# Hon. John Anderson Tells of Our Boys.

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Tells How the Late Capt. Donnell and His Party Buried the Dea After the Big Drive of July 1s -Gives in Part the Story a: Told Him by Private Moakler

(To the Editor)

Dear Sir,-I have so much to tell the people of the country about their soldier boys. I hardly know where to begin. Did you know Jim Donnelly and Gus O'Brien? Do you remember them as boys? Were you boys to gether? Were you at school with them? Did you hear yesterday morning the great organ played by Mr. He dies as few men get the chance Hutton peal forth to the vast audience in the Cathedral the Dead March? Did you notice the wet eyes of strong read Father Nangle's description a few days ago-that he had visited the graves of a few of our heroic lads. He died unnoticed in the muddy Did you know that Jim Donnelly buried them there? Let the people of Nay,-God was with him, and he did this country bow in adoration to Jim Filled him with holy fires that nought (Captain) Donnelly, one of the bravest Country.

Just see that we get full value Of that for which we have paid. The price have been a heavy one, But the goods are there—and we've

We've aid in our toil and our wound-We've paid in the blood we've shed; We've paid in our bitter hardships; We've paid with our many dead.

It's not payment in kind we ask for, Two wrongs don't make much of a

All we ask is-that, what we have paid for, You secure for us, all right and

The Peace of the World's, what were

We've all had enough of King Cain. And the Kaiser and all his bully-men. With their World-Power big on the will close for the winter.

No! we fought with a definite object. And its this-and we want it made That its God, and not any devil, That's to rule in the world again.

Listen-Late in August while in London I met 782, J. J. Moakler, St. John's. I afterwards met him in Edinburgh. Here is part of his wonderover:- "The Officer commanding dedead. Capt. James Donnelly took place this afternoon with extra piccame from Capt. Donnelly. This party consisted of J. J. Moakler, P. Mc-Donald, E. Pike, Kenny, Lyons and Lee. It was a fearful night. The first body we brought in was Lieut. Wilfred Ayre. My section," said Moakler, "brought in seventeen bodies, but we could not recognize them, and the discs were gone. All t were buried with full military honours and carefully laid to rest by brave Jim Don-

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The story of Private Moakler was a ong and sad one. Moakler, as we all new him, when in Shea's employ-

know! I know!-The ceaseless ache, the emptiness, the The pang of loss,-

The strength that sink beneath sore a cross. Heedless and careless, still the world wags on And leaves me broken.

Yet-think of this!-Yes, rather think on this!--

my son! my son!

Fighting to save a world's morality.

men? Could they help it? Did you Fighting for God, and Right, and Lib-And such a death is Immortality

men that ever fought for King and And when he saw his work below was

I need the for a greater work than this. Thy faith, thy zeal, thy fine activities Are worthy of My larger liberties;"-Then drew him with the hand of wel-

coming grace, And, side by side, they climbed the heavenly ways.

Yours truly,

JOHN ANDERSON. St. John's, Oct. 28, 1916. .

#### THE SAGONA SAILS

The S.S. Sagona, Capt. Parsons. sailed to-day on her last trip to Labrador. The ship on the return will bring up the fishermen who have remained on the coast as well as the wireless men whose station

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THE NICKEL.

The Nickel was crowded again last evening and the programme which was an elaborate one, was highly appreciated by all. The show will be ful experience when the advance was repeated this evening and no doubt will attract large audiences. The regtailed a burying party to get in our ular bumper matinee for children takes charge and supervised, our orders tures just suited for little ones. All should go early and enjoy the whole

## THE CRESCENT

Go to the Crescent Picture Palace o-day and have a good laugh. Rose Melville as "Siss Hopkins" is very funny in "The Frickle Fiddlers Finish" Finish." One of the finest Knickerbocker star features is "Haunted and Hounded", produced in three reels featuring Madeline Tardee. "Jeal-Gus O'Brien I did not know so well, ousy's Focls" is a gripping Biograph a friend, a brother of a life, a prince Western drama with Augustus Anderamong men, so said a bosom friend son and Charles Perley. Professor who knew him from his boyhood days; McCarthy has arranged a splendid prothey were loving boys together. 1 gramme of music for this big show. hope my son Hugh will be able to get On Monday a Diamond special three the charming character of his life. reel feature: "The Wives of the

