CANADIAN DIVISION DEFEATED FOUR TIMES NUMBER IN FIGHT TO SAVE SITUATION AT YPRES

Left With in Air by Enforced Retirement of the French Force-Brigades Restored Line and Held Off the Enemy by Glorious Charges, Toronto Regiments Being Prominent.

(By Sir Max Aitken, Canadian Official

recent fighting in Flanders, in which ecision of military detail.

any point the performance would be remarkable. It is amazing to soldiers when the genesis and composition of the Canadian division are considered. It contained no doubt a sprinkling of South African veterans, but it consisted in the main of men who were admirable raw material, but who, at the outbreak of war, were neither disciplined nor trained as men count discipline and training in these days of scientific warfare. It was, it is true, commanded by a distinguished English general. Its staff was supplemented without being replaced by some brilliant British staff officers. But in its higher and regimental com-But in its higher and regimental com-mands were to be found lawyers, col-lege professors and business men, ready with cool self-confidence to do

The salient at Ypres, like all salients, was known to be a source of weak-ness to the force holding it. but the reasons which have led to its reten-

Held Line of Three Miles.
On April 22 the Canadian division held a line of roughly 5000 yards extending northwesterly from the Ypres-

The day was a peaceful one, warm and sunny, and except that the previous day had witnessed a further bombardment of Ypres, everything seemed quiet in front of the Canadian line. At 5 clothels in the state of the canadian line. line. At 5 o'clock in the afternoon plan carefully prepared was put into execution against our French allies on the left asphyxiating gas of great intensity was projected into their trenches, probably by means of force pumps and pipes laid out under the parapets. The result was that the French were com-

The effect of this forced withdrawal was extremely grave. The thir brigade of the Canadian division was without any left, or, in other words, its left was in the air. other words, its left was in the air. It became imperatively necessary greatly to extend the Canadian lines to the left rear. It was not, of course, practicable to move the first brigade from reserve at a moment's notice, and the line extended from 5000 to 9000 yards was not, naturally, the line that had been held by

Fought Four Times Number.
The story of the second battle of Ypres is the story of how the Canadian division, enormously outnumbered, for they had in front of them at least four divisions, supported by immense heavy artillery, with a gap still existing, the reduced in their lines, and with disposi-

Aged, Wrinkled Faces Easily Rejuvenated

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King's Congratulations On Dardanelles Exploit

Acting Vice-Admiral De Robeck and General Sir Ian Hamilton Complimented on Success of Joint Naval and Military Operations.

LONDON, May 1, 12.20 a.m.—King George has sent to Acting Vice-Admiral John Michael De Robeck, commander of the allied fleet at the Dardanelles, and to General Sir Ian Hamilton, commander in-cutef of

which, in the face of determined resistance, has attended the combined naval and military operations at the Dardanelles. Please convey to all ranks, including those of our allies, my hearty congratulations on this

Fought Day and Night.

tending northwesterly from the Ypres-Roslers railway to the Ypres-Poel-capelle road, and connecting at its terminus with the French troops. The division consisted of three infantry brigades in addition to the artillery brigades in addition to the artillery brigades. Of the infantry brigades the first was in reserve, the second was on the right, and the third established contact with the allies at the point indicated above.

The day was a peaceful one, warm and sunny, and except that the previous day had witnessed a further two wood and entrenched themselves there wood and entrenched themselves there in the position so dearly gained. They had the itsappointment of finding that the guns had been blown up by the enemy, and ater on in the same night, a most formidable concentration of artillery fire, sweeping the wood as a topical storm sweeps the leaves from a forest, made it impossible for them to the position. At 6 a.m. on Friday the left was becoming more and more involved, and a powerful German attempt to outflank it developed rapidly. The consideration of the wood and entrenched themselves there in the position so dearly gained. They have the guns had been blown up by the enemy, and ater on in the same night, a formidate of a function of artillery fire, sweeping the wood as a topical storm sweeps the leaves from a forest, made it impossible for them to the position. At 6 a.m. on Friday the left was becoming more and more involved, and a powerful German attempt to outflank it developed rapidly. The consideration of the wood as a topical storm sweeps the leaves from a forest, made it impossible for them to the position and the lisappointment of finding that the position so dearly gained. They had the lisappointment of finding that the guns had been blown up by the enemy, and ater on in the same night, a most formidate on the same night.

