



ANOTHER ISLANDER FALLS IN ACTION

Lieut. Chester T. Balderson Died of Wounds June 26th.

The sad news was received Saturday night by Mr. Murdoch Balderson, Southport, that his son, Lieut. Chester T. Balderson had died of wounds on June 26th. The late Lieut. Balderson was 24 years of age, a graduate of Prince of Wales College and a young man of exceptional promise. After graduation he accepted a position in the Canadian Bank of Commerce, serving for some time in Alberta, and later transferred to Victoria, B. C. When the war broke out and the call for men came, he was one of the first to offer his services. He enlisted with a B. C. regiment and after going into camp at Valcartier came home for a short visit in August, 1914. He received promotion early and in February, 1915, went with his regiment to France. In his last letter home he referred with gratitude to the fact that he had so far escaped injury, although he had been in many heavy engagements, but he added such "luck was too good to last." They were going into a serious engagement on the morning, he said, and if anything happened him he asked them not to grieve unduly as his death, if that were God's will, would be but one more in the great cause of humanity. There are left to mourn his father, his step-mother, one brother, a half brother and a half sister. Another brother, Harry, died last January. To the sorely bereaved relatives The Guardian extends sincere sympathy.

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The Central Guardian

IT PAYS to buy in this province. PATRIOTIC LAWN PARTY AT BUNBURY FARM: July 5th from 6 to 10 p. m.

CONFEDERATION SOUVENIR.—In the window of Stanley Bros. store is to be seen a very interesting souvenir at the present time—an actual photograph of the Fathers of Confederation taken at Quebec.

MATRICATION EXAMS.—The matriculation examinations of Prince of Wales College began at 8 o'clock Tuesday, July 3rd. The total number of candidates reported is 524.

THE ARANMORE.—The S. S. Aranmore arrived from Pictou at 11.55, on Saturday. She brought 35 passengers and the following freight: two cars cracked corn, one car farm implements, two cars waggon, one car hay, one car pig lead, one car tobacco, one car of automobiles and three cars of way freight.

MILLER-BELL.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bell, West Side, New Glasgow, was the scene of a happy event, Wednesday evening, when their daughter, Mary, was joined in the bonds of marriage to Frederick D. Miller, New Glasgow, formerly of Murray Harbor, P. E. Island. The wedding took place in the presence of the members of the family and a number of invited guests. Rev. W. W. McNamee, West Side, was the officiating clergyman. After the usual good wishes had been extended, a dainty luncheon was served. The happy couple then motored to Stellarton, where they took the train for Pictou, en route to P. E. Island, where their honeymoon will be spent. The bride was the recipient of many handsome and useful presents. Prior to living in New Glasgow she was a resident of Westville, and has a host of friends who wish her every happiness in her new relationship. —New Glasgow News.

AT THE POLICE COURT.—Saturday was automobile day at the Police Court. One case was that of Sheriff Douglas vs. W. A. Gaudet in which the latter was charged with operating a motor car on the Hillsboro Bridge. The defendant admitted that he pushed the car over and drove it back, and some other evidence was taken. Another case was that of Geo. W. Gardiner vs. Earl Grant in which the defendant was charged with operating a motor vehicle without a license. There was also the case of Gardiner vs. Richard Grant. A trial connected with the killing of plaintiff's dog, by being run over by an auto. The three cases were adjourned until July 7th. An assault case of Ethel Joseph vs. Edmund Egan was adjourned for a week. On the previous afternoon three boys were tried for breaking into the warehouse of Mrs. Mary Sumrah on Upper Queen Street. Jack Weatherbie, aged 17, was sentenced to three months in jail and Joe Knight 16, to two months. In the case of Fred McKinnon, 13, sentence was suspended for six months. From the warehouse sixty-one pounds of rubber was stolen which they, the boys sold and got \$3.10 for it. Three weeks previously they made a visit to the place and took bottles and rubbers for which they received \$2.25. The need of a reformatory instead of a jail for such boys as these is very manifest, and it is to be hoped that some such provision will soon be provided.

THE BOY SCOUTS leave by the 3.20 train on Tuesday for North Lake. Boys will report at the Y. M. C. A. at 2 o'clock.

WILL PREACH.—The Rev. D. McLean will preach to the L. O. A. in the Baptist Church at Alexandria this evening at 8 o'clock.

GRAND LIGNE.—Rev. Dr. Bosworth, of the Grand Ligne Mission who is here attending the Baptist Association, preached able sermons on his work Sunday morning and evening at the Baptist Church.

FOR REPAIRS.—The steam shovel which had been in use on the El mira branch line was brought to the city on Saturday evening for repairs. It will be put in thorough repair for work on ballasting the road and work at Carleton Point.

FUNERAL.—The funeral of the late William McInnis took place yesterday afternoon and was largely attended. Rev. F. H. Littlejohn officiated. The pall-bearers were selected from the membership of the Laborers' Protective Union.

REMAINS SENT HOME.—Mrs. Clara H. Bell, wife of Mr. John Bell, of Cape Traverse, who has been under treatment in hospital for some time passed away on Saturday in her 66th year. The body was sent home for interment by the afternoon train.