## They Died at **Duty's Post**

Nova Have Made the Sacrifice For King and Country-Eight Are St. John's Boys and Fifteen From the Outports

The appended list of 23 killed and ias turned out a splendid fellow and a died of wounds in the great struggle now going on in France sadly demonstrates to us the heavy price we are paying in the cause of Empire and the defence of home and loved ones. The deaths of these 23 young heroes on the stricken fields of France. many a home, must keep our young manhood up to the grim determination, not alone to put forth efforts to avenge their noble fellow-country men fallen in the fight, but to make a careful analysis of the situation attainment of one of the aims of the bers as will prove to the ruthless foe, that even as insignificant numerically 40 years of age who have enrolled cided increase and the great interest as we must necessarily be from a military standpoint, we intend to stand or fall by the old Mother across the water, standing side by side with our gallant brothers in arms of the other Dominions in this noble resolve. To he loved ones and the fathers and mothers of our fallen heroes we can out offer our heartfelt sympathy, and to their honoured dead pay the tribute of a silent prayer for the well being of their heroic souls.

## OFFICIAL CASUALTY LIST **FIRST NEWFOUNDLAND** REGIMENT

OFFICIAL LIST OF KILLED IN ACTION.

October 11th. 930 L. Corp. Gordon Bastow, 203 658 Private Leonard Evans, 11/2 Par-

ade St. 716 Private Ira Joseph Gosse, 41 Alexander St. 001 Private William A. Phelan, Mer-

rymeeting Road. October 12th. 230 Private Patrick M. Cleary, 36

Casey St. 2041 Private Thomas Ronan, St. John's

1978 Corporal Herbert G. Luscombe, 9

2003 Private John Field, 76 LeMarchant Road. October 11th.

1282 Private Robert Butler, Bay Rob-2044 Private Louis Brown, Salvage

October 12th. 1682 Corporal Hubert V. Gullage, Cat

Point, Random, T.B.

Arm, Twillingate.

Harbour, T.B.

River, Codroy.

John, F.B.

1647 Private Martin Williams, Spring- past six. dale, Hall's Bay.

2054 L. Corp Duncan Nichols, Deer 943 Private Samuel J. Moores, Fresh-

1336 Private Joseph Ezekiel, Harbo.

893 Private Chesley J. Gough, Ellis-

2156 Private Oswald Raymond Goodyear, Grand Falls.

> DIED OF WOUNDS. October 13th.

581 Private William Morris, Robinson's Head, St. George's.

October 28th.

46 Water St. East. Killed in at 9.30 o'clock. action, October 11th.

849 Private William R. Hookey, Bell Island. 12th General Hospital Rouen, October 19th. Gunshot wound chin and right arm. 1846 Private Uriah Baldwin, Pouch

Cove. 2nd General Hospital

Rouen, October 20th, Gunshot wound face. 971 Private Aloysius Keefe, South

East Placentia. 2nd General Hospital, Rouen, October 20th.

2306 Private William Adams. Arnold's Cove, P.B. 11th General Hospital, Rouen, October 19th. Gunshot wound left leg.

2117 Private Daniel V. Baird Dunville, P. B. 6th General Hospital, Rouen, October 18th. Gunshot wound left knee.

1070 Private Robert Bellmore, North Sydney. At Wandsworth. Gunshot wound right eye and right 1561 Private Stewart R. Sheppard,

27 Hutchings St. At Wandsworth. Impetigo. 1262 Private Stephen Wiseman, Fortune Harbor, N.D.B. Off danger-

## The Result of Recruiting

Committee by Mr. Lloyd Showing How Each District Has so Far Answered the Call to Arms for Both Naval and Land Forces

We append herewith a copy of a of Volunteers accepted for the Nfld. was held at the Seamen's Institute Regiment and Naval Reserve, and The meeting opened with the devonight at the weekly meeting of the which the President, Mrs. Benedict. Recruiting Committee. The compila- conducted the special business which tion was made by Dr. Lloyd and gives was the receiving of reports for the the number of Volunteers accepted in past year and the election of officers our Regiment up to October 18th and for the ensuing year. The report of for the Naval Reserve up to Septem- the Secretary showed the year ber 16th. On the basis of the census to have been most successful in the returns of 1911 Dr. Lloyd has given social work accomplished and in the showing the number of men in either Union i.e. country wide prohibition. branch of the service between 20 and The membership had showed a dethemselves in the Empire's defence, taken was a manifestation of the degiving the totals from each District of termination of the Union to spread its the country and the rate per 1000

VOLUNTEERS ACCEPTED.

