Arrives in Toronto Today to Attend Military Dinner Tonight.

RECRUITING IS LIVELY

"Pals" Battalion Registers Addition of One Hundred and Sixty-Seven.

Major-General Sir Sam Hughes, minter of militia, will be in Toronto today, arriving this morning from Ottawa. It is not unlikely that he will announce what extent Toronto will contribute in supplying the 288,000 additional troops which Premier Borden has just called Tonight Sir Sam will attend a et at the King Edward, at which General W. A. Logie, O.C., of this divi-sion, and other Toronto officers will be

Overseas enlistments in Toronto yes-Overseas enlistments in Toronto yesterday justified prophecies that the new year would see more men come forward, a total of 384 men offering themselves in the one day. Of these 246 were found physically fit and then sworn in.

The way recruits came forward for the 124th "Pais" Battalion was very satisfactory, in fact twice during the day the 124th orderly room had to close down, as the men were coming faster than they could be handled. Lt. Col. Vaux Chadwick's "Pais" Battalion received 167 recruits yesterday, it bringing the strength of his regiment up to 672 men.

At a meeting of the Queen's Own Rifles' officers, held last night at the armories, the list of officers for the Q. O.R. Overseas Battalion was gone over. It was decided to proceed immediately with the active organization of the overseas regiment.

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The artillery depot at the new armorles requires men for the new ammunition
column. Only those who are good horsemen are wanted. Men with previous
military experience are preferred. Apply
to Lieut. George C. Fellowes, recruiting
officer for 9th Battery, C.F.A.

The 109th Regiment paraded 620 strong
lest night at the Pearl Street Armorles,
under command of Major H. Horsfall.
Lieut.-Col. J. G. Wright who will command the 169th Overseas Battallon, saw
the 109th at drill.

mand the 169th Overseas Battalion, saw the 169th at drill.

N. C. O.'s Course.

The Canadian Army Service Corps have been authorized to start a course for non-commissioned officers, starting on Jan. 10. It will continue for six weeks. In order to be ready for the next call from Ottawa for overseas men the Army Service Corps must get 200 men, including mechanical drivers, horse drivers, mechanics and supply men, such as including mechanical drivers, horse drivers, mechanics and supply men, such as bakers and butchers.

Lieut.-Col. A. B. Clark, commander of the 97th Battalion, American Legion, expects to complete the strength of his unit by the end of this month. Fifty men joined the legion on Sunday. Calgary has sent another quota of 33 men. They will arrive at Exhibition Park this afternoon at 4.30. This morning 24 recruits will arrive from Preston. An American now in the trenches with the first Canadian contingent is so enthusiastic about

dian contingent is so enthusiastic about the American Legion that he has written to Toronto asking to be given a commis-sion in it.

Military Dinner.
Sam Hughes, Brig. Gen. Logie, his and nearly 200 officers of the varOverseas Battalions, now in trainat Toronto, Hamilton, Barrie. OshaBradford and other parts of No. 2 will be the guests of ional Exhibition at dinner in the King Edward Hotel this evening. The function promises to be one of the largest military dinners in the history of this district and in addition to the officers of the headquarters staff and overseas units will be attended by a distinguished gathering of local civiliars, including the Lieutenant-Governor, Hon. Mr. Hanna, Hon. Mr. Lucas, Mayor Church, the beard of control, members of the council, President Falconer, Mayor C. S. Walters of Hamilton, and others.

New Artillery Brigade.

Formation of an artillery trigade from the batteries at Exhibition camp, with Major A. B. Gillies as temporary brigade commander, was announced officially yesterday afternoon.

The brigade will consist of the 50th, ner in the King Edward Hotel this even-

The brigade will consist of the 30th, 31st. 40th and 41st Batteries, and the 42nd Battery, which will be the Ammuniton Column

tion Column.

Major A. B. Gillies' (42nd Lanark Regiment) command is stated to be for administrative purposes, the permanent commander to be appointed when the brigade reaches England.

