

THE CHARLOTTETOWN GUARDIAN

MORNING DAILY

CHARLOTTETOWN, CANADA, FRIDAY, JUNE 30, 1916

\$5.50 Per Year (delivered) in advance (\$2.50 Per Year (mailed) in Advance in Canada and \$5.00 for U. S. A.

Morning Daily Founded 1891 Weekly (Now Evening Daily) 1882

SAD DEATH OF DONALD MCISAAC

Found Drowned at Rocky Point Yesterday Afternoon. Inquest Held and Verdict of Accidental Death Returned.

Yesterday afternoon about two o'clock the lifeless body of Mr. Donald McIsaac, the well-known school teacher of Fairview was found on the shore at Rocky Point. It was first seen by Mr. Horace McKinnon, who notified it from the wharf. The body lay to the east side of the new wharf, about 150 yards from it, and was apparently cast up there on the sands by the tide. Mr. McIsaac was in Charlottetown on the previous day and left for home by the 5.30 p. m. boat. In the evening he called at Mr. Neil Currie's with his daughter. As the family expected him to remain all night they retired leaving him lying on a lounge in the kitchen. In the morning he was gone and Mr. Currie thinking that he had gone to his home at Fairview, a distance of three miles made no enquiries concerning him. The evidence would indicate that leaving Mr. Currie's deceased wandered to the shore and as the night was very dark and wet he apparently fell over the pier and was drowned. Deceased was 55 years of age, and had taught school for many years. He leaves a widow and family of nine, who will have the sympathy of the community in their bereavement. Dr. Dewar, Coroner for Queen's County, held an inquest at 5 o'clock in the afternoon. After viewing the body which showed no evidences of injury the following jury was empanelled: Hugh McPhee, (foreman.) Owen King, Robert Griffin, Daniel McLean, John McLean, James Pughan, William King. The following witnesses were examined: Joseph Griffin, Albert Chipman, Nell Currie, Isabel Currie, Isabel McDonald, Horace McKinnon, Michael Murphy and Hugh McPhee. The evidence of the first witness, Joseph Griffin, was as follows: "I am a farmer and reside at Rocky Point. Came from Charlottetown to-day on 1.30 boat. Coming up the wharf at Rocky Point I saw an object on the shore which looked like a body. I went over to the place, a distance of about 150 yards. On reaching it I found the body of a man. I did not recognize him as he was lying on his face. When other men arrived the body was known as that of Donald McIsaac. I saw him on Wednesday at 3.30 p. m., going up the Charlottetown Wharf. I spoke to him. I did not see him again alive. The evidence of Isabel McDonald was as follows: "I am grand-daughter of Neil Currie and live with him at Rocky Point. I saw the deceased at 3 p. m., on his way to Charlottetown. I saw him again at 7 o'clock when he returned. He stayed at our house last night. His daughter and myself left him in the kitchen at 11 o'clock. I heard

GERMAN SUICIDAL ATTACKS ON VERDUN

Still Continue and are Still Being Repulsed. After a Whole Day's Bombardment Germans Launched Another Violent Attack and Were Again Repulsed with Heavy Losses.

(Canadian Press Despatch.) PARIS, June 29.—After a violent bombardment, which lasted the entire day, the Germans attacked the French positions northwest of Thiaumont, in the Verdun section, but were repulsed with heavy losses according to an official statement issued by the war office to-day. The French machine guns and curtain of fire is declared to have devastated the attackers. The text of the statement follows: "In the Champagne district in the vicinity of Tahure and at a point to the west of Butte De Mesnils a successful surprise attack made it possible for us to clean up certain trenches of the enemy's first line, and to penetrate at several places as far as the second line. Here we blew up a number of sheltering rocks. On the left bank of the River Meuse there has been artillery fighting in the sector of Hill 304 without any infantry fighting. On the right bank of the river after a violent bombardment which lasted all yesterday afternoon, the Germans at about eight o'clock in the evening, delivered a strong attack upon our positions to the northwest of the Thiaumont works. We checked our curtain of fire and the fire of our machine guns, the enemy was not able to reach our lines at any point, and they sustained great losses. Last night there was very spirited bombardment in the region of Chenois."

JEROME GALLANT KILLED IN BATTLE

Brother of Moses Gallant Who Met Death in Action Last September and of Wilfrid Serving in the 105th. More Islanders Wounded.

