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OFFICE HOURS.—7 A. M. to 6 P. M.

## CAMPBELLTON BOY RECOMMENDED FOR V. C.

Was Killed in Action, But Showed Marked Bravery Under Fire.

Last week we published a report of the killing in action of Pte. Albert Astles. Herewith we are publishing a letter received by Mrs. Astles from one of the officers of the 26th Battalion giving particulars of the young man's death and we notice that according to this statement recommendation has been made that he be awarded the Victoria Cross.

France, Nov. 24th, 1916.

Dear Mrs. Astles—  
It is with much regret that I write you regarding the death of your son, and to convey to you the deepest sympathy of the officers and men in our Battalion for the supreme sacrifice he and also you have been called upon to make.

He was killed early this morning when returning to our trench from a party which had made a raid on the Boches. It was a volunteer party and that fact alone shows the "stuff" your boy was made of. Death was instantaneous and he suffered no pain. I have just returned from his funeral which took place in our military cemetery this afternoon. Lieut. Col. MacKenzie and all the officers of the Battalion were present and paid their last respects to your brave son. The grave is marked by a wooden cross on which is his name, number, Battalion, and date of death.

Albert was stretcher bearer in my Platoon, in fact I looked upon him as my S. B., and there was not a man in the Platoon liked as well as he. None of us were the least bit afraid of being left in "No Man's Land" when we had your son with us. We all knew and he showed us many times that he was afraid of nothing and would go through anything to do his duty.

At the Somme he was over the parapet saving the lives of dozens of men, not only our own but also of other Battalions in the thick of the fiercest fighting possible. He was recommended for the Victoria Cross, the highest honor possible.

He met death nobly, Mrs. Astles, like the good soldier and man that he was.

I can say no more except to again extend my personal sympathy for your loss.

If there is ever anyway in which I can be of service to you, please don't hesitate to write as I looked upon your son as a friend as well as a soldier. I am, yours very sincerely,  
Geoffrey R. Harrison,  
Lieut. 26th Bat.

### OBITUARY.

The death of Mrs. Rose Delina Lacasse took place at the Hotel Dieu hospital, Montreal, where she had been receiving medical treatment for the last ten weeks, on Saturday evening, last. At the time of her death, Mrs. Lacasse was surrounded by fifteen nuns, Reverend Father Trudeau, a Dominican priest who gave her final absolution, Sister Lacasse of that institution, her sister, Mrs. Chateau of St. Hyacinthe and Mrs. Wilfrid Comeau of this town, also a large number of nurses.

The body was laid in the Mortuary Chapel of the Hotel Dieu on Sunday where there was a continual procession of nuns and friends who prayed for her soul.

Father Lacasse accompanied the remains to this town on the Ocean Limited on Monday. Interment took place on Tuesday in the Catholic cemetery, the funeral being largely attended. Requiem High Mass was celebrated by Father Lacasse, son of deceased, assisted by Fathers Cormier and Langevin as Deacon and sub-deacon. In the choir were Father Wallace, Father Pierre of Restigouche and Father Lebel. The pall-bearers who were selected by the deceased a few days before her death were Dr. L. G. Pinault, Dr. Martin, Messrs. David Roy, Jos. Boudreau, David Harquail and Geo. St. Onge.

A large number of spiritual and floral offerings testified to the high esteem in which deceased was held.

Mrs. Lacasse was in her sixty-fourth year and leaves to mourn three sons and three daughters, Reverend Amelac Lacasse of Watertown, N. Y., and Aime and Joseph Lacasse of Campbellton, Reverend Sister Lacasse of the Hotel Dieu of Montreal, Mrs. Alex. J. A. Roy of Moncton and Mrs. Wilfrid Comeau of this town.

CHRIST CHURCH XMAS SERVICES  
Monday, Dec. 25th there will (D.V.) be Administration of the Holy Communion at 8 a. m.  
Morning Prayer, Sermon and Holy Communion at 10.30 o'clock.

### TIPPERARY CLUB.

The regular monthly meeting of the Tipperary Club will be held in the Red Cross room on Friday evening, December 15th at 7 o'clock.

## LLOYD GEORGE FORMS STRONG CABINET

Sir Edward Carson First Lord of Admiralty—Balfour in the Foreign Office

London, Dec. 10.—Official announcement was made tonight that the new government had been constituted with a war cabinet comprising:

Premier, David Lloyd George.  
Lord president of the council, Earl Curzon, who also will be government leader in the house of lords.

Arthur Henderson, minister without portfolio.

Lord Milner minister without portfolio.

Andrew Bonar Law, Chancellor of the exchequer, who has been asked by the premier to act as leader in the house of commons and also as a member of the war cabinet, without being expected to attend regularly.

Members of Ministry.

The other members of the ministry who are not in the war cabinet are:

Lord high chancellor, Sir Robert Bannatyne Finlay.

Secretary of state for the home department, Sir George Cave.

Secretary for foreign affairs, Arthur J. Balfour.

Secretary of state for the colonies, Walter Hume Long.

Secretary of state for the war, the Earl of Derby.

Secretary of state for India, Austen Chamberlain.

President of the local government board, Baron Rhondda.

President of the board of trade, Sir Albert Stanley.

Minister of labor, John Hodge.

## NEWCASTLE BOY KILLED ON I. C. R.

Was Repairing Break on Car in Station Yard When Shunt-er Moved Cars.

One of Newcastle's best young men, William Keating, son of Wm. J. Keating, Chief Car Inspector, lost his life Friday morning as the result of not obeying the "Safety First" maxim and setting up a signal when he went under the car to repair a brake. There were three or four cars together, and while he was under one of them a shunting engine ran into the barch and set them into motion. The poor young fellow was jammed between a brake bar and the sleepers, and was unconscious when he was picked up. He was carried home and died about an hour later, without having regained consciousness. The deceased was about twenty years old. Besides his parents he leaves two sisters—Mrs. Stafford and Miss Patricia. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon.

First lord of the admiralty, Sir Edward Carson.

Minister of munitions, Dr. Christopher Addison.

Minister of blockade, Lord Robert Cecil.

Food controller, Baron Devonport.

Shipping controller, Sir Joseph Farnon MacLay.

President of the board of agriculture, Rowland E. Prothero.

President of the board of education, Herbert A. L. Fisher.

First commissioner of works, Sir Alfred M. Mond.

## MAY MEAN PULP MILL FOR CAMPBELLTON.

J. D. Volkman and North Shore Lumbermen Meet at St. John.

Prominent lumbermen who registered at the Royal Hotel yesterday included George Cutler of Boston, D. R. Richards and W. F. Napier of Campbellton, and J. D. Volkman of Millerton, nephew of Sir Robert Perks and manager of Sir Robert's Canadian interests. Mr. Cutler is one of the chief directors of the well known firm of Stetson, Cutler & Company, while Messrs. Richards and Napier are the managers of the Shives Lumber Company, a subsidiary concern to the Stetson, Cutler Company. It is reported that the presence of these gentlemen is in connection with an important deal now being done in this province.

Both Mr. Cutler and Mr. Napier said in connection with their visit the lumbering business on the North Shore has been quite fair during the past year and men are now going into the woods for the season's cutting operations.

Mr. Volkman managed for some years with much success the pulp and paper mill of Sir Robert Perks at Millerton which was destroyed by fire a few years ago. It is understood that this industry will be revived.

Sir Robert Perks is interested in the pulp and paper business and it is possible his interests are looking for additional limits on the North shore.



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