Men Who Have Been at Front to Be Honored in Canada

Anniversary of War Again to Be Gelebrated This Year in New Brunswick-Seamen's Fund Gets Good Start-165th Moving to Camp.

Wednesday June 28, Colonel A. H. H. Powell, who will command the Sixth Brigade at Valcara, composed of the 105th (P. E. I.) Battalion, the 106th Nova Scotia Rifles, 112th and the 140th battalions of New Brunswick, announced yesterday that

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 Sixth Brigade at Valcartier.

Captain Morgan is perhaps one of the August 4, 1915, and which it is project known officers in the province of the have adopted at meetings on the Sew Brunswick, returned from overseas on Friday last after almost two years and the colonial secretary, reads



LATEST OFFICIAL PHOTOGRAPH FROM: THE BRITISH WESTERN FRONT



German howitzer shell bursting behind the British lines on the western front.

RUSSIANS TAKE 200,000 PRISIONERS

Petrograd, June 27—(Official)—According to the latest report om Gen. Brussiloff's army the total prisoners and booty capture tween June 4 and 23 amounted to 4,031 officers, 194,941 soldier

Paris, June 27—The French press and public are intensely interested in the simultaneous forward movement by the Italians and the dussians, and the current expression is assuming a tone of elation

The Temps, in its summing up of the military situation, says:
"It is now the turn of the Germans to be harried ceaselessly with

Nine German divisions concentrated in the recent attack on Thiaumont, north of Verdun, have been definitely identified, according to a statement supplied from semi-official sources today. Between Avocourt on the extreme left of the French front at Verdun and St. Mihiel, on the extreme right, a total of 23 divisions, including six and a half Bavaria divisions, has been identified, the statement adds.

Rome, June 27, London, 6.43 p.m.—Following up their recent successes on the Trentino front, the Italians have driven back the Austrians still further, the war office announced today. The Italians have captured Posina and

The war office also announced the capture of Mounts Fiara, Taverie, itz, Kesserle and Cima Della Saette and the creats on the Calderia and

An Austrian acroplane, while bombarding Verona this morning, was at-acked and brought down by Italian aircraft in the Chiampo Valley. Another eroplane, attacking Padua, was driven off by anti-aircraft artillery.

Fighting in Canadian Area.

London, June 27—The official communication issued by the British war office this evening, says:

"Last night southeast of the Ypres salient a German attack was repulsed mear the Ypres-Menin Canal All along the front our patrols were very active, entering enemy trenches at numerous points and inflicting many casualties and capturing a few prisoners.

"Early this morning we successfully exploded two mines near Loos.

"In connection with one of these explosions, the Leinster regiment inflicted many during a successful raid.

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"Cortlandt Otty Wounded.

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MAJOR HERB, McLEAN RECOMMENDED SUCCESSFU HOOGE COUNTER-ATTACK

Mentioned in Despatches and Com mented by G. O. C., Says Soldier's Letter

Sergt. Major Roy Armstrong in Thick of Fighting From the Start and Missing Only After He was Wounded-Second Son of G. O. D. Otty Wounded---George L. Bartlett, of St. Andrews, Killed.

Wednesday June 28.

That the counter-attack of the Canadians at Hooge, by which they recaptured the positions taken a few days previously by the enemy, was made on the report sent to the divisional headquarters by Major Herb McLean, of the 6th Canadian Mounted Rifles, and a former resident of this city, is the statement made by a company quartermaster-sergeant of the Fourth C. M. R.'s in a recent letter to a friend in St. John.

That Major McLean's report was correct in every detail is borne out by the fact that the Canadians in the counter-attack were able to regain all the ground lost in the engagement which preceded it. It is also stated he was mentioned in despatches and won the praise of the general officer commanding.

According to the letter, Major McLean was not with the battalion when the fight began but was in the reserve trenches, but whenever it became but he

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That Sergt-Major Roy Armstrong, the son of J. B. Armstrong, of West St. John, also distinguished himself in the fight, but who is now reported missing, is the news also contained in the letter written to Mr. Armstrong, which Dear Sir,—Having been Roy's closest friend since coming to France I feel it my duty to notify you that he has been wounded. Probably before you receive this letter you will have heard of the big battle in which the Canadians have participated.

Our company, of which Roy was the sergeant-major, was in the heaviest part of the fighting and Roy went through the terrible bombardment unscathed. I cannot write too highly of his conduct during the battle and I must say that he set a wonderful example to his men by his magnificent conduct during what is called the Third Battle of Ypres.

ounded in the arm and was ordered back to the dressing station. He started back reluctantly and from that we have no trace of him. He may lave been taken to an hospital suknown to us as you can imagine the rush that existed getting the thousands of wounded to hospital. Again he may have fainted and fallen into the hands of the advancing Germans. If so he is safe as the enemy claims to have taken a large number of our wounded prisoners. If you hear from him I would like you to let me know.

ing the early part of the battle as he was on duty in the reserved through ighting became serious he made his way to the front line with all speed through a terrible shell and machine gun fire. He distinguished himself during the fight and the counter-attack was made based on the report made by him He has been mentioned in despatches and carned the thanks of the general officer commanding.

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