Mrs. Hugh J. McKinnon, 112 Green Street, Charlottetown yesterday received the following telegram from Ottawa: "Deeply regret to inform you that 6931 Private Jerome Gallant infantry officially reported killed in action June 16th. Private Gallant referred to was a son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Moses Gallant of Rustico and a brother of the late Moses Gallant who bravely met death in action on September 28th last—just nine months ago. He and his brother Moses joined the 26th Battalion, St. John, N. B., together. The death of these two brothers is the first instance since the war started where more than one from the same family in this province have yielded up their lives for the Empire. The late Jerome Gallant was only in his twentieth year. He had been employed prior to the war on the Government steamer Earl Grey. Particulars of his death have not yet been received. He leaves to mourn four sisters, Mrs. Hugh J. McKinnon, Mrs. John Quinn, and Misses Margaret and Maud Gallant; also four brothers: Elias in Minneapolis, Alexander in Trenton, N. J., Daniel at Tracadie, and Wilfrid now serving with the 105th Battalion at Valcartier, where his brother-in-law Hugh McKinnon is also serving. Deep sympathy will go out to those bereaved in their great sorrow. The names of several more Islanders wounded was also as brief particulars concerning some previously reported. The names are: Warren Myers, Infantry, Mount Allison. James G. Kinch, Infantry, Tignish, June 17th. Plus J. Campbell, Infantry, Elmira, (previously reported) dangerously wounded in right thigh. David Burns, Infantry, Spring Valley; gunshot wound in thigh and head. Maurice Dolron, Infantry, South Rustico, wound in left arm. Colin McDougall, Infantry, Morell, is reported recovered from his wounds. Charles A. McDonald, Iris, Lot 62, wounded.

LATE FRANK ALLEN OF CHARLOTTETOWN WAS A REAL HERO

Sergeant J. L. McPherson, of Charlottetown, who is attached to "B" Co., 31st Battalion in a letter to a friend here gives the following particulars of recent fighting in which tribute is paid to the pluck of Frank Allen, whose death, sad to say has since been reported. "We have had it rather rough since the first of April when we moved up to this part of the line. We had all kinds of work and I had to be up at a scratch, although one night about ten o'clock while the "hard-ware" was coming down on us at the rate of about ten a second and an equal number of shrapnel shells burst overhead, I had eight boys wiped out by the one shell which killed eight of us in the trench. Four were killed and four wounded. Three of the boys killed were blown to pieces. For a moment it turned me sick, but it wasn't a time to let things like that worry you, when there were wounded to be gotten out, and one of these was Frank Allen, who worked with me in the bank there. He kept calling "For God's sake get me out, Mac." There was another lying across his legs and we had to dig him out before we could get Allen free. Glad to say he is now home with his family. He had a lot of pluck after we got him free and did not want us to do anything to his wounds until we looked after the other boys first. After we got him into a dug-out and the stretcher bearer dressed his wounds, he called me back and made me promise to let him know if Fritz attempted an attack. He said he could still handle his rifle and if there was any scrap on he wanted to be in it."

Sir Roger Casement Sentenced to Death

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, June 29.—Sir Roger Casement was found guilty to-day of high treason. The ending of the historic trial came shortly before 4 o'clock this afternoon when the jury which had been out less than an hour brought in its verdict against the Irish knight. To-day's session of the court was given over to arguments of counsel and the charge to the jury. Sir Roger's chief counsel, Mr. Sullivan, who collapsed in court yesterday, was unable to appear to-day, and his argument was taken up by Artemus Jones, assistant counsel for the defense. The Attorney-General, Sir Frederick Smith, summed up the case for the prosecution after which the Lord Chief Justice delivered his charge. LONDON, June 29.—Sir Roger Casement was sentenced to death.

Youthful Thieves In Amherst, N.S.

(Special to the Guardian.) AMHERST, June 29.—For the third time C. B. Chapman & Co., establishment was entered last evening by a gang of youthful burglars and a quantity of sweaters, mittens, gloves etc., taken. The main store itself was not broken into but a storage house in the rear, had a pane of glass smashed and although the windows were barred, the smallest way of a bunch of four forced his way through a narrow space

FINANCE MINISTER'S GREAT ACHIEVEMENT

Has Cabled British Government that a Further Canadian Credit of \$25,000,000 is Available. This Makes Total of \$150,000,000 Credit.

