

# GERMANS SALUTE CANADIANS AS "COMRADES"

Standing Up in Opposite Trenches Wave White Flag  
And Hail Men From Dominion With Greeting  
"Comrades ..... Good Canadians"--Artillery  
Of Canadians Proves Superior to Enemy's  
While Our Airmen Drive Off  
German Aviators.

Ottawa, Dec. 6.—Events on the Canadian front last week are dealt with in the weekly report of the general representative to the Minister of Militia today. It reads as follows:

"During the week of November 26 to December 3, the general situation on the Canadian front underwent no material change, the weather being unsettled and variable. Frost and light snowfalls at the commencement of the period were followed by warmer weather and heavy rainstorms towards its close. The enemy displayed great activity in aerial reconnaissance throughout this period. On several occasions his aeroplanes have directed artillery fire against our positions until driven off by our fire and the fire of our anti-aircraft guns. The enemy has been busily employed repairing damage to his wire and trenches, caused by our bombardment of November 24. On numerous occasions his working parties have been interfered with or dispersed by the fire of our artillery and machine guns. Small parties of the enemy have exposed themselves with unusual frequency during this period, probably owing to the wet condition of their communicating trenches. Our snipers and machine gunners have taken full advantage of this situation.

## SALUTE CANADIANS AS COMRADES.

"On the morning of Nov. 29 a group of ten Germans stood up in the trenches, displaying a white flag and calling out 'comrades—good Canadians.' They did not attempt to come across and disappeared on being fired at.

"The latter half of the week was marked by increased activity on the part of the enemy's artillery, but our artillery maintained its superior weight of fire. On the afternoon of December 1 the enemy heavily bombarded sections of our front line trenches in retaliation for the bombardment of his positions by British forces on our right. Little material damage was done, and the necessary repairs were rapidly effected. Our heavy artillery responded with good effect against the enemy's batteries and front trenches. The Germans were seen leaving the trenches during our bombardment.

"Weather conditions have afforded an opportunity for increased activity by our patrols, suspected enemy listening posts have been visited and bombarded and much useful information brought in by patrols.

"A patrol of our 13th Battalion, Royal Highlanders, passed through unopposed gaps in the enemy's wire to within thirty feet of the German parapets, and after completing the reconnaissance, retired unobserved. Enemy patrols have been more active and a few encounters with our patrols have occurred.

"On one occasion our patrol under Lieut. H. Pym, of the Second Battalion, exchanged bombs with the enemy. At least one German was accounted for. Our patrol returned safely. On another occasion our patrol of three men discovered an enemy patrol of five near the German wires. By the light of flares sent up from the German trenches our patrol was enabled to disperse the enemy patrol with bombs.

"On the night of December 1-2, a German party was discovered in cutting our wire in front of a trench which had been heavily shelled during the previous afternoon. The enemy was driven off.

"On the same night the enemy's wire was cut in several places by our 16th Canadian Scottish Battalion and a patrol under Lieutenants H. MacLaurin and A. C. Morley, which advanced towards the enemy's lines. Three Germans were encountered. Heavy machine guns and rifle fire was opened from the enemy trenches and our patrol withdrew after wounding two of the German sentries.

"The health of our troops continues good.

"(Signed)

"AITKEN.

"General Representative, London."

FEEL FINE! TAKE  
"CASCARETS" FOR  
LIVER, BOWELS

Spend 10 cents! Don't stay  
bilious, sick, headachy,  
constipated.

Can't harm you! Best cathartic for men, women  
and children.

Enjoy life! Your system is filled  
with an accumulation of bile and  
poison which keeps you bilious, head-  
achy, dizzy, tongue coated, breath bad,  
and stomach sour—Why don't you get  
a 10-cent box of Cascarets at the drug  
store and feel better. Take Cascarets  
tonight and enjoy the most, gentlest  
liver and bowel cleansing you ever  
experienced. You'll wake up with a  
clear head, clean tongue, lively step,  
rosy skin and looking and feeling fit.  
Mothers can give a whole Cascaret  
to a sick, cross, bilious, feverish child  
any time—they are harmless—never  
gripe or sicken.

TWO N. B. DOCTORS ON  
SERVICE IN NEAR EAST

Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, Dec. 6.—Two New  
Brunswick doctors are in charge of  
one of the Canadian hospitals recently  
moved from the western front to the  
near east.

Dr. L. D. McIntosh of Rolland, and  
Dr. H. E. Lawson of Hartland, New  
Brunswick, have been in charge of  
the 31st casualty clearing hospital  
since they took up active work over-  
seas. Their hospital was located some-  
where in France until recently.