DIED IN HOSPITAL.—The death occurred in the P. E. Island Hospital on Saturday of Mr. W. Edison Houston, of Mayfield, who entered the institution recently for medical treatment. The remains were forwarded by train to Hunter River on Saturday afternoon en route to his late home for interment.

EXCELLENT SERMON.—Rev. Edwin Jukes, of Falmouth, N. S., preached an able sermon in St. Peter's Cathedral last evening and assisted at the morning service. The subject of his sermon was "Christ healing the blind man and teaching him." The thought brought out was the extra touch which is needed by all to make our work perfect.

RUNAWAY ACCIDENT.—While Mrs. David Jay and daughter of Mount Stewart were out driving on Thursday last their horse, from some unknown cause took fright and bolted. After running about half a mile the carriage upset, the occupants being thrown violently to the ground. Mrs. Jay was seriously injured, two of her ribs being broken and being otherwise badly bruised and shaken up. Her daughter Miss Lottie, also sustained a painful injury, receiving a badly broken ankle. The carriage was badly shattered. Happily, Mr. S. C. Clark in company with Mr. J. Mac Donald on their way to Tracadie in Mr. Clark's automobile arrived in time, and conveyed the injured ladies as rapidly as possible to the homes of their family physician where they received medical attention and were otherwise cared for. At latest reports both were doing well.

ZION CHURCH HONOUR ROLL UNVEILED.—An impressive and most interesting service was held last night in Zion Church, when the congregation's Honour Roll was formally unveiled. After the preliminary exercises, conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. D. McKenzie, the Roll was unveiled by Mr. J. T. McKenzie. On it are inscribed the names of 118, including several nursing sisters, all sons and daughters of the church, who had enlisted at home or in some of the other provinces. Mr. W. T. Huggan, of the pastor's invitation, read the names to the congregation. Consul Pierce, who was present by invitation, gave an inspiring and eloquent address on the great cause in which Canada and the United States were jointly engaged. He complimented the congregation on its very creditable record in recruiting as shown by the honour roll. A pleasing feature of the service was the singing of the Recessional by Mr. Charles Earle.

IN MEMORIAM MRS. ANDREW BYRNE. The death took place at the Charlottetown Hospital Sunday morning after an illness of eight months of Mrs. Andrew Byrne, at the age of 79. The deceased was of gentle and amiable disposition and beloved by all who knew her. Besides a sorrowing husband the following sons and daughters are left to mourn their loss: Mrs. Joseph McLeod and their son, Patrick Mullins, both of this city; Mrs. M. Harvey, of Gordon, Me.; Andrew, at home; Sergt. E. Byrne of the Ives' Point Battery; and Charles in Shoreham, England. The funeral will take place from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Joseph McLeod, 309 Grafton Street, Tuesday morning at 8.45 to the St. Dunstan's Cathedral, thence to the R. C. Cemetery.

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LETTER OF THANKS TO LADIES AUXILIARY 8TH CANADIAN SEIGE BATTERY "Somewhere in France" 6/6/17. Dear People: I wish that all of you who are doing so much work for the Happy Eight could have dropped in on us the other day. I am very sure that you would have felt amply repaid for all your work. The rations here are very good, but they do not contain cake and candy and especially as all Canadian mail has been much delayed we have not received many parcels for some time. So perhaps you can imagine what a treat everyone had. The boxes were all opened and put together on one large box then a line formed and each person received a share and thanks to your hard work, it was a generous share. There was enough cake and candy for three days. After the "eats" we gave out the socks. And as everyone eagerly searched for notes, I am sure many of the knitters will receive an acknowledgement. Quite a few of the socks have not been distributed yet as the weather has been "warm and dry" but they are being carefully kept and I can assure the workers they will be much appreciated. We cannot tell you how much we appreciate the work you are doing for us. It is so good to know that over yonder there are so many kind hearts and people and you may be sure that nowhere have we found people so nice as in our own home Provinces of Canada and as soon as this war is over no boat can take us back quickly enough to the fairest country we have seen yet. No one could call this life a very quiet one for there is lots of excitement. But the greatest we have is "with best wishes."

