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MONDAY
A recent casualty list contained the name of J. T. Hagan of the Imperial Army Service Corps, a native of P. E. Island (full address not given), as having been killed in action. His number was 12 15319.

The name of Charles Mearl of Freetown, P. E. I., also appears in a recent list, as having been wounded. He was a member of the 105th Battalion and crossed to France with the first draft from that regiment.

A GRAND OLD MAN.—The Colchester Sun has this to say of a veteran preacher: "We are reminded that that grand old man, Pastor J. Clark, of Selma, the writer of Arrow Points and other good things, has reached his 74th birthday. He received many congratulations and good wishes, in all of which we heartily join. It can truly be said of him that the world is better for his having lived in it."—Pastor Clark was stationed at Troy, P. E. I. some years ago.

The first wounded soldier of the 98th Siege Battery to return to Canada—Gunner John G. Gauthier, of Rustico, arrived in Charlottetown by the special train from Georgetown on Saturday afternoon. Gunner Gauthier is wounded in the back as the result of having been buried by a shell explosion. He was the same entering his body. Before going to the front Gunner Gauthier worked in the employ of Mr. Charles McEachern of the Morell House. He leaves soon for Toronto to receive special treatment for his injuries. Gunner Gauthier left early yesterday morning on a visit to friends in the country. As no word had been received regarding his coming, he did not receive the usual official welcome but many friends who saw him were pleased to grasp his hand and express their pleasure at seeing him once again.

The reopening of the mail service at the Capes yesterday was marked by a very sad fatality. The boats under command of Capt. Thomas Howatt, left Cape Tormentine at 8:10 a. m. with thirty-three bags of mail. Shortly after leaving the board ice at Tormentine when the ice-boats were working their way through the loose ice and lolly, the ice suddenly started to rise and over-shoot. Mr. Lemuel Dawson, of Albany, a young member of the crew, was a member of the crew, was so unfortunate as to trip and was caught by the ratted ice which was thin and piling. He was dragged beneath the boat among the swirling masses of ice and disappeared from view before his comrades had hardly time to realize the awful thing which had occurred.

Needless to say, Captain Howatt and his crew felt very keenly the loss of their comrade, who was a very fine young fellow. His father, Mr. Lemuel Dawson, lives at Albany and is a well-known and highly respected resident of that place. His mother died a good many years ago. There are left to mourn the loss of the unfortunate young man two full brothers and sisters, and a number of half-brothers and sisters.

This is the first fatality of the ice-boat service since it was started, nearly a century ago, and the unfortunate affair has caused a deep sense of sorrow among all his acquaintances.

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Oxo Cubes mean health, strength and irrepresible vitality to the little folk, and an immense saving of time and trouble for mothers and nurses.

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ACCEPTS CALL.—Rev. L. E. A. Leland, of Summerside, has accepted a call to the pastorate of the North Baptist Church, Halifax, and will enter upon his duties as such on or about April 1. It is expected, Mr. Leland, who is about thirty-two years of age, is a graduate of Acadia, and is described as one of the strongest young men in the Baptist ministry in the Maritime Provinces. He is vice president of the Maritime Baptist Convention, is a forcible preacher and a strenuous worker. His acceptance of the call is highly gratifying to the congregation of the North Baptist Church.

AN ISLANDER'S LOSS.—Mr. J. J. McKinnon, of this city, received a telegram Saturday from his brother, Mr. George D. McKinnon, of the firm of McKinnon, Holmes & Co., Sherbrooke, Quebec, stating that the firm had on the previous night sustained damage to the extent of \$30,000 to \$40,000 by fire in their plant. The telegram concluded with the pithy remark, "Rebuilding at once, expect to be closed down three or four weeks." In Saturday's Guardian a report appeared of the splendid progress made by this firm under the superintendence of Mr. George D. McKinnon. His many friends will be sorry to learn of his loss, while admiring the pluck that determined to rebuild before the fire was out.

REGRETTABLE ACCIDENT.—Mr. William Dillon, market clerk, of this city, as the result of reckless driving on the part of a couple of youths driving a butcher's team, Saturday morning is confined to his home suffering from painful injuries. Mr. Dillon was crossing the street near the market house when the team struck him. He was knocked down and the sleigh went completely over his body. The young men on the sleigh did not even enquire if Mr. Dillon was seriously hurt. Mr. Dillon received a bad cut across his forehead, and one hand was pierced in three places completely to the bone and he was badly bruised about the body. There has been considerable complaint of late about reckless driving on the part of teamsters and it is about time this thing was stopped.

DOING SPLENDID WORK.—The Kingsboro Women's Institute met at the home of the president, Mrs. W. Stanford Robertson, after reading of minutes the roll-call was answered with a proverb, then came an exchange of receipts for quick dessert. Next, a reading of the help the Canadian Women's Institutes were to the war in knitting, raising money, etc. A reading from Mrs. Dan Robertson on the attributes of an attractive girl or woman; then a sheet paper from Mrs. Merrill Stewart giving a few reasons why it would be desirable to have an equal number of women and men on the board of school trustees. Also decided to send \$4.50 per month to our prisoners of war, instead of \$4 as formerly. Meeting closed with "Keep the Home Fires Burning," on photograph. M. Stewart, Secy-Treas.