A few days ago Mr. J. B. Daggett,  
secretary for agriculture, received a  
letter from Dr. McIntosh, stating that  
he was then at Alexandria, Egypt,  
where he landed on October 30th, their  
hospital having been transferred from  
the western front.

DOMINION ALLIANCE  
FORMING PROHIBITION  
POLICY FOR PROVINCE

Annual meeting being held  
in Fredericton—Will pre-  
sent plan to government.

Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 6.—The annual  
meeting of the New Brunswick  
branch of the Dominion Alliance opened  
here this evening with between 100  
and 150 delegates in attendance. The  
sessions are being held at the Y. M.  
C. A. building and will continue all  
day tomorrow and possibly Wednes-  
day too, if sufficient business presents  
itself. One of the principal items on  
the programme is to formulate policy for  
bringing about prohibition in New  
Brunswick and presentation of plan to  
the provincial government at a con-  
ference to be held on Friday. Tonight  
a number of speakers took up provin-  
cial prohibition, and although report-  
ers were persona non grata it was an-  
nounced that all were very enthusias-  
tically in favor of the project of pro-  
vincial prohibition.

## CHARTERED.

Schooner, 360 tons, coal, Philadel-  
phia to St. John, N. B., private terms.

**DODD'S KIDNEY PILLS**  
FOR ALL KIDNEY DISEASES  
CURES RHEUMATISM  
BRIGHT'S DISEASE  
DIABETES BACKACHE  
MIGRAINE  
23 THE PHARMACY

## ROUMANIAN ENLISTS WITH THE 104TH

Hears his country had  
joined Allies and loses no  
time getting in line to  
have crack at the Huns.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Dec. 6.—News that Rou-  
mania was about to enter the war on  
the side of the Allies caused John Rup-  
tash, a native Rumanian who has  
been residing at Tracy Station, to en-  
list with the Canadian overseas forces,  
to go to the front and help his fellow  
countrymen defeat the Huns. Ruptash,  
who is only 22 years of age, arrived  
here today, passed examination of the  
medical officer of C. Company of the  
104th Battalion, Dr. W. H. Irvine, and  
will be sworn in this afternoon. He  
is a native of Marmora, Rumania,  
and has been living in Canada for  
three years, having been employed on  
railway construction work for the C.  
P. R. at Tracy Station.

Ruptash is the first Rumanian to  
enlist in Fredericton, if not in New  
Brunswick and this morning he said  
that he was more than pleased to hear  
his native country were favorable to  
the Allies.

Arrangements are now being made  
at the exhibition building for the ac-  
commodation of another company of  
infantry apparently of the 104th Bat-  
talion.

Be Bright, Well, Strong,  
Restore Youthful Looks!

Let your fight for better health be-  
gin now! Before you feel any warn-  
ing of physical collapse, cleanse, and  
strengthen and build up your system.  
The one remedy for that tired, droopy  
feeling is Dr. Hamilton's Pills, the  
acknowledged king of all tonic medi-  
cines. Thousands of men and women  
in the late years of life retain their  
youthful looks and feeling simply be-  
cause they regulate their system with  
this old reliable family remedy. Noth-  
ing so good for the bowels, stomach  
or kidneys. Cures headaches, pre-  
vents biliousness, stops aching pains in  
the back and limbs. Get a 25c. box of  
Dr. Hamilton's Pills today.

PREPARATIONS FOR THE  
RECRUITING MEETINGS

Meetings in South End to-  
night and Wednesday  
and in West End on  
Thursday.

At the meeting of the citizens' re-  
cruiting committee yesterday after-  
noon A. M. Belding reported that ar-  
rangements had been made for hold-  
ing recruiting meetings in the Tem-  
perance Hall, St. James street, for this  
evening and tomorrow evening at  
eight o'clock. There will be a meet-  
ing on the west side on Thursday  
evening. Captain L. P. D. Tilley re-  
ported that Colonel J. L. Bigger, direc-  
tor of supplies and transport, of the  
headquarters staff at Ottawa, and  
Lieut. Col. J. F. Macdonald, ordnance  
officer, had inspected the exhibition  
buildings and also the west side rooms  
with the view of determining the ac-  
commodation available. These officers  
will make a report of their inspection  
in due course.

## Evangelical Alliance.

The St. John Evangelical Alliance  
met yesterday morning, Rev. F. H.  
Wentworth presiding. The schedule of  
speakers for a week of prayer was ap-  
proved and a resolution on the remov-  
al of Rev. Wellington Camp from St.  
John was passed. It expressed the  
greatest appreciation of the work of  
Mr. Camp.