It is reported that not a single case It is reported that not a single case of trunkenness occurred among the sol-diers at Exhibition camp during the New

Year's holiday.
Sergt.-Major Milton, with the supply department, A.M.S., is in the camp hospital suffering from injuries received in a motor car accident.

pital suffering from injuries received in a motor car accident.

The 95th Battalion and the 97th Battalion (American Legion) will parade for special inspection at camp this morning.

Scout Training.

One subaltern from the 98th, 116th, 123rd, 125th, 147th, 157th and 159th Battalion will be detailed to attend a two weeks' course in scout training and map reading at Exhibition camp, starting on Jan. 11. On return to their battalions these officers will act as instructors.

Appointment is announced of the following officers as lieutenants in the 147th (Grey County) Battalion; Lieuts. T. H. Corrie, L. E. Douglas, T. J. Rutherford, M. W. Richardson, W. H. Smith, W. D. Mercer, D. Pollock, J. D. Campbell, J. M. R. Dobie, R. C. Ferguson, all of the 31st Regiment; H. L. Losier of the reserve of officers.

Capt. C. N. Cochrane of the C.O.T.C. has been taken on the strength of the camp as musketry officer. Capt. E. C. Burson, 10th Royal Grenadicrs, has been detailed as medical officer pf the school of instruction. Lieut. A. B. Mortimer of the Sattery, C.F.A. has been attached to the 30th Battery, C.F.A.

HOTEL TECK

It will be a happy new year if you line at the Hotel Teck. It will be

BIRTH OF A NATION.

Entering on the third week of its stay at Massey Hall, "The Birth of a Nation" entertained capacity audices at both performances yesterday. ences at both performances yesterday. The matinee crowd was the largest to date. At least half of the picture's undoubted power is contained in the way it is handled. The high black stage setting on which the curtains part disclosing the scenes on the screen lends a touch of solemnity and dignity which strongly emphasized the vivid photography and the stir-ring music by the big symphony orchestra. It is this fact that tinguishes it from the many le ductions which are seen and never leard of again. The engagement con-

tinues all this week.

retal yesterday more from a broken ankle, which he sustained when he slipped on the icy pavement at his work.

BRITISH FORCES IN KAMERUN OCCUPY GOVERNMENT STATION

Victorious Troops Under Col. Gorges Are BARRISTER TAKES LAW Pressing Hard Upon Retreating Enemy.

ONDON, Jan. 3 .- 8.20 p.m.-A British official report from Kamerun, German Equatorial Africa, says that Yaunde, a governmental station, was occupied Jan. 1. The statement reads:

"On Jan. 1 a British force, under Col. Gorges, occupied Yaunde (Jaunde), in Kamerun. The enemy retreated to the south and southeast. Our troops are in contact with the enemy's rear guard. The German Government officials fled from Yaunde."

KNIFE IS CAPTURED

October.

Three months ago Tony Rossi was

Hughes, 24 Robinson street, with a

knife, and a warrant was issued for

gotten all about him he returned to

BY BARON SHAUGHNESSY

He Has Given Subject Little

Thought-Unique Message

of Congratulation.

Baron Shaughnessy, president

will show:

reads as follows:

the C.P.R., has not yet decided on the

designation by which he will be

Toronto Sunday World, Toronto, Ont.:

Thanks for your message of con-

gratulation., Have given subject of

the president of the C.P.R., one of the

happiness be as great as we

Hamilton Police Start Crusade

Against Strangers Escorting

Them to Halls.

RESUMED IN SWEDEN

TAKING OF CHILDREN

interesting replies received

Montreal, Jan. 3, 1916.

to have slashed William

THREE CHILDREN HURT WHILE SLEIGH RIDING FUGITIVE WIELDER OF

Nine-Year-Old Boy Was Very Badly Injured on the High Park Slides.