(Special to the Guardian.) OTTAWA, June 29.—The Minister of Finance as the result of his conference yesterday with the Canadian Bankers' Association was able to cable the British Treasury to-day that a \$25,000,000 further Canadian credit for the purchase in Canada of war munitions and supplies was immediately available. With the \$50,000,000 already advanced by the Dominion government and the previous loan of \$75,000,000, by Canadian Bankers a total of \$150,000,000 of Canadian money has been found in

RUMORS OF SERIOUS CABINET CRISIS OVER HOME RULE COMPROMISE

(Canadian Press Despatch.) LONDON, June 29.—Throughout today the air was charged with rumors of a serious cabinet crisis over the Home Rule compromise. The fact that there were two prolonged cabinet councils, in addition to party meetings, seemed to confirm this view. An evening newspaper announced that the Marquis of Lansdowne, Minister without portfolio, and Walter Hume Long, president of the local government board, had actually resigned, but that their resignations had not been accepted. Rumor also connected the name of Lord Robert Cecil, Minister of War Trade, with the Ministers likely to resign. The Earl of Selborne, in the House of Lords, explained that nothing was expected to be announced definitely concerning the situation until after a meeting of the Unionists tomorrow, at which it was still hoped that the influence of Andrew Bonar Law, Secretary of State for the Colonies, who supports Premier Asquith and David Lloyd George, the Munitions Minister, who framed the Irish compromise, might possibly avert a rupture. Tonight, however, it was announced that the Unionist meeting had been postponed until next week at the desire of Mr. Bonar Law and the Government, who wished further time for consideration of the Irish proposal. This postponement puts a new complexion on affairs and permits of hope that the crisis will be avoided.

Mexicans Release American Troopers

(Canadian Press Despatch.) WASHINGTON, June 29.—Release of the American troopers captured at Carrizal has removed one dangerous element in the Mexican situation; but it was apparent to-day that it has been only somewhat relieved and had not removed the grave menace to continuance of friendly relations between the United States and the Mexican de facto government. By freeing the prisoners General Carranza met only one demand made by President Wilson. The other that Carranza declare his future attitude toward the American forces in Mexico remains unanswered until the latest communication arrives from Mexico City. It was expected to-day.

Roumania Feels High Cost of Food

AMSTERDAM, June 29.—According to Bucharest despatches in German newspapers received here, four persons were killed and five wounded by the police at Galatz, Roumania, Monday, while repressing a demonstration of workmen against the high prices of foodstuffs. The despatches add that the working men of Galatz declared a general strike on Sunday, owing to the authorities having prohibited meetings and demonstrations in protest against the high cost of living.

BULGARIANS ARE MAKING ADVANCE

(Canadian Press Despatch.) SALONIKI, June 29.—A despatch to the London Daily Chronicle says: "It is stated here, on good authority, that the Bulgarians are marching toward the important fort of Paepetra. From the same source I learn that Bulgars have crossed the river, Mesta, which for some length inland from its mouth forms the frontier between Greece, Macedonia and Bulgaria. The news with regard to the Paetra is that patrol combats are reported from the Kupa Osen regions where some movements by enemy forces also are reported. Enemy armies have been active in the Vardar region, but have not accomplished any material damage. Artillery has been active to-day on the front as usual. British and French squadrons bombed Quindjina, the Bulgarians first occasion on which British air men have been taking part in a raid in this region. Velles was again bombed by French airmen."

MEMORIAL SERVICE

Long River was saddened as never before on Thursday June 22nd, when word was received that Archie Campbell son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Campbell had given his life in defence of his Country. On Sabbath morning a most impressive Memorial Service was held in the Long River Presbyterian Church, conducted by the Pastor Rev. G. A. Sutherland. The Church was draped with flags, while the Choir laid contained many beautiful flowers sent by sympathizing friends who came from far and near to pay their last tribute of respect to the brave soldier lad whom every one loved. Mr. Sutherland spoke most feelingly from the words, "Greater love hath no man than this that a man lay down his life for his friends." A male Quartette sang, "Sleep on brave heart," Mrs. D. G. Johnston sang "Sleep thy last sleep," and the Choir rendered other appropriate music. At the close the large congregation slowly filed out while the "Dead March from Saul was being played.

