

HAMILTON NEWS

SOLDIERS' ABSENCE INJURED RECRUITING

Authorities Say Appearance of Men in Streets Stimulated Campaign.

WILL NOT BE STRIKE

Employers Agree to Demands of Molders and Core-Makers.

HAMILTON, Ont., Tuesday, Sept. 5.—Recruiting has slackened in Hamilton because comparatively few soldiers are stationed here now, according to the military authorities, who argue in support of their belief that when the three battalions, 120th City of Hamilton, 173rd Canadian Highlanders, and the 265th Trenchers' units were organized here the public was never permitted to forget that the Canadian front-line units were the only unit stationed here, and the streets have lost their martial aspect of last winter. It is not yet known what troops will be located here during the winter, but if any are quartered here it will likely be outside units, as orders to recruit for their local battalions are not expected.

As a result of the recruiting campaign conducted by the Hamilton Mounted Rifles in this district fifteen recruits have already been attested. The recruiting staff expect to have a large number of recruits before the week closes. Many local officers who leave soon for overseas are paying last visits to their relatives and friends.

Strike is Off. It is not likely that there will be a walk-out of the molders and coremakers this morning, as it is stated that the employers have agreed to the demand for 25 cents a day increase in wages.

Word was received yesterday by the Hamilton Yacht Club from Hon. J. D. Hazen, minister of marine and fisheries, that the club will not be permitted to build on the old site at the Burlington piers, and the officials are at a loss to obtain a location. No other club, however, will be raised to the clubhouse being built on the water lots. But this will not likely be done, as the cost to fill in would be about \$10,000.

Labor Day Demonstrations. The annual Labor Day demonstrations were held in Victoria, Dundurn and Harcourt parks yesterday, and thousands of them were in attendance. The parade in Victoria in the morning to these parks. Interest, however, was not so keen as in the parade from the Herald office to the five-mile post on the Beach road and return. These men competed with W. Jamieson first, 56.21; Thomas Ellis 1 min. 40 seconds behind the winner, and H. Winfield third.

The soft ball tourney for union men was won by the postmen. The city soft ball tourney, championship went to the St. Thomas team, and the city tug-of-war contest by default to the St. Lawrence team, which captured the ally shield. During the afternoon a splendid program of sports was held. E. Cross of Toronto was a prominent winner, taking the 100 and 300-yard races.

M. J. CULLEN OF NEWARK AND WIFE IN TORONTO

He is Known Personally by Practically Every Theatrical Traveling Agent.

M. J. Cullen of Newark, N.J., a well-known figure in theatrical circles, accompanied by Mrs. Cullen, is visiting in Toronto, the guest of R. C. Newman, provincial inspector of theatres, and Mrs. Newman. Mr. and Mrs. Cullen are here to attend the Exhibition. Mr. Cullen has served in almost every capacity in the theatrical business and is at present superintendent of the largest hall-posting plant in America, with headquarters in Newark. During his many years' connection with theatrical work, he has been personally by practically every theatrical traveling manager.

STRUCK BY MOTOR CAR.

Seven-year-old A. Bain, 54 First avenue, was knocked down at the corner of Gerrard street and Greenwood avenue yesterday afternoon by a motor car driven by Charles Tweedie of Smithfield, Ont. Dr. Downey, 1225 East Gerrard street, was called, and found the boy suffering from a lacerated scalp. The injured boy was taken to his home.

WAR SUMMARY

THE DAY'S EVENTS REVIEWED

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fighting, showing that the Brusiloff drag-net is still in good working order.

Bulgarian and German forces invading eastern Roumania are reported heavily engaged along the Roumanian frontier between the Danube and the Black Sea. Bucharest announces that the enemy has been repulsed at Basardjik. In the southeastern portion of the Dobrudja. Confidence is felt that the Roumanians will be able to hold their own until the arrival of Russian aid, which cannot be long delayed, as Slav forces crossed the border from Bessarabia into the Dobrudja promptly upon Roumania's declaration of war.

All goes well in eastern Transylvania, where Roumanians have occupied the important Towns of Borsack and Sekell without serious opposition.

With the object of harassing the Austrians and interfering with their disposition of forces on the Vozuya, southern Albania, the Italians, a successful raid. Territorials and bersaglieri, acting in co-operation, Gradist and Monte Trubas. Having gounded the enemy into making costly counter-attacks, they fell back in good order.