## PERSONAL.

Miss Amelia M. Green left on Sun-  
day night for a trip to Montreal and  
Boston.

## STRUCK WITH AXE DURING ARGUMENT

Pokiolek man arrested for  
assaulting neighbor in  
row over boundary mark.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, N. B., Dec. 6.—William  
Barnes, an elderly man, who resides  
at Pokiolek, was arrested near his home  
today, charged with assault and bat-  
tery by John Carlen, also of Pokiolek.  
The arrest was made by Sergt. Wil-  
liam Duncan of this city, who went to  
Pokiolek by automobile this morning,  
returning to the city with his prisoner  
this afternoon. The row between the  
two men occurred on Friday and re-  
sulted over a disagreement regarding  
the boundary line of Barnes' property.  
Barnes alleges that Carlen cut a cer-  
tain quantity of logs off his (Barnes')  
land, and both men engaged in a heated  
argument on Friday, the result being  
that Carlen was knocked down twice  
by an axe in the hands of Barnes.  
Carlen was not badly injured, how-  
ever, came to this city on Satur-  
day and swore out a warrant before  
Police Magistrate Limerick for the ar-  
rest of Barnes.

Sergt. Duncan went to Pokiolek this  
morning and arrested the defendant.  
It is said that Barnes, who is over  
sixty years of age, is an eccentric in  
dividual and claims to own the prop-  
erty he lives on near Pokiolek.

## NOW CHARGED WITH MURDER

Five additional indict-  
ments against German  
bomb fiends in United  
States.

New York, Dec. 6.—Five additional  
indictments were returned today  
against Robert Fay, Walter Scholz,  
Max Breitburg, Dr. Herbert Kinzler,  
Engelbert Bronckhorst, and Paul Das-  
che.

All were charged with conspiracy  
to murder, to commit assault with de-  
adly weapons and to destroy ships. The  
previous indictments against them  
merely charged them with destroying  
ships.

## LORE OF NEW BRUNSWICK FELT IN UNITED STATES

Immigration Superintend-  
ent Gilchrist has had en-  
quiries from prospective  
settlers.

James Gilchrist, superintendent of  
the provincial immigration department,  
states that several enquiries have re-  
cently been made by residents of the  
United States respecting settlement in  
New Brunswick. One person in Ne-  
braska who had heard of the possi-  
bilities for farming in the province,  
will locate at an early date, bringing  
with him valuable farming implements  
and machinery. Another from Mas-  
sachusetts has already bought a farm  
at South Bay, the old Jordan farm  
which had been practically abandoned,  
and will make use of it as a market  
garden. Another enquirer is F. A.  
Stock, of Westwood, Cincinnati, who  
wishes to purchase a farm in the pro-  
vince. Mr. Gilchrist states that the  
provinces of the near future, partly  
because of the increasingly high prices  
of farming land in that region.

## BROKE IN TWO.

Yarmouth Times: The hull of the  
steamer Navarra broke in two in the  
recent gale and then sank. It is now  
almost all out of sight.

## WHAT CAUSES COLDS?

This question is asked every day.  
A cold is really a fever, not always  
caused by the weather but often due to  
disordered blood or lack of important  
food-elements. In changing seasons  
fatigues are essential because they  
distribute heat by enriching the blood  
and so render the system better  
able to withstand the varying elements.  
This is the important reason why  
Scott's Emulsion should always be  
taken for colds, and it does more—  
builds strength to prevent sickness.  
Scott's Emulsion contains Nature's  
rare strength-building fats, so skillfully  
blended that the blood profits from  
every drop. It is free from harmful  
drugs. Sold at drug stores—always  
get the genuine.  
Scott & Bowne, Toronto, Ont.

## MAY REACH A SETTLEMENT IN WINNIPEG CASE

Winnipeg, Dec. 6.—There was again  
talk of a settlement at this morning's  
session of the law courts commission,  
and when the commission adjourned  
until Wednesday morning it was un-  
derstood that the lawyers interested  
should confer and endeavor to arrive  
at some arrangement by which the  
building may be completed without  
delay. J. H. Hough, counsel for C. H.  
Simpson, contractor for the building,  
renewed his offer to settle the main  
question in dispute by arbitration, and  
at the suggestion of Isaac Pitblado,  
crown counsel, will put the proposition  
in writing.

H. W. Whittle, counsel for the Na-  
tional Construction Company, sub-con-  
tractors under Simpson, stated his  
firm had received no money for the  
law courts work since last February,  
and were in considerable difficulty in  
meeting their payroll and satisfying  
creditors.