It was, therefore, decided to give relief It was, therefore, decided to give relief by a counter-attack upon the first line of German trenches now far advanced from those originally occupied by the French. This was carried out by the Ontario 1st and 4th Battalions of the first brigade, under Brig.-General Mer-cer, acting in combination with a British brigade.

Birchall Fell Rallying Men. said out under the parapets. The result was that the French were compelled to give ground for a considerable distance. The French did all that soldiers could do and the Canadian division, officers and men, look forward to many occasions in the future, when they will stand side by side with the brave armies of France.

Third Brigade Peril.

The effect of this forced withdrawal was extremely grave. The thir brigade of the Canadian fell dead at the head of his battalion.

Fought to Avenge Death.

With a hoarse cry of anger they sprang forward as if to avenge his death. The astonishing attack, pushed home in face of direct frontal fire, in broad daylight, was carried to the first line of German trenches. After a liand-to-hand struggle the last Germans who resisted was haveneted and the tranch was was bayoneted and the trench

extended from 3000 to 9000 yards was not, naturally, the line that had been held by the allies at five, o'clock, and a gap still existed on its left.

The new line, of which our recent point of contact with the French formed the apex, ran quite roughly to the south and west. As shown above, it became necessary for Brigadier-General Turner, commanding the Third Brigade, to throw back his left flank southward to protect his rear. In the confusion, the enemy, who had advanced rapidly, took four British 4.7 guns in a small wood to the west of the Village of St. Julien, two miles in the rear of the original French trenches.

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Late Capt. R. R. McKessock Was an Outstanding Public Figure in North.

WAS A KING'S COUNSEL

"I Never Expect to Come Out of This Alive," He Often Said.

serving in the battalion at the front, northern Ontario loses an outstanding public figure. Mr. McKessock was a well-known lawyer enjoying an extensive practice in the mining districts. Of late years he has been zerving ascrown attorney for the Sudbury district, and since graduation from Osgoode Hall, has practiced in Owen Sound and Gore Bay.

Hon. W. H. Hearst enjoyed a warm acquaintance with him and last even-

legal practice and going to the front with the first contingent."

A widow and one daughter remain such keen anxiety that Mrs. McKissock spoke of going to Montreal to endeavor to go to Europe as a nurse. Capt. McKissock was about 45 years of age. a King's Counsel, and has writ-

ten several letters narrating his ex-periences in the Sudbury papers. Friends who saw him on several oc-casions in Firms. casions in Europe remember his fatal-istic attitude towards his position. "I never expect to come out of this alive" he said more than once. He was a great friend of Lieut, Mado Macdonald, whose death was reported two days

LT. F. W. McDONALD AMONG THE MISSING

Son of Col. W. C. McDonald, Former Commander of Forty-Eighth Highlanders.

prior to his departure for the front was a clerk in the Standard Bank, at the corner of King and Jordan sts. He is a son of Col. W. C. McDonald, for-mer commander of the Highlanders.

PTE. WALTER H. DEAK HAS BEEN WOUNDED

A. F. Deak received a telegram from Ottawa yesterday stating that his brother, Pte. Walter H. Deak, was wounded. Pte. Deak is 20 years of age and his home is at 80 Hounslow Heath road. He was in the harware business with J. W. Davenport.

FITTINGLY DESCRIPTIVE OF HOTEL TECK.

After leaving the buffet yesterday gentleman quoted Oliver Goldsmith s follows:

Imagination fondly stoops to trace The parlor splendors of that festive place."

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RUSSIANS ON OFFENSIVE DEFEAT ENEMY AT STRY

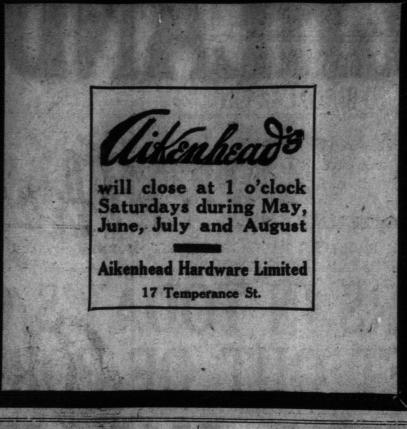
German Advance Guards Checked at Many Points in North Poland By Vigorous Muscovite Counter-Attacks Pushed Home.

