant Timothy Leary, who left St. John as a member of the "Fighting 9th," has received his commission and will be lieutenant in the imperial army. This news reached the city recently in a letter by some of his friends.

Sergeant Leary was one of the first to join the ranks of the 9th. Although an American, he saw the righteousness of the Allied cause and no time in enlisting. Since being in the trenches he was wounded in the hand and was, in consequence, for the time incapacitated for trench work. He was then sent to the base and was made commander of his bath house. His duties held an important position. His good work soon bore fruit and his efficiency received due recognition from his commanding officers. His many friends in this city, for he had a lot of them, will read with pleasure his promotion. His advance since going across, from the Canadian army N. C. O.'s to the imperial force as an officer speaks well for his ability and is a tribute to the regiment with which he trained.

At present Sergeant Leary is at the Pigeon Hotel Street, London, where he will be for three months. While in England he will take a special course in qualifying for the commission.

Private Alexander Wilson, who died in the military hospital here, a member of the 4th Pioneer Battalion, was buried Friday morning with full military honors. Private Wilson was a native of Alberta, and on leaving the Pioneer Battalion, was sent to St. Andrews.

The funeral took place from Brennan's undertaking parlors to St. Andrew's church, where services were conducted by the Rev. F. S. Dowling. The firing party consisted of members from the Pioneers, including one sergeant, a corporal and a bugler. The chief mourners were Lieut. March of the Pioneers and ten privates of the same battalion.

Twenty men from the Field Ambulance Corps walked in the procession. They were accompanied by thirty-two members of the No. 9 Siege Battery under Lieut. Cudlip. Among the chief mourners were Lieut. Cosan of the 62nd Home Guards, Quartermaster-Sergeant Scott and Sergeant McDonald of the headquarters staff. Interment was made in the soldiers' and naval plot in the Fernhill cemetery. At the grave the "last post" was sounded.

A London despatch says: The French-Canadians of the 23rd Reserve Battalion have been transferred to the 69th Reserve Battalion, and the British-Canadians of the 69th have been transferred to the 23rd Reserve Battalion. The 69th will be the reinforcing battalion for the French-Canadians at the front.

Lieut. Russell B. R. McLean, 71st York Regiment, a well known Moncton man, has been appointed to No. 2 Construction Battalion, which has its headquarters in Nova Scotia, and left Tuesday morning for Pictou, for a consultation with the officer commanding, Lieut. Colonel D. H. Sutherland, formerly of the 21st Nova Scotia Highlanders. No. 2 has authority to get men all over Canada, and Mr. McLean will be in charge of recruiting the unit in the province of New Brunswick.

Capt. Gambin Has Battery. Word has been received that Capt. George Gambin, who was stationed in Fredericton with the 1st Construction Battalion during the winter of 1915-16, has been given command of a battery of artillery in France. Capt. Gambin was in command of No. 1 section of the Ammunition Column and went to the front with that unit. Recently, however, he was appointed to command a newly formed battery and took twenty members of the Ammunition Column to form the nucleus of the new unit.

Private Arthur Garnett, of No. 7 Co., C.A.S.C. of St. John (N. B.), now stationed at Woodstock, on the eve of his marriage to Miss Edna Godwin, sister of Corporal Godwin of the same corps, was presented with a purse of gold by the members of the C.A.S.C. The presentation was made by Staff Sergeant Harry Henderson. Major John Scott, R.C.B.C., gave the young soldier some advice on the eve of his marriage. The members of the corps wished him success and happiness in his new sphere of life.

Trooper Warren Foley, who passed through on a train of wounded soldiers recently, has arrived home. He was in the trenches eight months, attached to the 9th Canadian Mounted Rifles, and while on duty was passed, and so returned home. Trooper Foley tells some very interesting tales of his thrilling experiences at the front. His numerous friends are delighted to see him looking so well.—Campbellton Tribune.

Ten young ladies have already notified Mrs. G. A. Kubring of their readiness to answer the call which has come to the St. John Ambulance Brigade through the assistance of Brigadier Dr. C. J. Copp, to Mrs. G. A. Kubring, commander of the voluntary aid detachment of this city. The demand is for those wishing to serve as probationers in the military hospitals in England.