Reports of a general Bulgarian retirement from Greek territory seem to have been rather premature. Fresh Bulgarian attacks upon the Serbians in the Lake Ostrovo region have been repulsed.

Dar-es-Salaam, on the Indian Ocean, chief seaport of German East Africa, has been occupied by British naval and land forces. With the Smuts virtually put a seal of possession on the colony, and all that remains is to gather in a few of the loose ends. The main German forces are continuing their flight south of Mrogoro and are now about 100 miles west of Dar-es-Salaam.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

One-Thirty a.m. List

INFANTRY.

Killed in action—541015, Pioneer Clarence J. Booth, 822 Ossington avenue, Toronto; 152771, Robert Patterson, Palmer, Mass.; 135602, Reginald Wild, 505 Indian Grove, Toronto; 152943, Frank B. Wilson, 120 Mowbray street, Toronto; 3110, Frederick G. Wild, 505 Indian Grove, Toronto; 428226, Eugene Gauthier, Calgary. Died of wounds—135527, Norman C. Knight, 419 Manning avenue, Toronto. Died—660615, A. Provencal, Montreal. Previously reported missing, now reported killed—72423, Neil L. Morton, Parkside, Sask. Seriously ill—77522, Leslie Jergensen, Hamilton; 49215, Frank McCraney, Oakville, Ont. Wounded—Major Wm. N. Ashplant, London, Ont.; 401201, Ernest Buckle, Sedan, Kansas; 441374, Paul Jaroslan, Haily, N.Y.; 100770, Thomas J. Jefferson Kesterson, Edmonton; 408043, Alfred W. Morris, Oklawaha, Ont.; 101181, John Berry, Courland, Ont.; 47922, Ed. dele Blais, Grandin, Alb.; 474203, Albert B. Burton, Fortes made into a pump; 501105, John Gasne, Gaspe, Que.; Lt. Allan Gray, Burford, Ont.; 477472, Wm. A. Johnston, 318 Queen, Toronto. L. (Gover on duty), 49 Madison avenue, Toronto; Lt. Mortimer A. Meeson (on duty), 22 Sherbourne street, Toronto; 100994, Beton S. Read, Sackville, N.B.; 100994, Beton S. Read, Sackville, N.B.; 704056, Lance-Corp. Cyril Ballie, St. Marie, Que.

ARTILLERY.

Wounded—Lieut. Elliott D. S. Thompson (on duty), South Hamilton, Ont.

INFANTRY.

Died of wounds—72200, Wm. S. McGill, Carman, Man.; 219153, Severo Burton, Ottawa.

ENGINEERS.

Wounded—52775, Sapper Wm. Forrest, South Vancouver; 170212, Sapper Frank G. Hachev, Halifax; 504840, Lance-Corp. Chas. W. Sanders, Victoria, B.C.

MOUNTED RIFLES.

Unofficially reported prisoner of war—40821, George H. Fields, Hamilton, Ont.; 70029, Amos Murdock, Calgary.

ALBERTA'S OIL FIELD.

Further News of the New Well Near the City of Peace River.

The Edmonton Bulletin of Monday, August 28th to hand contains further particulars of the new oil well near the Town of Peace River, in Alberta, as follows: Under-ripping to enable the casing to be extended down to cut off the flow of salt water, which is entering the hole and spoiling the oil, is being done by considerable force, has stopped further drilling operations temporarily at the J. D. Arthur well, 12 miles north of the Town of Peace River, but in case further drilling is required the well will be filled up to the point where the salt water enters, and a pumping proposition. It is estimated by those in charge of the drilling, who are experienced California oil men, that the well as a producer would yield 3 barrels per day at the present time, which is a great many in the California and Oklahoma fields are yielding at present.

The first test of oil was struck on July 28, and drilling was immediately suspended, as there was no means at hand for casing the well, and the head driller left for Edmonton to secure apparatus for controlling the flow. After drilling was stopped the well was capped until it began running over the top. The oil is very dark and of good body and resembles the heavy black crude oil of the California fields. Samples of the oil have been sent away for analysis owing to the lack of facilities in Peace River at the present time, and the results are being anxiously awaited. A small sample of this oil was received at the World office last night and certainly shows a splendid specimen, as set out in the above quotation.