Special Cable to The Toronto World.

PETROGRAD, April 30.—German advance guards and attacks in force on the Russians in north Poland were repulsed with vigor and bodies of the enemy which took the offensive were driven back to their old positions at several points.

After withstanding a series of stubborn Austrian attacks on Stry front, the Russians have begun an offensive and captured the advanced trenches, making 400 prisoners.

An Austrian attack north of the Uzsok Pass was defeated after the enemy had come to close quarters.



FINE PROGRESS

Allies, Despite Great Resistance, Have Gained Secure Foothold.

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the disembarkation of French and British forces proceeded.

Antipodeans Showed Dash.

"On the morning of the 27th, after repulsing a Turkish attack upon their left towards Cape Helles, the allied force advanced and at 8 p.m. was established in an entrenched line running from a point about 2 miles north of Cape Tekeh to a small plateau above De Tott's battery. From this line an advance has since been made to the neighborhood of Krithis.

"Manwhle the Australian and New Zealand troops at Sari Bair, who pushed on with the utmost boldness, after the landing on the 25th had been engaged almost constantly with the enemy, who made a strong repeated counter-attacks which invariably were repulsed. The Australian and New Zealand troops fought with a fine spirit of determination.

Repulsed Every Attack.

"On the morning of the 27th a fresh Turkish division was launched against Sari Bair, preceded by a heavy artillery fire. A not engagement followed. The enemy came on holdly time after time, but the Australian and New Zealand troops defeated their Poured Death on Massed

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Capt. H. A. C. Wallace, 106th, Winnipeg.

Capt. F. Pott, 21st, Medicine Hat. New Zealand troops deteated their every attempt and by 3 p.m. had resumed the offensive. The French troops at Kum Kaleh also were four times strongly counter-attacked on the 26th, but retained all their positions. Five hundred Turks, who, in the course

made prisoners.

"The operation of the landing army in the face of modern weapons, and in spite of wire entanglements, under sea as well as on the land, and of land mines and deep pits with spikes, at their bottoms, thus has been accomplished.

Armies' Losses Heavy.

"The admiral reports that the fleet is filled with intense admiration over the achievements of their mili-

sarily have been heavy. The casual-ties in the fleet were not numerous. They appear to have been confined to torpedo boat destroyers and to boats' crews engaged in landing operations, in which merchant captains and officers and crews of transports also have

"During the operations Turkish warships from Nagara (in the Straits), several times have attempted to intervene, but have always made off directly the Queen Elizabeth was at

transport of about 8000 tons was reported off Maidos and before she could escape the Queen Elizabeth opened fire. The third shot hit and destroyed her. She sank rapidly, but whether she contained troops or not could not be seen

"On the 28th and 29th the allied forces rested and improved and consolidated their positions and continued the disembarkation of stores and artillery. All counter-attacks by the enemy, which were incessant on the 28th, but weaker on the 29th, were "The fleet, as well as the supporting

army, have begun to engage the bat-teries. The Triumph bombarded Maidos, which was in flames last night, the 29th."

Turkey's Claims

CONSTANTINOPLE. April 30. via London.—The following Turkish offi-cial statement regarding the opera-tions at the Dardanelles was given "On April 28 the fire of our batter-

ies damaged the French armored cruiser Jeanne d'Arc, which left for Tenedos in flames. An English de-stroyer was sunk by our shell fire on

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hosts of friends.

He is a graduate of the School of Science and a Rhodes scholar. At the outbreak of war he was attending Oxford and immediately galned a commission and joined the 48th at Salisbury. Before that time he had been back and forth to France several times.

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"The British battleships Majestic and Triumph, which had been damaged, had to withdraw from the fighting line.

"For the last two days the enemy fleet has undertaken no operations fleet has undertaken against the narrows."