Three children were victims of sleighing accidents on the slides in different parts of the city yesterday afternoon. The one most seriously injured is nine-year-old Samuel Labovitch, 16 Bellevue avenue, who sustained a fractured skull and broken arm on the High Park slides. At Riverdale, Mamie Duffy, 28 Natalie street, 10 years of age, had her right leg broken when she was struck by a playmate's sleigh, and Joseph Walker, 13 years of age, 79 Cumberland street, had an arm broken at Ramsden Park.

The two boys are lying in the Hospital for Sick Children, where they were taken in the police ambulance.

Policeman Arrested Italian Who Was Pointed Out on Street.

WAS AWAY THREE MONTHS

Tony Rossi Faces Charge of Stabbing William Hughes Last October.

BOY HURT BY WAGON DRIVER DID NOT WAIT

Earlscourt Lad Sustained Broken Bone in His Foot.

his arrest, but he managed to evade Avery McMullen, aged 11 years, Earls-court avenue, had the bone of his foot broken yesterday afternoon while pushing a sleigh clear of a coal wagon belonging to Elias Rogers Coal Company. According to a statement of Mrs. Powell, Nairn avenue, the driver of the wagon drove on his way without enquiring as to the condition of the little boy after he received his injury. the police and got out of the city. The police in different parts of Ontario were given a description of him, but they were unable to locate him, altho it is stated that he was working on the since he left the city. Evidently of the opinion that the authorities had for-

gotten all about him he returned to the city for the New Year. By a strange run of fate he was confronted with his victim yesterday afternoon while standing at the corner of College and Spadina, and pointed out to Policeman No. 111, who placed him under arrest. According to the story told to the police, on the night of Oct. 10, of last year, by Hughes, he and his wife and daughter were in Denison Square, when Rossi walked up and accosted the women. His attention was resented, and he was ordered away. Following an argument which developed into U. S. WANTS BIG NAV

Army Experts Also Seek Forces Adequate to Support Monroe Doctrine.

WORK OF TEN YEARS

Evident Aim of Uncle Sam to Absorb South American States.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Possibility of a combined attack by two foreign powers to break down the new Pan-American doctrine evolved from maintenance by the United States, and acceptance by South and Central American republics of the Monroe doctrine, is one of the fundamental bases for the national defence pians formulated by army and navy strategists. They believe it essential in the formation of a national military policy, and the strategists of the strategists. They believe it essential in the formation of a national military policy, and the strategists of the strategists. They believe it essential in the formation of a national military policy, and the strategists of the strategists. They believe it essential in the formation of a national military policy, the strategists of the strategists. barrel with a \$1 bottle. They were each fined \$300 and costs or three months in formation of a national military policy, it was learned tonight, to provide against the eventuality of an assault upon the doctrine by either an Asiatic or a Euro Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE Tablets. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. R. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c. pean power, or even by an alliance of two such powers, which might hurl forces

simultaneously at the Atlantic and Pa-A navy equal in strength to those any two world powers, except Great Britain, and an army prepared to fight or the integrity of the Pan-American dea anywhere in Pan-America, is the ul-NAME NOT YET CHOSEN

imate aim of the plan of the military Ten Years' Preparation.
Ten years is the time the navy general believes the United States has in board believes the United States has i which to prepare for a readjustment of world forces which will follow the Euro world forces which will follow the European war. In setting 1925 as the time when the United States navy should equal any afloat—which means reaching the two-power standard of the British navy, the board estimated that much time would elapse before the shock of the present war passed sufficiently to permit any of the belligerents to look to South or Central America for colonial development or trade aggression.

ment or trade aggression.

