

# CAPT. THOS. E. THURMOTT DEAD IN AUSTRALIA

Former Well Known Resident of  
Carleton Passes Away

News has been received in St. John telling of the death of Captain Thomas E. Thurmott, in the Royal Hospital, Sydney, N.S.W., Australia, on July 20, following an operation for appendicitis and peritonitis. Captain Thurmott, who was forty-seven years of age, was a native of West St. John, and made his home there until about seven years ago, when he took up his residence in Australia, and since then had been in the command of the steamer Heron.

He was a son of the late Captain Edward and Elizabeth Thurmott of West St. John, and for many years sailed from this port, mostly with his father. He is survived by one sister, Miss Emma Thurmott, of West St. John. Miss Thurmott received word on Monday that her brother was ill in the hospital, and immediately called for news of his condition. No reply has been received to the cable, and in the meantime the letter arrived with the sad news of his death. The interment was made in the Congregational cemetery, Grove Hill, Sydney. Captain Thurmott was a member of the Masonic fraternity and Grand Order, and had many friends here who will learn with regret of his sudden death.

**AS IN OTHER DAYS**  
The patriotic efforts of the government railway department to save money in war times has been deeply impressed upon patrons of the Union station lately. It was especially impressive one wet day this week when darkness fell a bit earlier than usual and the only illumination of the lobby came from an oil lamp in each of the ticket windows.

"Why the brilliant illumination? Celebrating a war victory?" asked a passenger with gentle sarcasm.

"Nothing like that," the man at the window replied and added the explanation: "The electric current is not turned on until seven o'clock so we have to use the lamps in the meantime."

**HERE NEXT WEEK**  
Miss Joan Arnold, of the Canadian Field Comforts Association, will be in St. John next week and will address a meeting under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club on Wednesday evening in the schoolroom of St. John's (Stone) church on the work of the association. While in St. John Miss Arnold will be the guest of Mrs. Murray MacLaren.

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38 Dock Street

### DEATHS

**PAULEY**—On the 27th inst., Catherine, widow of Andrew Pauley, leaving three daughters and three sons to mourn.

Funeral on Sunday at 2:30 from 94 St. James street; friends are invited.

**SULLIVAN**—At his residence, 118 Mount Pleasant avenue, on Aug. 28, Henry J. Sullivan, leaving his wife, four sons and two daughters to mourn.

Funeral on Monday morning at 8:45 o'clock from his late residence to Holy Trinity church for requiem high mass at 9.

**THURMOTT**—At Sydney, New South Wales, Australia, on July 20th, Capt. Thomas E. son of the late Capt. Edward and Elizabeth Thurmott, leaving a loving sister to mourn.

**GORMLEY**—In this city on the 26th inst., Mary, only daughter of the late James and Mary Gormley, leaving nephews and three nieces to mourn.

Funeral on Tuesday morning at 8:45 from her late residence, 64 Moore street, to Holy Trinity church for requiem high mass at 9. Friends invited.

**BIRMINGHAM**—On the 27th inst., George Albert, eldest son of Edward and Elizabeth Birmingham, aged 15 years and 8 months, leaving his parents, one sister and one brother to mourn.

Funeral Sunday at 2:30 o'clock from his late residence, 32 Brussels street, Friends invited to attend.

**LEE**—Suddenly, in this city, on the 27th inst., William Herbert Lee, aged three years, son of William and Bertha Lee.

Funeral Sunday at 8:30 o'clock from his father's residence, Rodney street, West Side.

**WARNING**—In this city, at his residence, 215 Brussels street, on Aug. 27, after a lingering illness, Esau Waring, aged sixty years, leaving a widow and one stepson.

Funeral Sunday afternoon from his late residence, 275 Brussels street, at 2:30.

### IN MEMORIAM

**BLACK**—In loving memory of Mildred Bradshaw Black who died on August 28th, 1914, aged 14 years and three months.

Lone are the paths and sad the bowers  
Whence thy sweet smile has gone,  
But oh, a brighter home than ours,  
In Heaven is now thine own.

PARENTS AND GRANDPARENTS

## THE GODDESS, NEW SERIAL: IMPERIAL ON NEXT MONDAY

This is Different From Others, and  
is Surprisingly Lovely Picture  
Serial

The serial story beautiful, entitled "The Goddess," featuring Anita Stewart and Earle Williams, is announced to commence in Imperial Theatre on Monday next, Aug. 30. This fact has been known for a considerable length of time, as it was important to keep it before the public, so widely distributed during the vacation season, hoping that their return to their town homes would be marked by this auspicious event in film entertainment.

