

HAMILTON MEN OUT ON BIG SECURITY

Three of Four Charged With Manslaughter Released on Bail.

HOLD MEDICAL BOARD

Daily Sitings at Armories to Examine Men for Draft.

By a Staff Reporter.

Hamilton, Sept. 17.—Three of the four men over whom a charge of manslaughter is hanging, in connection with the mysterious death of Dr. Douglas G. MacRobbie, were released yesterday from Barton Street Jail.

McAuliffe and Harry Smith furnished bondsmen who were able to provide two sureties of \$500 for each man, in addition to personal bonds of \$500 each.

Dr. T. S. McGillivray and James Crawford for Harry Smith, while Scott was released on bonds provided by Thomas Binkley and Lindsay A. Wardell.

The four men go to trial at the fall sessions before Mr. Justice Latchford, on Nov. 12.

The Hamilton Council is going to face a large-scale overdraft at the end of the year, despite the fact that there has been a big increase in tax collections.

Compulsory service is getting nearer to Hamilton. Instructions were received today at the mobilization centre to proceed at once with medical examination.

Substantial increase in the taxable and actual value of land and buildings was noted in the announcement of the assessment commissioner today.

ADOPT CONSERVATION. Special to The Toronto World. Chatham, Sept. 17.—Women's organizations of local churches of the city, with whom the work of securing signed pledges in the food conservation movement was left, report that the citizens of Chatham gave willing consent to curtail the consumption of meat and wheat by using other foodstuffs.

CHARGED WITH THEFT. Special to The Toronto World. Chatham, Sept. 17.—Nelson Parker and William Currie, both colored, appeared in the police court today charged with stealing an automobile, the property of Ray King, on Sept. 15th. They were remanded for one week.

WAR SUMMARY THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED SIR DOUGLAS HAIG reports from the western front that the British artillery was active through yesterday in the Ypres sector.

The Germans report stronger artillery fire in Flanders. The improvement in the weather has probably been sufficient to dry the mud and evaporate the water in the shell holes.

The infantry raids serve the extremely useful purpose of destroying German dugouts and mortar emplacements. The British recently have been attending to important points in the Hindenburg line southeast of Lens.

Canadians Decorated For Bravery in Action

Canadian Associated Press Cable. London, Sept. 17.—The Distinguished Service Order has been awarded to the following Canadians for bravery on the field:

Capt. Charles Edward Connelly, cavalry, was awarded the order for commanding a raid on four lines of the enemy's defences. Heavy losses were inflicted upon the enemy, and many prisoners taken.

Major Fred Lister commanded a battalion for ten days in the trenches, during which time he took part in five successful attacks and resisted three vigorous counter-attacks.

Capt. Samuel James Mathewson had a bar added to his Military Cross for directing the advance of two companies with the utmost skill and courage.

Lieut. Evan Edward Price's decoration was won by crawling 2000 yards on five successive nights to the enemy's wire and successfully leading a first torpedo attack.

Lieut. Arthur Richard Batson, for daring personal reconnaissance over ground swept by open fire.

Lieut. Alfred Lucien Borge, machine gunner, was severely wounded in action and cleared the enemy away.

Lieut. Nells Victor Buchanan, artillery, who maintained a forward post under heavy fire, and who went out often to the front to see to the needs of his men.

Lieut. James Turner Downey, who was wounded immediately after leaving the trench, but continued to lead his platoon, setting a splendid example of pluck.

Lieut. George Patrick Dunlop, for superintending the discharge of mines under the most trying conditions, he severely wounded.

Lieut. Charles Griffin, for leading his platoon against the enemy's concrete emplacements, capturing sixteen prisoners and two machine guns.

Lieut. George Claude Johnston, Engineers, for magnificent and fearless resource in completing a jumping-off before Canadian front line.

Lieut. John Grant Knight, for capturing three concrete defences and fourteen prisoners, and for reorganizing his company and destroying the enemy's trench.

Lieut. Alfred Barr Lindsay, for digging out men buried by a heavy bombardment and for being the first to lead men into the enemy's trenches.

Capt. James Wilson McCashin, for effecting repairs to a light railway, which was interrupted by the enemy's fire.

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THREE BOYS ARRESTED ON CHARGE OF THEFT. Arrived From Hamilton in Stolen Car and Police Effected Smart Capture.

ST. THOMAS WOMEN IN CONSERVATION DRIVE. Hold Meeting at Which Food Controller is Asked to Fix Prices.

CAPT. M. PATTERSON IS ACCIDENTALLY KILLED. Hero of Somme Battle Meets Death in Railroad Fatality in England.

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