

Perforated With Wounds But Anxious To Continue Fighting

Russian soldier has two bullets extracted and wants to rush back to firing line.

Warsaw, via London, April 29.—There can be no doubt now that this war is going to be decided, not by a series of brilliant, showy victories in grand battles, but by a trial of stamina and power of endurance between the Allies and their Teutonic enemies.

Nowhere do the conditions of war demand of the allies so much patient endurance and indifference to great sufferings as on the eastern front, where the Russian army is laboring under most cruel disadvantages owing to scarcity of railways and almost total absence of good roads, while the Germans have in their rear the most perfect system of strategic railways in the world, built entirely for the purposes of an aggressive war against Russia.

Thanks to these wonderful railways, the Germans can concentrate large masses of troops at any given point on the frontier and make dashing raids into Poland many days before the Russians can bring up reinforcements from other parts of their long drawn out front.

That is why, whenever the Germans assume the offensive and make one of their characteristic "dashes" into Poland, the Russians find themselves temporarily in inferior strength. All they have to do under such circumstances is to stand up and unflinchingly receive punishment from the enemy until their reinforcements come up and with heavy interest repay the worn out enemy for the punishment he administered to their comrades.

Thus, at the end of each impetuous German offensive in Poland, Marshal von Hindenburg finds his army much weaker, as compared with the Russian army, than before it.

For this trial of endurance and stamina the Russian army is eminently suited, both collectively and individually. There is no other soldier in the world who can stand so much physical pain and privation as the Russian, and all observers, both Russian and foreign, who have watched him at the front are filled with admiration for his wonderful stamina and power of endurance.

In this connection one may recall a characteristic scene described in the Russian story of Moscow, by its correspondent at the front.

The scene took place at a field hospital. In front of a large tent a crowd of wounded soldiers, straight from the trenches, were waiting medical aid. A kindly Russian priest was handing round mugs of tea, which he poured from a large samovar. The soldiers drank their tea with frank expressions of enjoyment on their faces—all except one. He first silently brushed aside the proffered hand of the priest, and when the latter pressed upon him a mug of tea mumbled hoarsely:

"Can't. The tooth aches. Please, can I see the doctor?"

The priest could not refrain from reproaching the big fellow for troubling the doctor with a toothache.

"Why," he said, "fancy a strong, healthy fellow like you coming here, when the doctors are so busy with really important cases. Couldn't you wait?"

"It aches something awful," mumbled the soldier.

"Then, why didn't you come earlier, before the battle?"

"It didn't ache then. It started aching only when the bullet got in my mouth. It stuck there."

The soldier touched his cheek with his finger.

Only then did the priest realize how unjust he was in reproaching the soldier with malingering. He hurried for a surgeon, who hastily examined the soldier's mouth. The bullet could not be seen from the inside, but he could feel it through the cheek.

"Now hold tight, little brother," he said, arming himself with pincers, "and don't you move."

"Ready to obey, your honor," replied the soldier, quite briskly, forgetting the pain.

A most painful operation ensued. The surgeon made one pull, then another, and yet another, but all proved unsuccessful, and only the fourth pull brought out the bullet. With his mouth bleeding profusely, he asked the surgeon to let him have his bullet as a souvenir. Smiling and happy, he sat down to tea.

"Ah, it is good to drink hot tea now. I got quite cold. My back is wet and cold—all sticky."

"What is the matter with it?" inquired the priest.

"Oh, it must be a bullet—grazed my back," answered the soldier, quite differently.

The priest again called the surgeon. The soldier was quite upset to trouble "his honor" when he was so busy.

"A through wound," anxiously remarked the surgeon, after a quick examination.

"Well, there you are," quite cheerfully, retorted the soldier; "she went in and out. So why waste time over her? No harm done. If your honor would only bandage it, I shall be all right."

The surgeon had to bring down the whole weight of his authority to prevent him from scooting back to the trenches with a fresh "through" wound in his chest.

This sturdy, simple hearted soldier, so indifferent to pain and privation, is but a type of Russia's peasant warriors. Against an army of such warriors all the impetuous German onslaughts will break like sea waves against a granite rock.

FLIRTING GOOD EXPEDIENT FOR RECRUITING

Proving successful in England—News notes from the scenes of war.

London—Flirting can be made an effective recruiting expedient. At a recent recruiting rally a girl held up her hand and announced that she had sent five young men to the front. At the end of the meeting, she indicated the young man at her side and declared, "Here's the sixth!" This caused the speaker to say, "Flirting of that kind is the right sort of patriotism." And he advised the young girls of the audience to use their wiles in behalf of King and country.