Those ready to volunteer are asked to apply to Mrs. G. A. Kubring, 61 Sewell street. Only members of the Voluntary Aid Detachment can be accepted.

Valcartier News. Valcartier Camp, Aug. 1—Today in pay day for the 132nd battalion and after the battalion has been marched to the bank, where the men cash their checks, they will proceed to the trench digging area and devote the rest of the day to instruction in trench digging and trench warfare.

Lieut. Benn is on leave. Captain W. J. Duncan has been granted leave from August 3 to 9, and Lieutenants Douglas and Venness, from August 4 and 7, respectively.

Lieutenant-Colonel Mercereau has returned from leave of absence.

The 140th Battalion is duty battalion this week, and furnishing all the guards and duties for the camp. Those not employed on this work, will spend tomorrow on the rifle ranges.

The returns of the shooting on the ranges up to date show the following men and platoon to have made the best scores: Highest individual aggregate, Pte. McAdam, B Co.; highest platoon aggregate, No. 15 Platoon, D Company; highest aggregate in company, Pte. G. Demerchant, D Co. (Special mention of Pte. Demerchant's score was made in camp orders).

Today is pay day for the battalion, after which they will go to the "Plateau" and carry on with their days work in field training and drill.

Lieutenants J. F. Salmon and H. G. Palmer have reported for duty, after completing a course at Aldershot Camp, N. S.

Lieutenant W. B. Kienner, of Moncton, previously connected with the 18th (Highland) Battalion, C. E. F., has been transferred to the 140th Battalion, and has reported for duty. He first joined the C. E. F. as a private, was promoted and took the N. C. O.'s course at Halifax which he passed very well.

THE FALLEN

Speak soft! The Hallowed Dead lie buried here! They fought with their swords, in the dim arms, the battle's fears; Lovers, young, hating not, brave they fought the fight.

A Nation weeps, but smiles through tears at Sons who knew the right! It is the precious boon of Liberty that men should be Esteemed to know what most is noble and be free.

To ponder, make decision, the path of Honor choose, Spurning the choice of cowards, who give nothing, nothing lose, And nothing gain that Manhood prizes, will Virtue want;

Such trembling lip but poor conceals its beautiful want; Feathered Knights, shirkers, "mothers' pets"— Shame, the coward's Mistress, all that pallid brood begets!

In the Halls of Time in Children's song will Hero's name Resound; and soon forgot both coward's name and shame. Unhonored, unsung, Oblivion's shirker's tier— Speak soft! The Hallowed Dead lie buried here!

Results of The Examinations

Fredericton, Aug. 5—The results of the Normal school entrance examinations at the various stations in the province, held in July, are as follows:

Number of candidates who wrote the examination, 848. Of these 263 wrote for first, 548 for second and 62 for third class.

Of the above 31 passed for first, 322 for second, 218 for third class, while 221 failed.

Below are given the names of candidates for first class who made 70 per cent and upwards. Those marked with an asterisk wrote a paper in French, one-eighth of the marks of which are added to the average as a bonus:

(Arranged in order of merit.) *Sadie Bateman, Bathurst. *Julia Palmer, Dorchester. *George L. Neilson, Central Napan. *Marjorie L. Barker, Lakeville, Carleton county. *Eugene Hechey, Campbellton. *Blanche LeClerc, Dalhousie. *Annie L. Murray, Deaktown. *John B. Sargent, Keswick Ridge. *Mary J. Wathen, Harcourt. *Irene M. Gautreau, Canaan Station. *Zita McCluskey, Grand Falls.

Second class candidates who made 65 per cent or upwards on second class papers. (Arranged in order of merit.) *Ella G. Esmond, Bathurst. *Clarence Gallant, Buctouche. *Margaret Saunders, Dupuis Corner. *Frederic A. Richard, St. John. *Alma Boudreau, Buctouche. *Christina J. Cameron, Black River Bridge.