STANLEY BAGNALL, (Capt.) O. C. 8th C.S.B. (N.) PERSONALS Mr. J. J. McDonald, Tracadie, merchant, was in the City on Saturday. Mr. H. M. Godfrey, of Marsh field, is at the Revere Hotel. Miss Olga Crosby returned to her home in Cape Traverse on Saturday. Mr. Patrick Burke, the well-known painter came over from New Glasgow on Saturday. Miss Libbie Wright, City, is spending the holiday at her home in Lower Montague. Miss Hazel White, York Point, is visiting in Montague, the guest of Miss Beth Beattie. Mr. Harry McKay, station agent at Mount Stewart, went to Alberton on Saturday. Mr. James Hogan, of the Freight Office, P. E. I. R., went to Summerside on Saturday. Mrs. (Dr.) McGulgan, Emerald, who has been visiting in the city returned home Saturday. Miss Beattie Dawson, of A. Horne & Co., leaves this morning to spend the holiday at her home in Pictou. Mr. Colin A. McDonald, druggist, City, left on Saturday afternoon on a trip to the western part of the Island. Nursing Sister Miss Winnie McLeod has arrived home on a furlough to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McLeod. Mrs. Whitmore, of Regina, arrived on Saturday night on a visit to Mrs. (Col.) Neils, who is summing at the Rollings Hotel, Rustico. Miss Deegan of the District Freight Office, P. E. I. R., left Saturday for her home in Cape Traverse. Dr. David W. McKenzie, of the Royal Victoria Hospital, Montreal, is visiting relatives on the island. He was in the city yesterday. Miss Lena Wright, Lower Montague, was a visitor in Charlottetown during the past week, the guest of the Misses Hilda and William Mac Donald. Mr. Joseph McEachern who was employed in the construction work of the Car Co., left this morning for a visit to his home, Glenfinnan, P. E. Island. —New Glasgow News, 28th.

BAPTIST CONVENTION AT LONG CREEK At Friday's session of the Baptist Association after a prolonged discussion and with several amendments, the following resolution moved by Mr. A. W. Sterns and seconded by Mr. Freeman was passed: In view of the flagrant violation of the Prohibitory Law in this province we would recommend that this Association use its influence on behalf of strict enforcement of all laws since the success of advanced temperance legislation rests entirely upon the thoroughness and impartiality of its enforcement and that the laxity of enforcement of any law tends to the demoralization of the community and a spirit of lawlessness. We, the United Baptists Association of Prince Edward Island, urge all its members to use their utmost influence to bring about a condition of citizenship worthy of this province and its Prohibitory Law and that this Association through its ministers and delegates support only men favorable to an impartial and effective enforcement of all our Prohibitory legislation. This resolution and the discussion which preceded it followed the report on temperance, written by Mr. Robert Jenkins and read in his unavoidable absence by Rev. B. N. Rand, secretary of the Association. The report was discussed by Mr. William McLeod of Dundas, Mrs. Gladys Summerside, Rev. Mr. Rand, the latter regretting that the Association has not such aggressive temperance workers as it had a few years ago; he stated that conditions in King's County had not been much improved. Rev. Mr. Freeman thought the temperance sentiment in the Association was as strong as ever although there might be differences of opinion as to the methods of working. He thought it would be better to work in harmony with the government than to antagonize them. Mr. A. W. Sterns also took part in the discussion. Rev. E. P. Calder gave a splendid address on education, emphasizing the necessity of trained and disciplined leadership. Rev. Mr. Freeman followed Mr. Calder referring to educational work in this province. He was surprised to find that so many pupils stopped short of high school work and urged that a deeper interest be taken in educational matters. Mr. J. P. Gordon, Charlottetown, gave a practical and helpful address on Church Finance. He submitted statistics showing how much money had been contributed per church member per week for different periods beginning with the year 1872. He showed how the wealth of the province had increased since that time and declared that there should be larger contributions especially works of silver and the various methods adopted by different denominations to raise funds. Among the factors tending to the development of effective church financing were: interested pastors; efficient finance committees; systematic canvases; a good treasury; simple, but comprehensive, systems of accounting; the preparation of a budget; the duplex envelope system; card index of members; pledge cards. Mr. Gordon declared that "safety first" should not be the motto of the church. It must be prepared to take some risks. No church is ever successful that lives into itself alone. Mr. Gordon's address was highly commended by a number of speakers and adopted. The following committees were appointed: Arrangements—Rev. A. Hurn, W. Stretch, W. Lewis. Resolutions—Rev. W. E. Piper, F. A. Hubley, W. E. Carpenter. Denominational Work—Rev. B. N. Rand, J. C. Hayden, M. A. Adams. Systematic Benevolence—Rev. A. Hurn. Church Extension—Rev. A. Hurn. Temperance and Moral Reform—Mrs. Gladys Summerside. Grand Ligne—J. P. Gordon. Western Mission—Rev. B. N. Rand. Denominational Literature—All Rev. G. W. Brantford. Address—Mr. E. P. Calder—alternate Rev. W. E. Piper. Education—Pastor at Summerside. Delegates to Maritime Convention—Moderator and Secretary Sunday Schools.—J. A. Clarke.

FOUR BRITISH STEAMERS SUNK. BOSTON.—The torpedoing and sinking of four large British cargo carrying steamers was announced in advices to local insurance offices today. The steamers were the Ulster, the Car, the Petrograd and the... (Canadian Press Dispatch) MADISON, MAINE.—George B. Rowe aged 37, his wife 33, and their six children ranging in age from one to thirteen years, were burned to death early today in a fire with destroyed their home at Anson near here. None of the occupants of the house escaped. Investigation failed to show evidences of foul play and the County medical examiner declared an inquest was unnecessary. (Canadian Press Dispatch) PETROGRAD.—The former cooks of the Car have entered an affidavit against him for breach of contract.

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