Amsterdam—The German Emperor recently told a Spanish diplomat that he is distinctly opposed to German journalism's importation of the "chasing-after-interviews habit," says a Berlin dispatch which is going the rounds of the German press. The Emperor is quoted as saying to the diplomat, "an interviewed person, you know, is half done for!"

Venice—The shortage of doctors and surgeons in Austria is so alarming that the newspapers are urging medical men from nearby neutral countries to enter the Austrian service. At present, it is stated, there are only two doctors available for each thousand wounded men. Any neutral physician, the newspapers add, can get \$6 to \$7 a day, besides his food and lodging.

Christiania—In order to check the inroads which war has made on German trade in the Scandinavian countries, a large number of German commercial travelers have been granted a fortnight's leave from the army, and are now visiting old customers.

They were all sworn to secrecy regarding military matters before leaving Germany.

Petrograd—Lectures on the subject of agriculture is one of the diversions provided for wounded and ill soldiers in the American and English hospitals in Petrograd. Methods employed by agriculturists in Belgium, France and Switzerland where small tracts are intensively farmed, are explained through interpreters.

London—The Admiralty's proud record of conveying over a million troops across many seas without the loss of a life has been broken this week. Several Yorkshire Yeomanry men were lost on one of the ships recently torpedoed, which one is not stated.

WEDDINGS.

Williamson-Williams. On Wednesday evening Rev. A. J. Archibald officiated at an interesting ceremony, when Miss Margaret Williams, of Millford, was married to James P. Williams, son of Mrs. David Hargrave, of St. John West. The ceremony took place in the presence of a happy gathering of friends and relatives. The bride was becomingly attired in a blue travelling suit. Many beautiful remembrances expressed the good wishes of friends and relatives for the happy couple who will make their home in Carleton.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. W. R. Farmer. The death occurred, yesterday, of Mrs. Rachael Farmer, wife of William R. Farmer of No. 8 Wall street. She was the daughter of the late Thomas McAfee, at one time in a large way in business in Union street, and came to Canada from Ireland when a girl. Mrs. Farmer was a respected member of the congregation of St. Paul's church and had many friends here who will learn with sincere regret of her passing away. Seven sons survive: William R. Jr., of Mill, Maine; George F. and Edward B., both of Springfield, Mass.; Richard A., of West Newton, Mass.; Somerville, of Waltham, Mass.; Arthur, of the Ford Company, Halifax; and Harold C., of the Western Union Telegraph Company, St. John.

Mrs. E. F. Manimon. Hugh Campbell, of the North End, was given a sad surprise early yesterday morning when he received a telegram from his niece, Mrs. Dorothy Donahue, New Bedford, Mass., informing him that his sister, Mrs. E. F. Manimon, of Wareham, Mass., mother of Mrs. Donahue, had died on Wednesday. Mrs. Manimon had not been well lately, but no serious consequences were looked for. She is survived by her husband and the daughter mentioned. Mrs. Manimon had lived in the United States for many years. Her parents, Hugh and Mary Campbell, who came to St. John from Fermanagh, Ireland, had nine or ten children, and Hugh Campbell is the sole survivor of the large family. He left for Wareham last evening to attend the funeral.

Half Dollars FOR Boys and Girls

Who Can Color a Picture An Interesting Competition for Standard Readers

In the Saturday, May 1st, issue of The Standard, we will publish another sketch which we want every boy and girl under 14 years of age to try and color with water colors or chalks.

To the young artist who does it the best we will give a prize of half a dollar.

It's a simple competition, no hard rules, no entrance fees, just cut the picture out, paint or color it the way you think best, save six coupons the same as the one shown on this page each morning from The Standard, fill them up, pin them to the painting and send them all addressed to

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Mark your envelopes in the top left hand corner "Art Competition," then watch for your name appearing as the winner of the prize.

You must save the coupons from six consecutive issues of the paper. Start cutting these coupons now to be ready for next Saturday's picture.

STANDARD PAINTING COMPETITION

Full Name

Address

Age Last Birthday

April 30, 1915

FUNERALS.

Mrs. J. C. O'Connor, who died at her late residence, 8 Wall street, St. John, on Monday morning, was buried at Bangor, Maine, on Wednesday from St. Mary's church.

The funeral of Mrs. Susan Lockhart took place yesterday afternoon, from her late residence, 101 Acadia street. Services were conducted by Rev. M. E. Conron and Rev. Gordon Dickie. The interment was in Fernhill.

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Relief in five minutes from all stomach misery is waiting for you at any drug store.