Plans of the army war college would be consummated in six years. The army officers take the position that the U. S. must have sufficient troops and ships to land forces in any threatened Pan-American country to meet an invader. can country to meet an invader. All these preparations, it is now known

have been presented by strategists to the administration as essential to support the Monroe doctrine, so that the U. S. may be able to act alone, if necessary, to preserve its ideal of no entangling alliances. Such ideals, the milltary students have stated, impose new duties on the U. S.—duties that require something more than a policy of mere passive resistance. Year's congratulations sent to the officers and staff all along the line by

To Harmonize South America.
While the administrative branch of the government has submitted to congress a definite plan which contemplates an in-creased expenditure of more than a bil-lion of dollars on the military and naval dine at the Hotel Teck. It will be profitable because of the superior value received. Midday luncheon served daily for fifty cents.

BIRTH OF A NATION congress; the declarations for Pan-Amer can unity made to the Pan-American unity made to the Pan-American Scientific Congress here by Secretary Lansing and the general effort for unity of all the Americas on a basis of friendship and equality take on added significance when considered in connection with the administration's preparedness

NEW ARTILLERY BRIGADE

TO BE RAISED AT ONCE First Military District Will Start Recruiting Immediately— Major Coghlan to Command.

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 3.-It is understood that a new overseas artillery brigade is to be raised immediately in the Walter Grant, 28 Davenport road, night watchman for the P. Burns Coal Co., was removed to St. Michael's Hospital yesterday morning suffering from a broken ankle, which he sustained when he slipped on the icy pavement at his work.

gade is to be raised immediately in the first military district, the 29th and 43rd Batteries, now located at Guelph, to be included in the new unit. The total strength of the brigade, including an ammunition column and headquarters staff, is to be 788 officers and men. It is reported that Major F. H. Coghlan, commander of the 29th Battery, will command the brigade with the rank of lieutenant-colonel. PAYMENT IN SPECIE STOCKHOLM, via London, Jan. 6.56 p.m.—The National Bank of Sweden has resumed the payment of notes in gold, which had been suspended

Seeks Legal Redress for Non-De- Only Fifteen Votes Were Recordlivery of Prepaid Parcel in Earlscourt.

ON EXPRESS COMPANY

LONG STANDING ABUSE

Watching Action With Much Interest.

Harry A. Newman. barrister, and an active member of the Earlscourt Business Men's Association, instituted legal proceedings yesterday against an express company in order to test their legal right to refuse delivery to his residence on Westmount avenue, within the city limits, of a parcel consigned to his address.

dress.

The case is of particular interest to the large body of merchants and residents generally in the northwest district of the city. The express company in question notified the consignee of the arrival of the parcel at their office in Parkdale, and at the same time requesting him to send or call for it, as the address was outside their delivery area, and it would not be delivered free, although the freight had been paid in full by the sender at the other end when the parcel was despatched. was despatched.

Mr. Newman, the consignee, told The World that if an adverse decision is given he will bring the matter to the attention of the Dominion Railway Board, and push the matter to a successful conductivity.

Board, and push the matter to a successful conclusion.

The sympathy and co-operation of ratepayers and other associations in the northwest district is with Mr. Newman in his effort to remedy the long standing grievance of the lack of express deliveries in a congested portion of the City of Toronto.

stated that he was working on the Welland Canal government contract PTE. MAURICE WATSON

Parade and Public Reception Tendered to Veteran of St. Julien.

year, by Hughes, he and his wife and daughter were in Denison Square. when Rossi walked up and accosted the women. His attention was resented, and he was ordered away. Following an argument which developed into a fight, Hughes got stabbed in the right arm, and 16 stitches were put in the gash at the Western Hospital, where he went. Later that night a boy gave a long knife, which bore marks of blood, to the sergeant on duty at Claremont Street Station, stating that he had picked it up in Denison Square.

Since receiving the wound Hughes has lost power of the fingers of the right hand.

A Liquor Peddier.

In giving evidence against George Wilmet by 50 mounted young men and es-corted into the town. Pte. Watson was attached to the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, and the permanently disabled, expects to be able at an early date to resume his duties.

MARKHAM HAS NO

COUNCIL AT ALL NOW Candidates Fail to Qualify and Nominations Must Be Made Again.