WEDDING BELLS.—Notre Dame Convent, Rustico, was the scene of a pleasant event on Tuesday, Jan. 14th when Mr. Cyrus W. Vessey of Charlottetown, and Miss Mary H. LeClair of North Rustico were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. The occasion was celebrated by the pastor, Rev. Father Chaisson, music for the occasion was furnished by Notre Dame choir. The bride was attended by Miss Esther Vessey, sister of the groom, and Mr. Louis Hughes acted as groomsmen, after the marriage ceremony the bridal party drove to the home of the bride where breakfast was served. In the evening the friends of the bride and groom gathered where they indulged in dancing and singing until the wee small hours. The many wedding presents showed the popularity of the young couple and all join in wishing them a long and happy wedded life.

RETURNING TO FRONT.—Lieutenant Edward A. Johnson of the 4th Battalion, Royal Canadian Mounted Police, who was in the front, after visiting his parents, Rev. W. E. and Mrs. Johnson, of Kensington, P. E. I., Lieutenant Johnson was wounded four months ago in the Battle of the Somme in which his battalion suffered heavy casualties. He enlisted in Calgary at the first call to arms and was with his battalion in the many glorious and trying ordeals it passed through.

A NARROW ESCAPE.—While driving from Charlottetown to Lot Forty-eight, the horse of Mr. Horton, mail carrier, broke through the ice near the Railway wharf yesterday morning. There is a wide crack in the ice at this spot which is very dangerous and should be marked by bushes. The animal was in the icy water about half an hour before it was lifted on to solid ice. Mr. Horton was driving the school-teacher to Lot 48 at the time, but fortunately their sleigh did not go through. A number of the employees of the P. E. I. Railway freight shed rendered valuable assistance in saving the horse.

The death of James Herbert Edmunds, son of Mr. John Edmunds, 115 Easton street, which occurred on Feb. 4th, at New Glasgow, N. S., at the early age of twenty-three years, after a brief illness, was a distinct shock to his many friends, who deeply sympathize with his sorrowing family—namely his father and mother, one brother, David, his sister, Mrs. Francis Christopher, all of whom keenly feel and deeply mourn the loss of a kind, affectionate son and loving brother.

The late Mr. Edmunds was employed at the munition works in New Glasgow, N. S., for the past year, and owing to his work was unable to visit his home later than July last. He was endeared to his kind, cheerful family, which won for him the regard and esteem of all who had the pleasure of his acquaintance. The numerous spiritual and floral offerings which were sent to the bereaved family, testified to the esteem in which the deceased was held. His friends, on the morning of Friday, February the 9th, followed his remains to St. Dunstan's Cathedral, and thence to the Catholic cemetery, thereby paying a last tribute to his memory. May his soul rest in peace. (Foreign papers, please copy.)

NEW BUSINESS FIRM.—Application is being made for letters patent to the firm of Turner and Holman, Ltd., to conduct a general wholesale business in this city. The names of applicants are Percy W. Turner, B. Roy Holman, Edna M. Turner, Eleanor Holman and D. Edgar Shaw, all of this city. Messrs. Turner, Holman and Shaw to be the provisional directors.

A very sudden death occurred at the Victoria Hotel on Saturday morning about 9 o'clock, when Mr. George G. Burgess, of Crapaud, Dairy Recorder for the Dairy Division, Ottawa, was found dead, passed away as the result of an attack of heart weakness. Mr. Burgess who had come to town on Friday evening was sitting in the office of the hotel when he suddenly collapsed. Dr. Conroy was instantly summoned but the unfortunate man, who had been conveyed to his room only lingered about five minutes. His occurrence is deeply regretted. The type of citizen, "old heeler and cheery, and was held in the highest esteem by all who were so fortunate as to know him. He was about twenty-five years of age. To his widow and three children residing in Crapaud the profound sympathy of many friends goes out in this, their hour of affliction. Deceased was a native of Bluevale, Ontario, and came to P. E. I. in 1882 as cheese-maker for Mr. Dillie, then in charge of the dairy work here for the Dominion Department of Agriculture. For several years after this he was successively engaged as a cheese and butter maker at St. Peter's Bay, Hillsboro, Cherry Valley and Crapaud, and then moved to Assiniboia in Western Canada where he remained for five or six years, when he returned to the island of Edward Island and by reason of his expert knowledge of the work, was appointed by the Dominion Government to the position which he held at the time of his death, that of keeping records of the individual dairy farms in the Province. In conversation with Mr. Harvey Mitchell of the Dairy Division on the previous evening, deceased mentioned that his heart had been troubling him considerably of late. About a year ago while in the creamery there, he recovered from the effects of it. Burgess came of a family who have been long identified with the dairy business, one brother Joseph, holding a position in the Dairy Division at Ottawa, and another John being Dairy Recorder at Listowel, Ont. His remaining brother is now serving with the Canadian forces in France. His mother is still living and residing on the news of his death will be a heavy blow to her. The remains were taken in charge by Undertaker Braithwaite of Saturday afternoon, and thence conveyed to Crapaud.

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"Dear madam:—We have received from you one box for Capt. J. W. Stanley, 2nd Heavy Battery, which we are glad to forward."

RECRUITING MEETING.—The meeting of McDonald Institute, Monday evening, was very poorly attended there being only about 35 persons present. The speakers were the Rev. Canon Simpson, chairman, Rev. J. J. Macdonald and the Rev. Mr. Freeman. No recruits were obtained. It is evident that in many sections of the province the people take no interest in the Defence of the Empire, and only endure the address of the speakers on this subject, when they are interspersed with songs and step dances.

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