The Keith house has presented a wide variety of serial stories, although each one was what is called a "stunt" story—meaning some exciting climax in each chapter. However, "The Goddess" is not one of these fictions of high-power melodrama, but a surprisingly lovely motion picture serial, written by that master of romance, Gouverneur Morris, in collaboration with Charles W. Goddard, another eminent writer and dramatist. The Vitaphone Co. are thus making their bow to the public with a serial story, and have selected the most popular players in filmdom as the hero and heroine.

The story is sweet, pure and high-class, complimentary rather than offending the intelligence of those who watch it. When "The Goddess" was conceived it was decided to vary from the commonplace and produce a real continued photoplay in chapters similar in all respects to the continued stories appearing in magazines and newspapers. Before a foot of film was taken, this scenario was boiled down to a working basis, eliminating all the unnecessary business, but adhering to the various climaxes with which each chapter deals. Great difficulty was experienced, particularly with regard to having a great amount of heart interest in each and every chapter. As a rule, serials are good with some incidents, and very poor in others, and the audience never knows what to expect with the next installment. The true art of story writing, however, is followed with "The Goddess," as each chapter of the same increases in interest and dramatic action.

The Imperial management respectfully advises the public to catch this Vitaphone serial at the outset as the early chapters deal with the baby life of the heroine, as she was being reared in blissful ignorance in the forest wilds of the money powers in bringing her into civilization in later years. The story has attracted a large volume of what might be called high-class patronage—people of literary and artistic tastes—as is expected there will be a considerable demand for reserved seats, as it is announced that box office bookings can be made in advance from week to week during the progress of the serial.

## OPERA HOUSE

"Easy at the Telephone," "Lawyer Mark's Mistake," "The Three O'clock Train," that splendid male quartette and ladies' quintette singing "Tulp," are some of the good features the Empire Musical Company offer the Empire Theatre on Monday evening. Next week will be the farewell week for the company, and there will be an entire change of programme starting Monday night. A big double bill will be offered, including "Easy at the Telephone" and "A Marriage a la Mode."

## KLARK-URBAN STOCK —COMES TO OPERA HOUSE

Commencing Monday, Sept. 6, the Opera House will have a short season of dramatic stock presentations, when the well-known Klark-Urban Stock Company will open for an engagement. The opening play will be that well-known New York success, "Within the Law," that same play which ran continuously at the Eltinge Theatre for two years and broke all records for receipts and attendance. The Klark-Urban Company have the sole and exclusive rights for this play for this section. The company will open with a special holiday matinee on Labor Day.

Other plays to be presented by the company during the engagement are: "The Squaw Man," "At Bay," "Stop Thief," "The Divorce Question," "The Girl in the Red Dress," and "The Girl in the Blue Dress." The company carries full scenic productions for all of its plays.

**WINS MILITARY CROSS**  
In the list of officers who have been awarded the military cross, appears the name of a man well known in St. John, whose many friends here have been delighted with the recognition of his valor. This is Lieutenant Donald John McDonald, of the Strathcona Horse. He is a son of Daniel R. McDonald, formerly president of the Courtenay Construction Company, and often visited St. John with his father while the latter held charge of the Courtenay Bay contract. He received the cross for conspicuous gallantry and ability near Neuve Chapelle, on May 24. Although wounded, he continued to lead his men with great dash in advance to attack the enemy's position and succeeded in entering the enemy's redoubt accompanied by two men.

### TROOP PICTURE FROM VALCARTIER CAMP

D. Smith Reid, proprietor of The Reid Studio of this city, has just returned from Valcartier Camp, where he has been making large panoramic pictures of the troops in training there.

After the recent review of His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, Mr. Reid received the appointment and made the official party of the royal party and headquarters staff. This is the second time Mr. Reid has photographed His Royal Highness this season, by appointment.

At Valcartier Camp there were eight other photographers from different points in Canada, therefore this appointment reflects much credit on this well known St. John photographer.

**FORTY-FIVE BIRTHS**  
During the last fortnight the birth of forty-five infants, twenty-five boys and twenty girls, and eighteen marriages have been reported to Registrar John B. Joy.

## SUNDAY SERVICES

Tabernacle Baptist Church, Haymarket Sq.  
REV. FRIDERIC P. DENNISON, Pastor.