These large fifty-cent cases contain enough "Pape's Diapepsin" to keep the entire family free from stomach disorders and indigestion for many months. It belongs in your home.

BRITAIN'S FIRE LOSSES IN MARCH WERE \$1,507,500

An estimate of the cost of the principal fire losses in the United Kingdom during March made by the London "Times" shows an amount of \$2,361,500, which compares with losses of \$2,361,000 in February and \$2,360,400 in March of last year. All three months were thus expensive for fire insurance companies.

The more important fires during the past month occurred at woolen mills at Morley, Yorks, on March 6, costing

£15,000; at cotton mills at Rochdale on the 10th, costing £22,000; at Philforth House, Edinburgh, on the 25th, costing £25,000; and at a Glasgow furniture warehouse on the 27th, costing £40,000. Only fires are taken into account in the estimate in which the damage amounted to £1,000 or more.

POLICE COURT.

Morris Howard, charged with wandering around and not giving a satisfactory account of himself, was further remanded.

James O'Dell, who has been remanded several times on a charge of wilfully destroying the property of John Kilfoil on Chapel street, was also remanded.

Two drunks pleaded guilty and were remanded.

The Unemployment Question.

Mayor Frink has received a letter from Deputy Minister of Labor, Acland, stating that Hon. Mr. Crothers will be pleased to meet the Mayors of the Canadian cities at their proposed meeting in Ottawa to consider the question of unemployment.

Mr. Crothers believes that the suggested course is the proper one to pursue under the circumstances, and offers to co-operate with the Mayors to the utmost of his ability to find work for the unemployed.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

COAL.—Coal mining rights may be leased for twenty-one years, renewable at an annual rental of \$1 an acre. Not more than 250 acres can be leased to one applicant. Royalty, five cents per ton. In unsurveyed territory the tract must be staked out by the applicant in person, and personal application to the Agent or sub-Agent of Dominion Lands for the district must in all cases be made, and the rental for the first year must be paid to the agent within thirty days after filing application.

QUARTZ.—A person eighteen years of age and over, having made a discovery may locate a claim 1,000 feet by 1,000 feet. At least \$100 must be expended on the claim each year, or paid to the Mining Recorder. When \$500 has been expended or paid and other requirements complied with, the claim may be purchased at \$1 an acre.

PLACING MINING CLAIMS are 500 feet long and from 1,000 to 2,000 feet wide. Entry fee, \$5. Not less than \$100 must be expended in development work each year.

DREDGING.—Two leases of five miles each of a river may be issued to one applicant for a term of 50 years. Rental, \$10 a mile per annum. Royalty, 2 1/2 per cent after the output exceeds \$10,000.

Deputy Minister of the Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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1 Vertical Duplex Steam Pump, 7 1/2 in. x 4 1/2 in. x 9 in.
1 Duplex Steam Pump, 6 in. x 5 1/2 in. x 6 in.
1 Air and Feed Pump, 5 1/2 in. x 5 in. x 3 in. x 7 in.
1 Feed Water Heater with 75 ft. x 1 1/2 in. copper coil.
J. FRED WILLIAMSON, Indian town, St. John

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The southwestern half of a lot of land situated, lying and being in the City of Saint John, known and distinguished on the plan of the said City as the lot numbered sixty-nine, fronting on Brunels street containing a front of twenty-five feet more or less, on the said street, and extends therefrom southwesterly one hundred and fifty feet more or less, as will appear by reference to the said plan.

For further particulars apply to the office of the undersigned solicitor, Robinson Building, City.

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1,200 square yards concrete driveways
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Tenders to include all grading and to be accompanied by a certified cheque for ten per cent. of the total amount of tender.

A copy of specifications and profile of streets may be seen at the Town Office.

Tenders should be addressed to the Town Clerk, Amherst, and will be received up to 5 p. m. May 10th, 1915.

Lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. F. DONKIN, Town Clerk.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTHWEST MINING REGULATIONS.

The sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must be a Canadian citizen, or a subject of the Dominion of Great Britain or Ireland, or a subject of the Dominion of the United States of America.

Duties.—Six months residence upon and cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$20 per acre.

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A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a purchased homestead in certain districts. Price \$20 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each of three years, cultivate 50 acres of land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. CORY, C. M. G. Deputy of the Minister of Interior, N. B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

St. John, N. B., April 24, 1915. The Annual Meeting of the shareholders of The St. John Real Estate Company, Limited, will be held in the office of the Company, Pugley's Building, corner Prince William and Princess streets, on Wednesday, the 12th day of May, 1915, at 4 p. m.

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