A unique situation has developed in the Village of Markham, where less than the required number of candidates have qualified for seats at the council. At the nomination proceedings, R. A. Fleming was elected by acclamation, while two, P. P. Crosby and A. F. Wilson, were the only ones to qualify. Those who were nominated and failed to comply with the statutory requirements were C. F. Todds, T. H. Hassard, James Torrance, James Isaachs, G. W. Wilson, Chas. Beirel, W. Michael, A. W. Mine, Anson Crosby, W. Dark and A. W. Ferrier. Failing an election, the town is without a council until another nomination meeting is called and the required time has elapsed before an election can legally be held.

AGED WOMAN RESIDENT FOR FORTY-TWO YEARS

Mrs. Elizabeth Goulding is Dead at Age of Eighty-Three.

In the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Gould-In the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Gouiding, which took place yesterday morning at her residence, 27 St. Clair avenue east, North Toronto loses one of its oidest residents. Mrs. Goulding was born 83 years ago in Lincoln, England, and came to this country in 1873, taking up her residence in North Toronto, and she has lived in the district ever since. Up to the time of her death she was a prominent church worker and a regular attendant known to posterity, as the following name little thought up to the present.

Shaughnessy.

A Montreal despatch says that in response to the telegram of New the church worker and a regular attendant of Davisville Methodist Church. She is survived by four sons, Joseph and George of Torento, Charles A., Vinemount, and David, California. Mrs. J. Burchell of Bodford Park is a daughter.

SONS OF SCOTLAND DINED AT WOODBRIDGE

Overseas Night Provided Enjoy-"Greetings to yourself and family from the snowshovelers at the Chateau, Lake Louise, the highest resiable Musical Program. dential point in Canada. May your TO SHOWS DEBARRED

> STORM PLAYED HAVOC ALONG GRAND TRUNK

HAMILTON, Tuesday, Jan. 4.—The police have started a crusade against people, known to be strangers, taking children under 15 years of age into moving picture theatre, and the first case of this kind will be tried before Magistrate Jelfs this morning. Previously only the theatre proprietors were summoned on such breaches of the act, but now those taking children in will be held responsible. No more striking evidence of the force of Saturday night's wind and sleet storm can be found anywhere than out along the main line of the Grand Trunk Railway from Little York to Scarboro Junction. In the three miles between the city limits and the "junction" not a single telegraph pole is left standing, the majority of them being broken off short at the ground and the wires and crossbars thrown in an inextricable heap on ground in the adjoining fields. Repair gangs were at work all day yesterday and thru the night, but the job is a big one and some days will elapse before the conditions are normal. All the county towns to the northeast of the city were last night still out of communication with the southern part.

WINS IN PORT CREDI

ed Against Beck Measure Yesterday.

YORK COUNTY CONTESTS

Ratepayers' Associations Are Town of Aurora Favors Local Option by Thirty of a Majority.

> The Village of Unionville vesterday ex perienced all the throes of a municipal election, the first in three years. Fou aspirants were up for municipal preterment and the vote recorded has not been exceeded in years. The village is considering the inauguration of a waterworks system and while no vote was taken on the project, added interest was given to the election by this fact. The result is:

PORT CREDIT IN FAVOR.

By a vote of 130 to 15 the Village of Port Credit yesterday approved Sir Adam Beck's scheme for the construction of a hydro radial railway between Toronto and London, the vote being one of the most unanimous yet recorded in favor of the plan. When the result of the vote became known thruout the village there was general rejoicing, as while the scheme was assured of adoption, the size of the majority was an agreeable supprise.

There was a lively time over the election of the village council, George Gordon heading the list of councillors, the reeve having been elected by acclamation at the nomination proceedings a week ago. The council of 1916 will be:

For reeve—Charles Elliott (accl.).

Council—

George Gordon 116

W. T. Gray 115

Russell Walker 111

Chas. Creer 92

B. Morell 74

For the board of education—T. O.