11 a.m.—"Death in the Port."  
7 p.m.—"Going to War, Changes the life, whilst Culture and Sociology only whitewash it"—ALL HEARTILY WELCOMED.

## CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Sunday Evening Rev. Mr. Haughton will preach. Subject:  
"The Divine Compassion for the World"

St. Matthew's Presbyterian Church will unite in this service.  
This will be Mr. Haughton's last sermon before his vacation.

## METHODIST CHURCHES TOMORROW

11 A.M. 7 P.M.  
QUEEN SQUARE. CENTIMARY.

Rev. F. S. Porter. Rev. H. Johnson. Rev. C. L. McIrvine. Rev. C. L. McIrvine. EXMOUTH STREET. Rev. W. G. Lane. Rev. J. Buchanan. PORTLAND. Rev. M. E. Conron. Rev. M. E. Conron. Rev. E. A. Westmoreland. Rev. E. A. Westmoreland. CARMARTHEN STREET. Rev. J. Rowley. Rev. J. Rowley. ZION. Rev. W. J. Buchanan. Rev. W. G. Lane.

St. James church, Broad street, Rev. H. A. Cady, rector; 8 a.m., Holy Communion; 11 a.m., morning prayer; 7 p.m., evening prayer. The Venerable Archdeacon Dewdney of Prince Albert, former rector of St. James, will preach at both services. All welcome.

Waterloo street United Baptist church, Rev. F. H. Wentworth, pastor; services 11 and 7; Bible school, 12:10. Subjects of sermons, morning: "When Thou Art Converted," evening: "Running Away From God." Strangers cordially welcome. All seats free.

Ludlow street Baptist church, West End, pastor, Rev. W. R. Robinson, B.D., services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., conducted by the pastor. Sabbath school at 12:10 p.m., young people's society of C. E. on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, speaker, Rev. F. S. Porter, M.A., subject "Privilege." All cordially welcomed.

Brussels street Baptist church, the stranger's home, Rev. D. J. McPherson, pastor, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., subject: "The Sin of Easy Worship;" at 7 p.m., "The Soul's Highest Statement." Bible school at 12:10 p.m.

Reformed Baptist church, Rev. G. B. Trafton, 11 a.m., 7 p.m.

Victoria street church, service at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The pastor, Rev. B. H. Nobles, will occupy the pulpit at both services.

The congregation of Saint John Presbyterian church, King Street East, will cordially welcome all worshippers who join with them in public worship at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Sabbath school at 12:10 p.m. Rev. J. H. A. Anderson, B.D., minister.

Calvin Presbyterian church, minister, Rev. F. W. Thompson, B.A., services 11 a.m. and 7 p.m., Sunday school, 12:10 p.m. The pastor, Rev. F. W. Thompson, B.A., will occupy the pulpit at both services. The subject of the evening service is "The Soul's Highest Statement." Bible school at 12:10 p.m. Strangers cordially welcomed.

First Presbyterian church, West Side (Lake Bridge and Ferry car to Watson street). Dr. Morrison will conduct morning and evening services.

St. Phillips church, 11 a.m., prayer meeting, 2:30 p.m., Sunday school at 12:10 p.m. The pastor, Rev. J. H. Franklin, D.D., minister.

First church of Christ Scientist—Services at 11 a.m. at 15 German street, subject: "Christ Jesus Wednesday evening service at 8; reading room open daily from 8 to 5, legal holidays excepted.

Seventh Day Adventist services—Open any will open for an engagement. The opening play will be that well-known New York success, "Within the Law," that same play which ran continuously at the Eltinge Theatre for two years and broke all records for receipts and attendance. The Klark-Urban Company have the sole and exclusive rights for this play for this section. The company will open with a special holiday matinee on Labor Day.

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**THE ONLY CURE FOR  
A WEAK STOMACH**  
Indigestion and Similar Troubles Must Be Treated Through the Blood

Indigestion can be treated in many ways, but it can only be cured in one way—through the blood. Purgatives cannot cure indigestion. By main force they move the food still indigested. That weakens the whole system, uses up the natural juices and leaves the stomach and bowels parched and sore. It is actually a case of indigestion—not a cure. Others try pre-digested foods and peptonized drugs. But drugs which digest the food for the stomach really weaken its power and makes the trouble chronic. The digestive organs can never do the work properly until they are strong enough to do it themselves. Nothing can give the stomach that power but the new, rich, red blood so abundantly supplied by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. So the reality for the success of this medicine is plain. Nothing can stimulate the glands and nothing can absorb the nourishment from the food but pure red blood. And Dr. Williams' Pink Pills surpass all other medicines in giving that new, rich blood. Miss B. E. Johnson, Hemford, N. S., says: "For months I was a great sufferer from indigestion; food of any kind was distasteful to me, and after eating I would suffer much. Naturally I grew weak and was but a shadow of my former self. I was taking a doctor's prescription, but it did not help me in the least. Then I read of a case similar to my own, therefore strongly recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills as a cure for indigestion."