Prisoners of Turks

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 30, via London, 5.02 p.m.—Nineteen British prisoners, of whom four are officers, were brought here today from the

RUSSIANS DEFEATED

Took Klichgjaduk Pass at Bayonet Point After Terrific Fight.

Thousands.

Special Cable to The Torente World.

PETROGRAD, April 30.—On the Caucasus front activity is again increasing. In various regions the Russians are advancing in the direction of Oiti and have cleared the Kurds out of Alaschkert valley. The fight for the valley centred on the possession of Klichgladuk pass, and it would have been sufficient for the Turks if they could have held it securely for only a few days, which would be quite enough for them to complete a junction with their separated forces. The Russians took up strong positions and law low.

The Turks came on at first obviously for reconnaissance and were repulsed with ease without the Russians making any particular show of force.

Thousands Slain.

Then came the real attack and a few mountain guns were ventured forward to bombard. The Russian artillery continued to lie low and the Turksh attack developed with ill-grounded condence and swept boildly up to the line of the Russian wire entanglements. A few score of paces only separated the combatants when the Russian fire opened, guns, maxims and rifles pouring one withering storm upon the massedthousands. With unparalleled courage of fanaticism many thousands of Turks still came on with shouts of "Allah Akbar" and the Russians completed their terrible work with bayonet. The pass was secured by the Russians and Alaschkert valley was cleared.

TAYLOR, RUGBY STAR, REPORTED AS MISSING

Geoff Taylor, Sculler and Athlete, Was Attending Oxford When

War Broke Out.

A RHODES SCHOLAR Graduate of School of Science-Was Well Known Sports-

man.

Lieut. Geoff. P. Taylor, one of the ing. He is a Toronto boy, 25 years of age, and since 1907 has been one of the great strengths of the Argonau Rowing Club. The walls of the club house are odorned with tokens of his prowess with the oar, and in the sporting fraternity of Canada he has hosts of friends.

He is a graduate of the School o

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

(Continued From Page 1). Lieut. W. Ellis, slightly.
SEVENTH BATTALION.

Capt. R. V. Harvey, 88th, Viclieut. C. C. Holmes, 88th, Vic-Lieut. H. A. Bromley, 88th, Vic Lieut. N. A. Jessop, 88th, Vic ieut. R. P. Latta, 6th, Van-

Capt. J. W. Warden, 6th, Vanieut. G. H. Leslie, 6th, Vancouver.

Capt. T. V. Scudamore, 6th, Van-Lieut. J. C. Thorn, 11th, Van-

Major P. Bynghall. Capt. P. J. Locke. Lieut. E. D. Bellew, 14th, Van-Lieut. H. C. V. MacDowall, 88th

Lieut. R. F. Steeves.
EIGHTH BATTALION. Killed. Lieut. J. E. Reynolds, 90th, Win-

Major H. H. Matthews, 31st, Brit-Lieut. G. Durand, 90th, Winni peg. Lieut. G. M. Harris, 90th, Win-

TURKS IN CAUCASUS Lieut. F. Andrews, 90th, Winni-

Lieut. L. S. Dear, 96th, Port

Capt. F. Pott, 21st, Medicine Hat. SEVENTH BATTALION.

Dangerously Wounded. Pte. Robert Paton, Bervie, Scotlan-EIGHTH BATTALION.

Wounded.
Pte George Humphrey, (formerly
11th Battalion), No. 15 Trupert street Winnipeg.
Pte. Henry Sawyer, Wisconsin, U Capt George Kelsey W. Watson, No 482 Holly avenue, St. Paul, Minn.

TENTH BATTALION.

Pte Alex, Hayman, Balmoral Mills Maj. Wm. Wylie Nasmyth, No. 175 Jannette avenue, Windsor, Ont., at No. 14 general hospital, Boulegne, gunshot wound in chest. Serious. Sergt. Geo. Gibbs Revell, Wicklow, Ireland. Sergt Frank Mortimer, Melksham

Wilts, Eng.
Pte. George Cumming, Fauld House,
Linlithgowshire, Scotland.
Pte. Robert Shiels, Ballygown, County Down, Ireland.

Died of Wounds.
Pte. J. W. McLean, No. 32 Madison avenue, Belfast, Ireland.
Pte. John Alfred Davis, Victoria Hotel. Rickmansworth, Herts, Eng. THIRTEENTH BATTALION.