District.	Regt. to Oct.	R.V.R. to Sep	Total	tween 20 & 46
St. John's	1290	259	1549	241
Trinity	240	255	495	158
Harbour Grace	100	112	212	132
Port de Grave .	44	77	121	129
St. George's	123	91	214	129
Bonavista	188	179	358	100
Twillingate	295	70	365	104
Placentia & St.				
Mary's	111	112	223	95
Harbour Main .	69	57	126	97
St. Barbe	51	90	141	87
Fogo	66	47	113	82
Carbonear	22	26	48	66
Burin	75	18	93	58
Burgeo & La				
Poile	57	12	69	58
Ferryland	30	14	44	56
Fortune	64	18	82	54
			m (3	00

## **Noted Preacher** In The City

By to-day's express Revd. James H. against the liquor traffic. White, D.D., who had been attending the General Board of Mission Annual Meeting at Toronto, came on to New foundland with Revd. Dr. Fenwick. one of the finest speakers on "Chris- the prohibition forces had done much 2015 Private Joshu George, Foster's Church. It will no doubt give much bition. pleasure and profit to those who hear 322 Private Hardy F. Snow, Durrell's him, for we are informed he will visit many of cur outports to see our 1906 Private Ernest J. Rendell, New people and their customs, and preach faithful, loyal, active and devoted titled to Home Rule in preference to 1331 L. Corp. Joseph Leudy. Little month, before returning to Vancouver. We understand Dr. White preaches at | well-deserved rest. 1720 Private Henry Tibbo, Grand Cochrane Street to-morrow at eleven, and at Wesley in the evening at half dent, spoke words of encouragement

> ous list, ((previously reported Amputation right arm, Wands-

> > JOHN R. BENNETT, Colonial Secretary

## C.C.C. Church Parade

The Battalion and Band will parade at the Armoury on SUN-856 Private Thomas White McGrath, DAY MCRNING, October 29th

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# W.C.T.U. Had

Twenty Three More Sons of Terra | Statement is Presented Recruiting | Reports For Year Passed Show Big Increase in Work Done and Membership — Society Elects New President Who Addresses Meeting on Aims of the Society

> On Thursday afternoon the regular comparative statement of the number fortnightly meeting of the W.C.T.U. which statement was presented last tional exercises led by Mrs. Vey, after principles everywhere The financial report read by Mrs. Milley showed a good balance on hand after meeting all expenses incident to the prohibition campaign and otherwise. After the adoption of the reports the election and appointment of officers took place with the following result:-

Mrs. Vey, president; elected. Mrs. Penman, 1st. vice president Mrs. Fraser, 2nd vice president;

elected Mrs. J. Moore, 3rd. vice president; elected.

Mrs. A. Watson, recording secre-

tary; re-elected. Mrs. G. Soper, treasurer; elected. Mrs. T. Martin, Evangelestic Supt.

Committees appointed were:-

Mrs. Green, Mrs. Whiteway and Mrs. Hospital Committee-Mrs. T. Martin Mrs. Russell, Mrs. J. Clouston and

Mrs. D. Milley. Prison Committee-Mrs. Pippy, Mrs. Penman, Mrs. Soper, Mrs. H. Young

Bay de Verde .. 41 11 52 36 and Mrs. Grimes. The attendance of members was good and the interest taken was an is an immediate change in the governevidence of the determination of all to ing of that unhappy country we will spread the principles of the Union and at the same time the exercising of

that eternal vigilance necessary The resignation of Mrs. Benedict as president was regretted by all. She had filled the office continuously for several years back with credit to the Dr. White has had many years of Union and herself. Her activity and heavy work, travelling and preaching her execution ability displayed last among the settlers and Indians on year in connection with the work of the Exemption tribunals," it will rethe Pacific coast of Canada, and is the Union in its able assistance to

Mrs. Pippy was also obliged to resign her office. For twenty years she and lecture as he moves around next worker is not easy to find. The resig- the Boers who took up arms against nation was due to a much-needed and Britain.

Mrs. Vey, the newly-elected presiand asked for the co-operation of al the members in spreading still further the principles of the Union and to make greater progress in the attainments of its aims and objects. The meeting closed with the Bene

diction offered by Mrs. Pippy.