AURORA GOES DRY.

By a vote of 426 to 234 the Town of Aurora yesterday decided in favor of local option. The vote cast was an exceptiorally heavy one, probably the largest ever known in the town. The majority of 192 is regarded by the advocates of local option as fully as large as anticipated, and following the result there was a meeting of the local optionists at the central offices, where the workers were addressed by Rev. Mr. Despard, rector of Trinity Anglican Church, the chairman of the committee on organization.

There was no other demonstration following the result of the vote. According

lowing the result of the vote. According to the figures given by the secretary of the local option committee last night the vote gives a clear majority of 30 over the required three-fifths necessary to validate the measure. The vote by wards was as follows:

North ward 144 Centre ward 107 South Ward 175 426 Majority for local option, 192. WEST GWILLIMBURY.

In West Gwillimbury yesterday only the candidates for council were voted for. Charles Willoughby (reeve) having been elected by acclamation. The latter is an aspirant for the wardenship of the county and no opposition was offered to his return. The council will be composed of: Robert Tillett, Henry Clover, J. W. Hamilton and C. Cryderman.

EAST GWILLIMBURIY.

Horace D. Ramsden and John Smithold-time rivals in municipal life in East
Gwillimbury, struggled for the office of
reeve in that township yesterday,
Ramsden winning out over Smith by a
vote of 492 to 394. Not in years has
there been a stronger fight put up for
the reeveship, Mr. Smith having occupied
the office of reeve and member of the
county council for some years. Both the
candidates are resident in Mount Albert.
The council will be composed as follows:
For reeve:

reeve:
H. D. Ramsden 492
John Smith 349 C. T. Stickwood 531 C. H. Haines 396 J. T. Toole 345 KING TOWNSHIP.

PRCMISED SIDEWALKS

Earlscourt School Children convenienced by Council's

The annual banquet of the Woodbridge Sons of Scotland, held on Friday evening (Overseas Night), was in all respects the most successful in its history. A high-class instrumental and vocal program was given during the evening, in which patriotic soings formed the chief feature. Among those who contributed were George Neil, the Scotlish tenor; Miss Evelyne Grahame, soprano, and Harry Bennett. Miss Geraldine Harris and Master to the convenience of the school with the object of marching the residents generally, very little headway has been made, altho the school vacation is now over.

Children attending Hughes' School will way has been made, altho the school va-cation is now over.

Children attending Hughes' School will have to make the usual detour around St. Clair avenue or use the lane at the back of Harvie avenue, and thence thru the cemetery, to reach the school build-ing.

NOTED FRENCHMAN DEAD.

PARIS, Jan. 3, 5.40 p.m.-Robert Mitchell, who served several terms in the chamber of deputies, and was a brilliant journalistic advocate of the Bonapartists in the early years of the third republic, died today. He was 76 years of age.

INSPECTOR JOINS SCHOOL STAFF. STRATFORD, Jan. 3.—H. V. Greer, public school inspector of Dundas County, has been appointed to the staff of Stratford Normal School.

CANADIAN **CASUALTIES**

Midnight List.

Third Battallon.
Wounded-Herbert E. Barker, Craik

Wounded—Thomas Carlyle, Scotland.
Eighth Battalion.
Killed in action—Frederick C. Murray,

Scotland.

Wounded—Leonard Herron, England;
Joseph Singleton, England.

Tenth Battailon.

Seriously ill—William Logan, Scotland.

Thirteenth Battailon.

Died of wounds—Sidney Boland, Ireland.

land.

Fourteenth Battalion.

Wounded — George A. McNaughton,
Tailor Shop, Sydney, N.S.; Alfred Binet,
St. Marie de Beauce, Que.

Fifteenth Battalion.

Killed in action—Corp. Hilding, Hedlund Sweden.

und, Sweden. Wounded—Capt. John Cassidy, Eighteenth Battalion.