Report of death of Captain W. H. Clarke-Kennedy, now reported incor-

FOURTEENTH BATTALION.

FIFTEENTH BATTALION.

Wounded.
Lieut. Wm. Hamilton Shoenberger,
77 Charles street east, Toronto, at No.
7 Stationary Hospital, Boulogne.
Sergt. Wm. C. Fraser, 39½ Euclid
avenue, Toronto.
Ptc. Henry McNeil (formerly 17th
Battalion), April 22, postoffice 258
Westville, N.S.

SIXTEENTH BATTALION

Pte. J. H. Kane, 27 Abion street, Amherst, N.S.
Killed in Action.
Sergt. Thomas Stanley Hubbard, 1226 Twentieth avenue, East Van-

THIRD INFANTRY BRIGADE. Capt. Harold French McDenald, For: Qu'Appelle, Sask.

SECOND BRIGADE, C.F.A.

FIRST FIELD COMPANY CAN-

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POISONOUS GAS HAS HORRIBLE EFFEC

Private Sanderson of Winnipeg Passed Thru Experience in Recent Fighting.

MADE MEN COLLAPSE

n Battle Round Ypres, German Summoned Canadians to Surrender.

Canadian Associated Press Cable, LONDON, April 30.-A further large n England tonight, the most having uffered in fighting last Friday's big alion, gave the following incident:

were quite tickled. We invited h were quite tickled. We invited him to join us, but as he did not seem inclined to accept the invitation we shouted to him to go back. He turned around and we gave him the opportunity of returning safely to his comrades. Then the firing began."

Swallowed Gas.

Private Sanderson of the 9th Winnibeg said:

nipeg said:
"I was in the trenches when
poisonous gas rolled over us. It
at a time when the Germans Lieut. G. M. Harris, 90th, Winnipeg.

Lieut. W. DeC. O'Grady, Winnipeg.

Capt. G. W. Northwood.
Lieut. J. K. Bell, 90th, Winnipeg.

Lieut. F. Andrews, 90th, Winnipeg.

Lieut. W. A. MacKenzie, 90th, Winnipeg.

Lieut. H. E. L. Owen, 96th, Port Arthur.

Wounded.

FIRST BATTALION

Eng. Pte, William Guiney, Glasgow, Scot-Pte. Ernest Gates (formerly 9th Bat-Pte. Vecko Evanoff formerly 9th

Pte. D. Hill (formerly 9th Battalion). Pte. Lionel Exelby (formerly 9th Pte. Edward Jones
Pte. Edward Jones
Battalion), Perth. Eng.
Corp. Charles Alfred Waller, Chelenham Fac.

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Lance-Corp. Harvey H. Loveland,
London, Eng.
Ptc. Alexander Hawthorne, Glasgow, Scotland.
Ptc. Cecil Welch, Twitwell, Eng.
Ptc. Albert Smith, Liverpool, Eng.
Ptc. Robert Whitfield, Cowie, Scot-

Pte. Henry Fourace, Salford, Eng. Pte. Maurice Snook, North Cashan.

Pte. George David Allen, Liverpool, Pte. Witty Broumpton, Catwick, Pte. George Bell, Stillingfleet, Eng. SECOND BATTALION.

Pte. Hiram Delbert Cook, Spencer-Pile, Ont.
Ptc. Joseph Rochette (formerly 12th)
Battalion), St. Raymond, Que.
Pled of Wounds,
Ptc. Carlton F. Burnes (formerly
9th Battalion), South River, Ont.

SIXTEENTH BATTALION. Capt. George H. Ross, Winnipeg. Lieut. John G. Kenworthy, Gang Ranch, B. C.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF

NOTICE is hereby given that a Bylaw-was passed by the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the Village of Mimico on the 26th day of April, 1915, providing for the issue of debentures to the amount of \$17,200.00 for the purpose of paying for the erection of an addition to the Public School House in the Village of Mimico, and that such Bylaw was registered in the Registry Office for the Registry Division for the East and West Ridings of the County of York on the 29th day of April, 1915.

Any motion to quash or set aside the

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