## FIREMEN'S UNION MEETING

Last night the Firemen's Union held a largely attended meeting and the question of the strike now on was debated at some length and with great heat. Some of the members claimed that had a change been made in the Executive the wages asked for would have been received and held that neither shipowners nor engineers were opposed to the Union. We hear that President Woods resent. ed some of the remarks made and stormy scene occurred. Eventualy it was decided that a deputation of three of the members wait on the shipowners to discuss matters. Messrs. Whelan, Ashman and Rroud were appointed as a delegation for this purpose.

## IS COMING HOME

Mr. Jas. Buckley of the Customs brokers office had a letter a couple of days ago from his brother Pte. John Buckley in which he states that he will return home soon. He was at Ayr when writing and says he is now physically unfit for further service. He is a veteran of the Gallopi campaign and the Somme front and has been twice in hospital—once at Cairo and once at Rouen. He is afflicted with heart trouble. A number of parcels were sent Pte. Buckley by his brother and other relatives here but of them all he says he only received one package o

# U. Had Good Year Premier Asquith's Betrayal of Ireland

Now see Asquith's Home Rule the Irish Parliament will be establish Bill Was Only a Delusion and ed on College Green. Snare

Sir,-The refusal of Premier Rule so long promised and so long Asquith to grant permission for the fought for, will be granted removal of the bodies of the Irishmen | Were this measure in force to-day shot by orders of General Maxwell Ireland would show her gratitude to last May in connection with the Britain by pouring the blood of her Dublin uprising, from the prison young men upon the fields of France graveyards to consecrated ground, to seal the bond of unity between the will I fear only tend to stiffen the two countries. feeling of dissatisfaction now widespread throughout Ireland over this for years back been successful in dewhole sorry business.

I fail to understand. The shooting of Empire, will not, I think, be blinded Skiffington was a mistake and we are much longer to deny Ireland what is now told by the commission who investigated the blunder that the officer who ordered the execution "for military reasons" was insane. This is poor satisfaction for the widow and friends of Skiffington who was strongly pro-ally in his sentiments and who up to the time of his execution was actively engaged in urging young Isishmen to enlist in the British Army.

The British Government have acted strangely towards Ireland since 1914 had the following important wire and Irishmen at home and through- from Lind & Courto, Opportoout the Empire cannot be blamed if "Important to advise shippers they are forced to view the Home that future shipments of New. Rule Act as drafted by the Asquith foundland codfish require a certi-Ministry, as "a delusion and a snare." John Redmond has continually warned the British Government that as far as Ireland was concerned they were playing with kegs of dynmanite as if the latter were tennis balls. The Poor House Committee-Mrs. Moore, Irish leader's words of warning have been unheeded time and time again,

and now when unity is most desired

throughout the Empire, we are face

to face with the sorry spectacle of Ireland lined up against the British The truth of conditions now existing in Ireland is kept from the outside world; but enough is known to warrant the assertion that unless there witness a condition of affairs that will make the Sinn Fien uprising of May last look like a heated political camp

That Ireland will resent conscription to a man'is certain, and furtherstatement of David Lloyd George that "there are millions of men in Britain who have escaped enlistment through quire a much larger force of British soldiers to preserve order throughout tian Missions" of the Methodist in the winning of the fight for prohi- Ireland than the sixty thousand troops now stationed there.

Whether we here are Home Rulers was Evangelistic Supt. and a more fice it is to say that Ireland is en- Apply to

Ireland has always stood to Britain oct27,3i when the latter needed men to fight her battles and the least that can ba given her in return is the privilege of Fishermen can make \$20 directing her own national affairs extra on every 100 qtls. of fish

through her own house of Parliament. | caught can be had by remittance The withholding of Home Rule from of \$2.50 to LEWIS HOFF, Change Ireland is having a bad impression Islands.—oct18 1m,dm,w,&w,s through the Empire. . Disorders and outbreaks must be the result of this READ THE MAIL & ADVOCATE

Irishman Writes on the Injustice blind policy and it is to be hoped that to Ireland and Says Irishmen before many more months are passed

> The sacrifices made by Ireland during the present war justify her sons in expecting that the promise of Home

feating Home Rule, but the vast ma-Why such permission is not given jority of Britishers throughout the a hundred times over by the blood of a British army has fought.

KERRY MAN St. John's, Oct. 27, 1916.

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