Maurice Kelly, son of Thomas Kelly,  
was recalled this morning. He declared  
some cheques of the firm and their  
law courts tender, which the crown  
wanted produced, were not to be found  
and had apparently been destroyed.

## STOP DANDRUFF! HAIR GETS THICK, WAVY, BEAUTIFUL

Girls! Draw a cloth  
through your hair and  
double its beauty.

Spend 25 cents! Dandruff  
vanishes and hairs stop  
coming out.

To be possessed of a head of heavy,  
beautiful hair; soft, lustrous, fluffy,  
wavy and free from dandruff is merely  
a matter of using a little Danderine.

It is easy and inexpensive to have  
nice, soft hair and lots of it. Just get  
a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Dan-  
derine now—all drug stores recom-  
mend it—apply a little as directed and  
within ten minutes there will be an  
appearance of abundance, freshness,  
softness and a incomparable gloss  
and lustre. And try as you will you  
cannot find a trace of dandruff or fall-  
ing hair; but your real surprise will  
be after about two weeks' use, when  
you will see new hair—fine and downy  
at first—yes—but really new hair—  
sprouting out all over your scalp—  
Danderine is, we believe, the only sure  
hair grower, destroyer of dandruff and  
cure for itchy scalp and it never fails  
to stop falling hair at once. If you  
draw a cloth through your hair—tak-  
ing one strand at a time. Your hair  
will be soft, glossy and beautiful  
in just a few moments—a delightful  
surprise awaits everyone who tries  
this.

## TAKING MAIL OVER FROZEN TRAIL FOR STEFFANSON PARTY

Dawson, Y. T., Dec. 6.—With the  
freezing of the Yukon river, the win-  
ter highway to the railroad terminus  
at White Horse was opened today,  
three horses drawn stages moving  
each way.

The annual Northwest Mounted Po-  
lice expedition, carrying mail for the  
Steffansson explorers, whalers and  
traders, will leave here shortly after  
Christmas.

At Fort McPherson, the expedition  
will meet another party of men bring-  
ing the mail from Herschel Island and  
other points on the Arctic. Letters  
from Steffansson and his men are ex-  
pected to be in this mail.

Y. M. C. A. Work for Soldiers.  
The Y. M. C. A. of this city is car-  
rying on good work outside of the  
regular schedule at its own building.  
On Wednesday evening of this week  
the formal opening of the Y. M. C. A.  
will take place at the armories at 8.30  
o'clock. The Mayor will be present  
and will probably preside. Lieut. Col.  
J. A. Danvers and his staff of offi-  
cers will be in attendance. It is ex-  
pected that the chaplain of the bat-  
talion will be on hand.

A programme of singing, music and  
general entertainment will be carried  
out and at the close the Ladies' Aux-  
iliary of the Y. M. C. A. will serve re-  
freshments to the boys. The pro-  
gramme will likely consist of some lo-  
cal talent and some from the battalion,  
and should be a good drawing card for  
the whole regiment.

A request is sent out to any person  
who might wish to give papers, maga-  
zines or books, particularly printed in  
French.

## Italians Gain More Ground by Brilliant Charges of Infantry

Rome, via London, Dec. 6.—The of-  
ficial communication issued by the  
war office today says:

"There have been artillery actions  
along the whole front, despite the un-  
favorable atmospheric conditions. Our  
artillery has destroyed enemy shelters  
in the Volais zone of Carnia and dis-  
persed a detachment of troops in the  
Seebach Valley.

"Enemy artillery bombarded Paul-

aro, on the Upper Chaviso, and Mon-  
falcone, causing some damage. En-  
emy detachments, which were favored  
by the mist, attempted to break into  
our lines at various points, but were  
everywhere repulsed and in Globus  
zone of the Middle Isone were coun-  
ter-attacked and put to flight.

"Short but dashing advances by our  
infantry have given us some advan-  
tage in the Carso region.

With this regulation there will of  
necessity continue to be uncertainty.

## Whitlock Given Demonstration in Toledo, Ohio

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 6.—Brand Whit-  
lock, American minister to Belgium,  
arrived here at three o'clock this af-  
ternoon and was greeted by the entire  
city, which had made the day a holi-  
day for the returning former mayor.  
He declined to reply to questions rela-  
tive to conditions in Belgium and the  
reason for his return. He stated, how-  
ever, that he will sail from New York  
on December 28 and go direct to Brus-  
sels.

## UNCERTAINTY REGARDING POSTAGE ON PARCELS FOR SOLDIERS ACROSS OCEAN

People sending parcels to soldiers in  
Europe during the past few weeks  
have been up against it good and hard  
in the matter of affixing the proper  
amount of postage.