You can get these Pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail post paid, at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

**Barbarities of War.**  
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This is ideal weather for baby; there is health in every breath of fresh air. Give him a chance to be healthy and strong.

The fact that we sell a goodly share of the Baby Carriages sold in St. John speaks for itself. It shows that we have the most complete line of the best and strongest makes, and the very best values.

Carts, made of the very best materials, are collapsible or not, as you prefer; are fitted with all modern improvements.

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"GROWING PAINS."

Study of a Little Girl Who is Growing Bigger, But Not as Rapidly as She Imagines.

She has left the "mum-u-ther" age and has rushed suddenly into the "ki-i-da" age. Only a little while ago we used to hear her calling "mum-u-ther" all day long, and now it is always "ki-i-da."

Before breakfast she calls shrilly to them from the back door, "I'll be there in a minute, ki-i-da," she shouts from the bedroom window during the process of combing a very pretty, and provoking head of yellow curls. "Goodby, ki-i-da," she cries again as her father puts her in school, and "Hello, ki-i-da!" it is again when she comes home at noon. She is too small to go to school all day, and she and the "kids" are a joyful omnipresent nuisance all the afternoon.

It is because she has ideas of her own, and is fearless and independent in carrying them out; perhaps it is because she has always known how to rule her own family so easily. For some reason, which is a part of her, she has her way with the "kids." She is an accepted and worthy leader, and indeed they would be ungrateful if they were not loyal to her, for she gives them all her own loyalty.

She is devoted to her "mother's girl" or "father's girl." She does not run to mother for comfort, and gives her father only the most ladylike peck of a kiss when he comes home in the evening. She has no time to be petted or teased by her big brother. Many times a day she tells them all how big she is, and she has been measuring herself in secret with anxiety and disappointment on her serious face. All her expressed thoughts are devoted to her "kids." If she has any of the old baby desires she keeps them to herself. It is a brave secret that she has taken, and a necessary one, but sometimes when she remarks with a peculiar pride that she has "got grown" in her legs awful bad," her mother wonders if she never has them in her hand and questions and answers that are hidden under the sunny curls, and as for mother—well, mothers have to get used to having growing pains in their hearts—Indianapolis News.

## GIANT NEWLYWEDS SHORTEN HONEYMOON

George and Angie Schaeffer of Philadelphia, newlyweds, have cut short their honeymoon and are back home, disappointed. No, not with each other, for both will tell you they are the happiest creatures in the wide, wide world. They are simply disappointed because they could not continue their marital jaunt without being obliged everywhere they went and even at times, followed by newboys and other ultra curious. And here is why: George is six feet seven inches tall, and his bride's horizontal measurement is six feet, two inches.

When the pair were married they mapped out several trips, picked the best of the lot and started. They tried Broadway until they began to feel too hot in the limelight, they tried Niagara Falls, and they were constrained to move on. Then they—but what's the use? They quit trying.

## COLLEGE BOY DIES AT FRONT

(Amherst Guardian.)

In Seckville a bright autumn afternoon eight years ago, a football was kicked over Acadia's goal-line. Herman Dewitt, now Dr. Dewitt, of Regina, one of Acadia's half-backs, grabbed the ball to kick it to touch. "Tiny" Doe swooped down on him and flashed through the air for a flying tackle. The shock of the tackle knocked the ball from Dewitt's arms and Mickey McKay, a red cheeked Freshman from Cape Breton, dropped on the pignis for Mount As's first try of the game. Over on the side-line another Freshman joined with the rest of the Mount A. people in shouts of delight.

On Tuesday a letter from this other Freshman, now Sergeant C. G. McDougall with the Canadian artillery in France, reached The Guardian. Among other things it told of a chance and happy meeting between McDougall and "Mickey" McKay—Gunner McKay—and of a chat over old times, which they enjoyed to the full during a lull in the artillery duties with the Bosches.

On Wednesday came word that McKay had died of meningitis at St. Omer, France.

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