Winnifred S. White, Harry Bay. Ada A. Graham, Millville. *Gracelle Bedard, St. Edmundston. *Mildred A. Hunter, Douglas Harbor. *Florence Legers, Buctouche. *Albertine Legers, Richibucto. *Myrtle G. Groom, St. George. *George T. F. Wood, Carter's Point. *Douglas T. Getchell, Oak Bay. *Alice M. Branscombe, Anagnos.

High School Entrances. The following are the winners of the High School entrance medals donated by the lieutenant-governor for 1916, as determined by the examiners for the province:

Albert county—Yvra Helena Milton, Hillsboro. Carleton county—Albert Sutherland, Woodstock. Charlotte county—Frances Robertson, St. Stephen. Gloucester county—Albert Buraglia, Burnt. Kent county—Marguerite Michaud, Buctouche. Kings county—Beatrice Keith, Havelock. Northumberland county—Iva MacRae, Blackville. Queens county—Elsbeth Godose King, Chipman. Restigouche county—Muriel Stevens, Campbellton. St. John county—Margaret Cronin, St. John. Victoria and Madawaska counties—Anne M. Roseau, Edmundston. Westmorland county—Evelyn Humble, Moncton. York county—Darrell Phillips, Fredericton.

The three highest in the above list in order of merit are: Muriel Stevens, Campbellton. Frances Robertson, St. Stephen. Margaret Cronin, St. John.

DUKE OF CONNAUGHT TO LAY CORNER STONE

Ottawa, Aug. 4—The corner stone of the new parliament building will be laid by His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught on Sept. 1 next. The date was fixed today by the parliamentary reconstruction committee owing to the fact that it was on Sept. 1, 1869, that the cornerstone of the building was laid by the late King Edward. The committee met for two days and adjourned this afternoon. Those present were Hon. Robert Rogers, Hon. Dr. Pugsley, Hon. Dr. Reid, Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Hon. F. E. Blondin and Hon. Senator Watson.

FOUR GENERATIONS. Four generations in one family and all well is the record of a New Brunswick family, some of whose members are now living in Somerville (Mass.). A group picture shows Mrs. Rebecca Robinson of Woodstock (N. B.); her son, Wilnot, of Woodstock (N. B.); Mrs. Idella Fitzsimmons, of McAdam, and her daughter, Miss Helen Fitzsimmons. Mrs. Robinson has reached the ripe age of seventy-five, while the youngest member of the family is but three years old. Mrs. Robinson was born and raised near Hartland (N. B.), and has spent the greater part of her life in New Brunswick. She is the mother of eleven children, of whom seven are living, and she is yet hale and hearty.

To Raise \$27,000. Charlottetown, Aug. 4—At the special session of the legislature today Premier Matheson introduced a resolution calling for a bill to provide for additional taxation amounting to \$27,000. All the present taxes except the road tax are to be increased a third. \$20,000 will go for war purposes and the balance for the maintenance of the Dalton Sanitarium for this year.

Landlord—"The lease you hold on this property has expired." Tenant—"Judging from the odor around here, I surmised something had expired."

London, Aug. 6—Lord Wimborne has been reported lord lieutenant of Ireland for this year.

C. M. R. MEN IN GERMANY

W. J. Ambrose, local manager for the Bank of Montreal, is in receipt of a cablegram from G. C. Cassels, manager of the Bank of Montreal at London, England, which will get at rest anxiety concerning several well known local and provincial soldiers. In particular will those who were relieved concerning E. Clayton about whose fate there has been considerable doubt. The cablegram reads as follows:

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DON'T paint your property this season, but use Velux Cresote Shingle Stains. By so doing, you can keep out all the beauty of the wood. And think of the preservative value. Velux Shingle Stains contain Cresote, which means wind and weather. It is believed that a great many more will be heard from.

Battle With Submarine

New York, Aug. 6—The Italian steamship Re D'Italia, with three American passengers from Genoa, Italy, was chased for seven hours by three submarines while in the Mediterranean, and was saved from capture or destruction by the use of defense guns, mounted after according to the report of her master, Captain Anselmo Pinetti, on the arrival of the ship here today. The captain said he believed one of the submarines was hit by one of the shots fired, although his only evidence was the appearance of the column of water which rose in the air where the shell fell.



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