M. C. R. TRAINMASTER IS MADE SUPERINTENDENT

ST. THOMAS, Ont., Sept. 4.—James Balkwill, trainmaster of the Michigan Central Railroad here, has been appointed superintendent at St. Thomas. Mr. Balkwill is a St. Thomas man and the first Canadian to hold this position since the road was opened more than thirty years ago. Superintendent J. L. McKee of St. Thomas goes to Detroit as superintendent of terminals. Henry Shearer of Detroit has been appointed general superintendent of the road. W. C. Keefe, assistant general superintendent, and S. W. Brown assistant general manager. General Superintendent Henry Shearer's promotion has been rapid, as about five years ago he was superintendent of the Canadian division, with headquarters in St. Thomas.

TWO GIANT FRENCH ENGINES OF DESTRUCTION



French torpedoes that have been found in the western theatre of the war. In an intact condition the smaller of the two projectiles is 248 cm. high and the larger one 432 cm. The diameter 38 and 52 cm. respectively. In the interior of the torpedoes a man can easily hide.

BIDS SOLDIERS AT BORDEN GOOD-BY

Duke of Connaught Inspects Men and Big Training Camp.

ADDRESSES OFFICERS

Tells Them He Noticed Great Improvement in All Ranks of Forces.

By a Staff Reporter. CAMP BORDEN, Ont., Sept. 4.—There was no ceremonial parade over the view of any kind when His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught, accompanied by the duchess and Princess Patricia, visited Camp Borden today. It was the farewell of the Duke to the 14th (Grey County) Battalion, which he inspected during a speech he made this afternoon to the officers, and expressed his pleasure at the improvement in all ranks of the forces.

The Duke of Connaught, who is on his way to the west coast of the Indian, was being attended by the Army Medical Corps dressing station. The duke spoke to the men and told him he was a chief of the Six Nations Indians, and also was probably a chief before the Indian was born.

Trench Operations. After seeing the trench operations, his royal highness inspected the trench school, witnessing soldier throwing grenades from trenches, and also a trench mortar in action. At the beyond fighting and physical training school a fine exhibition was given by the men of the 14th (Grey County) Battalion.

The duke was keenly interested in all these departments of training, especially the physical drill. The 14th (Buff) Battalion of Toronto, marched past the duke at noon. Before reaching the visit to the hospital and the dental clinic.

The afternoon was spent in an inspection of the trench school, where thousands of soldiers were practicing at the rifle ranges at the time. Machine guns and trench mortars were also used, with an interesting feature. The duke's final inspection was the great manoeuvres arena to the west of the camp. The weather during the visit was exceptionally fine. The royal party left for Toronto on the 1.05 train.

BITTER CONFLICT RAGED AT GINCHY

With Guillemont Lost, Germans Fought Fiercely to Regain Ginchy Positions.

BRITISH ELATION KEEN

Artillery and Infantry Co-Operated Splendidly and Achieved Glorious Results.

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yesterday, from Ginchy south to the Somme, where the crux of the action was. It was reported that the last word in scientific concentrated majesty and the horror of modern warfare was represented.

Probably the British took about 1000 prisoners, who reached the collecting stations alive thru the successive curving of the German front. At the moment in the Guillemont sector were killed by shellfire. The wounded who sought shelter in shell craters were killed by the German counter-attack under cover of their artillery. At Mont-quiet farm the Australians had to yield part of the ground gained, with the Germans live accounts in possession of the farm itself.

One of the most formidable German counter-attacks struck southward, trying to catch the British who had entered Ginchy in the flank. Guillemont lost, Ginchy became all the more vital to the Germans. The Germans brought up reinforcements, so did the British. Amidst these ruins, with the guns of neither side daring to fire because of fear of hitting their own men, the British were able to hold their position. They could be used and bombers worked from the cover of any remaining trenches, shell craters and piles of mangled brick and mortar.

Artillery scouting for information, who looked down on the scene, saw it as a mad football scrimmage of struggling figures.

The British still are holding fast to the sunken road beyond Guillemont, and, in a pelting rain this morning, fighting continues around the wedge of wood where a section of the Prussian Guard still holds out.

Without cessation German guns have kept up a terrific volume of shell-fire on Guillemont.