Died of wounds—James Hyslop, Scotand; Mark Holland, England.

Killed in action—Thomas Galloway,
England; Harry Boyer, England.

Twenty-Fifth Battalion.

Died of appendicitis—Bostwick Clark,
England

England.

Twenty-Ninth Battalion.

Prisoner of war at Munster—Pet Nelson, Quebec.

Forty-Third Battalion.

Seriously injured—Corp. Andrew Git son, 183 Carlton street, Toronto.

Forty-Eighth Battalion.

Seriously ill—Robert W. Fenwick, England.

Fiftleth Battallon.
Seriously ill-Alex. Sutherland, Engand.

Sixtieth Battalion.

Seriously ill—Martin Sheppard.

Third Brigade, C.F.A.

Wounded—Albert Phillips, England.
Third Field Co., C.E.

Slightly wounded—Corp. James G. M.

Blath Field Co., Div. Engineers.

Dangerously ill—Sapper Wm. Dougla cotland.

Sir Sam Hughes Announces Authorization-Also One Being Enlisted at Vancouver.

OTTAWA, Jan. 3 .- Gen. Sir Sam Hughes announced this morning that a new Irish battalion for overseas service will be raised in Toronto. An Irish battalion is also being raised in

Many proposals for new battalions are now under consideration by the ministers, including suggestions to raise a half-breed battalion in the west, several Indian regiments, a bantam battalion in eastern Canada, a chaplains battalion and a negro batta-

Some time ago Sir Sam frowned upon the idea of a black battalion, but many loyal colored people have been pressing for the formation of such a regiment, and the minister may assent.

A bantam battallon is being raised in British Columbia, and a similar battallon is proposed for the east battalion is proposed for the east.

FRENCH FORCED ENEMY TO RUN FROM SHELTER

Fleeing Germans Subjected Concentrated Artillery Fire in Argonne.

PARIS, Jan. 3.-The French war office this afternoon gave out a com-munication on the progress of hostilities reading as follows:
"In the Champagne district, near
the highway between Tahure and
Sommepy, a German attack, in which
hand grenades were used, was repuls-

"In the Argonne district, near Four de-Paris, there was an efficacious firing of our guns against the works of the enemy. The German troops, fleeing from their shelters, were subjected to a concentrated fire of our 75-millime-

JEW TRIED TO INDUCE

tre guns.'

Pte. Alfred William Allen Testifies About Resisting Blandishments.

an Associated Press Cable. LONDON, Jan. 3.-Pte. Alfred Wilam Allen, Canadian Army Service Corps, told a singular story in Bow street police court when a Russian

Jew was charged with attempting to
induce Allen to desert from the army.

In a meaning between conflicting in the streets and of scrupulous regard for precedent. In war, the advocate makes the worst possible guide. The was a fool to stay in the army, and also told him that he could supply him with civilian clothes and also fix mistakes. As the result, thousands of up his registration paper, Allen pretending that the plan was agreeable

ARE NOT FORTHCOMING MONTENEGRINS TO FACE ANOTHER INVASION

Two Armies of Austrians and Bul-

GAUTIER NEW FRENCH CENSOR

PARIS, Jan. 3, 4.45 p.m.-Jules Gautier, who was formerly attached to the ministry of public instruction, has been appointed director of the press bureau, which has charge of the cen-

AUSTRALIANS WELCOMED.

CANADIAN GUNS CAUSE EXPLOSION OF DEPI

Heavy Detonation in German Lines Follows Bursting of Shell in Bombardment.