In Casualty List

The following telegram has been received by Mr. Colin J. Campbell, Lakeville, and speaks for itself. Ottawa, Ont., June 2, 1916. C. Campbell: Sincerely regret to inform you that 72237 Private Plus J. Campbell, Infantry, officially reported to be killed in Casualty Clearing Station, June 23rd, Gunshot wound, fracture femur, wounded right thigh, will send further particulars when received. O. C. RECORD OFFICE.

CAPTAIN MORGAN IS BRIGADE MAJOR OF 8TH

ST. JOHN, N. B., June 29.—Colonel A. H. H. Powell, who will command the 8th Brigade at Valcartier, composed of the 105th (P. E. I.), Battalion, the 106th Nova Scotia Rifles, the 112th and the 140th battalions of New Brunswick, announced yesterday that Capt. Guthbert J. Morgan had been appointed his brigade major and would take up his duties at once. It is understood that Capt. Morgan will be one of the officers in Colonel P. A. Guthrie's new "kiltie" battalion but in the meantime he will act as brigade major of the 8th Brigade at Valcartier. Capt. Morgan is perhaps one of the best known officers in the province of New Brunswick, returned from overseas on Friday last after almost two years of active service at the front. Minard's Liniment Cures Neuralgia

WONDERED ADS. TOO LATE FOR CLASSIFICATION

ONE CENT per word each insertion for advertising in this column. Cash must accompany orders. Minimum charges twenty-five cents. FOR SALE—BABY CARRIAGE, ALmost new. Apply 319 Euston Street. 653-6-30M3pd. WANTED—HOUSE OF 5 OR 6 rooms for two adults. Address, R. M. 158, Weymouth St. 648-6-30M31pd. WANTED—AT ONCE GIRL TO GO to summer cottage with small family for the summer. Apply at 400-6-32Mtf. office. WANTED—GIRL TO LEARN Switch-board Operating. Apply by letter to Chief Operator, Telephone Co. 653-6-30M31. WANTED—TEACHER FOR HAZELbrook School. Supplement \$50. 09, A. Ray Jones, Sec'y. 653-6-30M31. WANTED—A SECOND HAND POOL table in good condition. The League of the Cross Institute. 635-6-30M31pd. PRINCIPAL WANTED FOR ST. Eleanor's High School. Supplement \$75. Robert G. Murrhead, Secretary 627-6-30M31. ANYONE WILLING TO RANCH four pairs of high grade black foxes should write E. S. B., Box 326, Charlottetown. 652-6-30M31. TO LET—A LARGE BEDROOM on main floor, in private family. All modern conveniences. Apply 84, Hillsboro Street, or Phone 231-1. 8204-4-12Mf. DRESSMAKING ROOMS—TO LET at 88 Great George St. two large well lighted rooms, suitable for dressmaking. Call and see them. 651-6-30M31.

AUCTION—WE WILL SELL ON the market square to-day, Friday, at 12 o'clock, noon, 1 general purpose horse, sound and good, 4 years old. Terms at sale. Benj. Carter, auctioneer. 647-6-30M1pd.

NURSES—MALE AND FEMALE wanted at the Taunton State Hospital Training School for Nurses. For particulars, address: Dr. Arthur, Y. Goss, Supt. Taunton State Hospital, Taunton, Mass. 8191-4-11Mtf. WANTED—AT ONCE AN EXPERIENCED Dry Goods Sales Lady for Country Store. State experience and Salary required to box 145, Guardian Office. 643-6-30M61.

THE WEATHER TEMPERATURE, TIDE MOON ETC

(Special to the Guardian.) TORONTO, June 30.—Fresh northwesterly winds, local showers, in Cape Breton at first elsewhere, fair and moderately warm. The highest temperature recorded yesterday was 70 degrees above zero. At nine o'clock yesterday morning it registered 63 above; at nine last night 57 above. The coldest the previous night was 60 degrees above. The tide will be high this evening at 11.54 and tomorrow at 12; it will be high tomorrow morning at 10.36 and Sunday at 12.31. The sun sets this evening and tomorrow at 7.55; it rises tomorrow morning at 4.13 and Sunday at 4.14. The moon sets tonight at 8.28. Thursday, June 22nd at 9.16 a. m. There will be a new moon on Friday June 30th at 6.43 a. m. The length of today will be 15 hours and 42 minutes. Minard's Liniment cures Diphtheria.