The army heads are gratified because south of Ginchy to the Somme, despite immense German preparation, the attack has been the most complete success of any since the offensive began, except that of July 14. The British broke the German second line.

BEGIN MACHINE GUN COURSE AT BORDEN

Fifty Officers and N. C. O.'s to Start Training at Camp.

MANY PROMOTIONS

Large Number of Appointments Were Announced Yesterday.

By a Staff Reporter. CAMP BORDEN, Ont., Sept. 4.—Announcement is made today of a course in machine gun training to open here tomorrow. It will be attended by 24 officers and 26 N.C.O.'s, representing 34 battalions and the Canadian Officers' Training Corps.

Promotions were announced as follows: To be major, Capt. A. H. A. C. Arbuthnot of 145th Toronto Battalion. To be captains, Lieut. F. Y. McEachern, 18th Buffs Battalion; Lieut. George W. Keith and Lieut. William A. McMaster, both of 20th Beaver Battalion; Lieut. W. N. Knowles, M. Frost and A. H. Potter, all of 157th Simcoe Battalion; Lieut. R. D. Hunt and A. M. Clegg, both of 173rd Hamilton Highlanders.

Appointed to depot regiment, C.M.R.—Lieuts. E. P. Clarkson, F. E. Williams, R. F. Niblett, J. Idington. Appointed to 157th Simcoe Battalion—J. A. McGibbon, C. G. Frost, W. D. C. Christie.

Appointed to 27th Battalion—Pte. G. W. Gattachee, gun training to be appointed to 17th Simcoe Battalion—Lieuts. F. A. Wood, E. E. Stewart, C. O. Wilson, T. E. Hawkins, C. E. Stocking, C. R. A. Gladman, C. S. Mitchell.

These officers of the C.A.D.C. are detailed for duty with the dental service of this district: Lieut. T. S. Tucker, A. Kennedy, J. Teetzel, H. L. Smith, R. B. Walker, B. B. Beaton. Lieut. C. S. Spiers has been transferred from 17th York Battalion, and reported to 20th York Battalion as supernumerary lieutenant.

CIVIC CARS BUSY

Owing to the enormous traffic on the St. Clair car line yesterday several extra cars were requisitioned to accommodate the holiday crowds.

BRITISH UNIONS GIVE CANADIANS WELCOME

Congress Opens at Birmingham War Taxes Are Cheerfully Borne.

BIRMINGHAM, Eng., Sept. 4.—Opening the trades union congress here today the president, Harry Gosling, said that in order to prove internationalism was not dead the congress was welcoming fraternal delegates from Canada, the United States, France and Belgium. Many things were in the melting pot at the present time of anxiety, he continued, and in the emergency thousands of trade unionists had given their lives willingly because they deemed the sacrifice essential for the purpose of national defence.

Referring to the fact that the unions were urging establishment of a ministry of labor and the increase of old age pensions to ten shillings weekly, he said, the people had submitted every form of taxation for war requirements.

"To what would they not submit for peace requirements?" he asked.

VISITING TORONTO.

Pte. Walter L. Ruddy, late of the Robert Simpson mail order department, and now training in the "Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry," Montreal, is visiting his wife and children, 269 Westmoreland avenue.

which are the admiration of all the world. In the present government Dr. Muller is minister of foreign affairs, a post which he also occupied during the previous administration. He is much interested in agriculture, and is president of the Brazil Agricultural Society. He comes to Toronto especially to see what can be learned in that regard by a visit to the Exhibition. He is accompanied by his son.

Now Visiting in Toronto



Dr. Lauro Severiano Muller, minister of foreign affairs for Brazil. He is 33 years old and has occupied almost all the important places in the government of his country. He took an active part in the establishment of the republic and represented his state, Santa Catharina, in the national assembly, which organized the constitution of the republic. Afterwards he became successively a federal deputy governor of his state and minister of railways and public works of Brazil. In this latter post he instituted and carried out many important public works, among which may be noted the splendid docks of Rio de Janeiro, and the opening of the magnificent avenue across to name.

Is it a Submarine?

New Waterfront Features

CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION

TODAY "Connaught Day"

Toronto's Grand Farewell to their Royal Highnesses, the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia before their Departure for Overseas.

Special programme of unusual splendor, including greatest musical tattoo ever attempted in Canada

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