Regulations issued by the Post  
Office Department at Ottawa were sup-  
posed to have made the situation per-  
fectly clear, but there have been a  
great many varied interpretations of  
the orders and no one seems to do ex-  
actly the right thing.

First of all, Ottawa announces that  
all parcels to soldiers in England shall  
carry the amount of postage called for  
by the English rates, but that if the  
soldiers are in France there shall be  
added the amount necessary to bring  
the total amount to the figure required  
under the French regulations. So far,  
so good. But it is a fact that despite  
orders to issue a great many parcels  
have been mailed to men who are  
known to be in France with only the  
English postage rates affixed and that  
despite the regulations these parcels  
have gone forward safely and without  
delay. On the other hand cases are  
known of parcels similarly mailed,  
which are said to have been held up  
in England, or at any rate they have  
not reached the persons for whom they  
were intended, the only explanation  
being that they did not carry suffi-  
cient stamps.

Again, in the St. John post office, at  
any rate, there appears to be no very  
decided manner of charging postage.  
For instance, within the past few days  
parcels addressed to men in the 26th  
Regiment who have been in France for  
months have been accepted at the Eng-  
lish rate of postage, while the French  
rate has been demanded and indeed  
the package refused unless this was  
paid on parcels addressed to members  
of the 52nd Regiment who only reached  
England yesterday.

The explanation, ridiculous as it may  
seem, given in these cases, was that  
the 52nd might be in France before  
these parcels got to the other side.

A recent regulation from Ottawa is  
supposed to make this whole matter  
clear, but until there is some definite  
arrangement by which the local stamp  
sellers can be persuaded to comply  
with the regulations.

## Many Women Suffer FROM EXCRUCIATING PAINS IN THE BACK.

Do you ever feel that you must have  
some rest for that lame and aching back?  
Do you ever feel that those shooting,  
stabbing, darting pains must be gotten  
rid of before you can get into condition,  
whereby you can attend to your house-  
hold duties without a pain or an ache?

When the back begins to ache it is a  
sure sign that there is something radically  
wrong with the kidneys.

What you want is a kidney medicine,  
and a medicine for the kidneys only.

Doan's Kidney Pills know nothing but  
kidney disorders, because they are man-  
ufactured solely for the purpose of re-  
lieving and curing the kidneys.  
Mrs. L. Melanson, Plympton, N.S.,  
writes: "I am sending you this testi-  
mony, telling you what a wonderful  
cure Doan's Kidney Pills made for me.  
For years I had suffered so with my  
kidneys I could hardly do my housework.  
I used several kinds of pills, but none  
of them seemed to be doing me any  
good. At last I was advised to try a  
box of Doan's Kidney Pills. When I  
had taken the first box I found relief.  
I have used five boxes, and to-day I  
feel like a new woman. I cannot recom-  
mend them too highly."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50c per box,  
3 boxes for \$1.25; at all dealers, or mailed  
direct on receipt of price by The T. Mil-  
burn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.  
When ordering direct specify "Doan's."

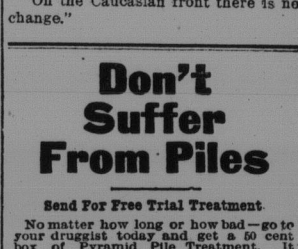
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## Don't Suffer From Piles

Send For Free Trial Treatment  
No matter how long or how bad—go to  
your druggist today and get a 10-cent  
box of Pyramid Pile Treatment. It



The Pyramid Smile From a Single Trial.  
Will give relief, and a single box often  
cures. A trial package mailed free in plain  
wrapper if you send us coupon below.

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Street .....  
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Sage Tea and Sulphur  
Turns Gray, Faded Hair  
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Almost everyone knows that Sage  
Tea and Sulphur, properly compound-  
ed, brings back the natural color and  
lustre to the hair when faded, streaked  
or gray; also ends dandruff, itching  
scalp and stops falling hair. Years ago  
the only way to get this mixture was  
to make it at home, which is messy  
and troublesome.

Nowadays we simply ask at any  
drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sul-  
phur Compound." You will get a large  
bottle for about 50 cents. Everybody  
uses this old, famous recipe, because  
no one can possibly tell that you dark-  
ened your hair, as it does it so natu-  
rally and evenly. You dampen a sponge  
or soft brush with it and draw this  
through your hair, taking one small  
strand at a time; by morning the gray  
hair disappears, and after another ap-  
plication or two, your hair becomes  
beautifully dark, thick and glossy and  
you look years younger.

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