GOOD WORK BY PATROL

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OTTAWA, Jan. 3 .- The Cans general representative at the rables to Sir Sam Hughes as for on the activities of our troops of Christmas week, under date Omer, France, Jan. 2:

"During the period Dec. 22-31, the has been no material change in situation on the front of the Canad corps. The weather has shown provement over the previous weather the previous we There have been several days bright sunshine. Christmas Day the finest day of the month. The year passed out under a cloud

sky. "During the first half of the periartillery fire was less heavy that usual. Christmas week-end was particularly quiet. On Christmas Da several small parties of the endeavored to fraternize with roops. They were dispersed by our

Explosion in Foe's Lines. "From Dec. 27 the artillery tivity increased to normal. On. eral occasions the enemy bombarde sections of our second division from Our artillery retaliated with go effect. A heavy explosion was cause in the enemy lines by one of our shells. It is believed that a store explosives was detonated. Sever enemy machine gun emplacement were considerably damaged by our fire.

"Our patrols have maintained activity. A few enemy patrols were encountered but on each occasion re encountered but on each occasion re-tired rapidly to their lines.

"On the night of Dec. 23, Lance-Corp. Weir, Seventh British Columbia Battalion, cut thru the enemy's wire and altho enemy patrols were in the vicinity, he succeeded in bringing in one of the new German spiked em-palement frames.

Patrol Encounters Enemy,

"On the night of Dec. 25-26 a pa-

"On the night of Dec. 25-26, a pa-trol of our third infantry brigade en countered a large enemy party new the German lines. The hostile party opened fire but our patrol replied with bombs and caused at least one casualty to the enemy. Altho sub-sequently fired on by machine guns, our patrol returned safely.

"Great satisfaction is expressed by

our troops at the front at the daily cable news service from Canada, inaugurated by the minister of militia. "The health of our troops remains excellent. Inspired by the glorious record of Canadian arms in the past year, and cheered by messages from home all ranks are welcoming the new year with unflinching spirits and an unshakable confidence in approaching victory." victory.

The Third Infantry Brigade includes the 15th Battalion in eral's Bodyguard, and Royal Grena-

NEGLECT OF SCIENCE CAUSE OF MISTAKES

Too Many Lawyers in Govern ment for Good of Country, View of Prof. Poulton.

LONDON, Jan. 3.—Neglect science is responsible for England's mistakes, according to Prof. E. B. Poulton of Oxford University. In speaking of "science and the great war," he said:

"Nearly all our failures in the present conflict have been due to the na-CANADIAN TO DESERT tional neglect of science and the excessive predominance in parliament and especially in the government of the spirit that is the most antagonistic to science—the spirit of the advocate."

The great danger of the lawyer-politician in time of crisis, according to the speaker, is that he has been accustomed to live in an atmosphere of compromise, of action based on find-ing a meaning between conflicting in-Allen met the prisoner at the Cafe British Government has decided a Royal. The latter told him that he number of vital issues without scienmistakes. As the result, thousands of lives have been sacrificed.

As an instance in point, Professor Poulton spoke of the ignorance of science on the part of the ministry, that had to be driven into declaring fats, oils, and cotton as contraband. One-third of the German ammunition for heavy guns consists of nitro-glycerine, and fats are the only source of

The speaker pronounced it dangerous for a country whose prosperity de-pended on science to be ruled by politicians and civil servants utterly ig-norant of scientific knowledge. Manu-facturers are based on applied science. Great Britain is a manufacturing

country. While Britain has taken a greater lead in the development of science than Germany, science still stands apart in the general educational scheme. In Germany, science is put to every possible use by the government. German success in trench warfare has been entirely due to science. The British Government, on the other hand, long delayed asking for and acepting advice on scientific aspects of from men qualified to speak.

PORTUGAL'S MASTERLY IN-ACTIVITY.

PARIS, Jan. 3.—A Havas despatch BROCKVILLE, Ont., Jan. 3.—The touring Australian cade a received a great welcome in Brockvi'le today. Upon arriving from the east they were met by Mayor Donaldson and the members of the council and escorted to Victoria Hall, where they were given a civic reception.

Tom Instant "The president of the republic, receiving members of parliament, manifested a desire that the sacred union of all parties be maintained during the war, in order that the allies might have reason to be satisfied with the services rendered by the Portuguese nation."

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