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Evening Telegram

W. J. HERDEP, - - - - - Proprietor
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FRIDAY, Dec. 17th, 1915.

"The Hero of the Hour."

LIEUT. DONNELLY WINS THE MILITARY CROSS.

One of his brother officers in the Newfoundland Regiment, in a letter to his father from the Gallipoli Peninsula speaks of Lieut. Donnelly, as "The Hero of the Hour" on the Peninsula. When the story is spread in his Island Home, Lieut. Donnelly will become the hero of the hour among Newfoundlanders at home and abroad. So will each of the gallant band of eight men, whose names are at present unknown, three of whom were wounded, and one of whom has passed to his great reward. Lieut. Cliff says the General in command has publicly commended the gallant Newfoundlanders upon the work which they have done in this affair. The Commander of C Company, of which Lieut. Donnelly and the eight men are members, sent the letter, which follows, congratulating Mrs. Donnelly on the brave conduct of her son.

November 11th, 1915.

Dear Mrs. Donnelly,—
We are now having a rest after a fairly strenuous week in the trenches, and one which has brought a certain amount of honor to the Regiment and to Newfoundland. For much of that honour we have to thank your gallant son and the faithful little band that stuck to him throughout the whole of one night, and, as his Company Commander, I wish to be one of the first to congratulate you upon being the mother of such a brave and tenacious son. The whole Regiment and more particularly the officers and men of his own Company are naturally proud of him, and hope that soon he may be restored to his country whose honour he has so bravely upheld.

Yours sincerely,
A. R. BERNARD,
Capt. O. C. "C" Company.

This morning we had the privilege

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REMEMBER, SHOP EARLY AND OFTEN.

PETER O'MARA,
The Druggist,

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of seeing the official order, signed by Major General de Lisle, recommending as an immediate reward Lieut. Donnelly for the Military Cross. It runs as follows:—

29th DIVISION.
Recommendation for Reward.
Name. Donnelly, James John.
Rank. Lieut.
Unit. Newfoundland Battalion.
Place of Action. Gallipoli Peninsula.
Date. Nov. 4th, and 5th.
Reasons. — For conspicuous gallantry and ability on the night of the 4th and 5th November, 1915 on the Gallipoli Peninsula, when he occupied and maintained with 8 men a knoll to which our firing line was next day extended. By his coolness in handling this small party which was reduced to 5 men by casualties, he was able to repel several most determined Turkish bomb and rifle attacks against both his front and flanks during the night.
Recommended for Immediate Reward.

Reward: Military Cross.
Signed: H. de B. de LISLE,
Major General Commanding 29th Division.

This order was received this morning by his brother Mr. M. J. Donnelly at Mr. J. D. Ryan's, Water Street, and it was despatched from the Field Post Office on Nov. 14th.

Another brother officer writing home says in reference to this act of gallantry:—
November 10th. The Newfoundlanders have had a strenuous week in the trenches doing their first important bit of work. Orders came that they were to take a neighbouring knoll which was infested with Turkish snipers and to establish themselves upon it. Donnelly was the lucky man who got his chance and made good and all feel sure his work will receive some special notice.

Donnelly, Rowell and Rendell took the first three nights (in the order given). The first night was the difficult one; the fourth and fifth nights were taken by Shortall and O'Brien. Although Donnelly and his plucky little band were rendered stone deaf by bombs they stuck it out and made it possible for working parties to render the position safe with sand bags, etc.

As to the high character of the distinction, called the Military Cross, we direct attention to the memorandum on these matters, read by His Excellency the Governor at the meeting of the Patriotic Association last night, which will be found in the report of the meeting. It will be noted that His Excellency points out that when medals are worn on the breast, the place of honor, above all, goes to the Victoria Cross, and the second place to the Military Cross and that these rank in precedence above all the badges of the orders of knighthood and service and all war medals.

Appropos of these matters, comes the generous act of Mr. George B. Ayre, the son of a sailor, who wore with pride the Crimean War medal. Mr. Ayre has sent to the Governor a cheque of \$1,000, and directed it to be divided in two sums of \$500. One sum to be awarded to the Newfoundland soldier and the other to the Newfoundland Naval Reservist, who returns home when peace is declared, with the first V.C. or in the event of no V.C. being awarded, the highest mark of distinction. Lieut. Donnelly is at present leading for this military award and Reservist Leander Green, of St. Jones Without, for the navy reward. Mr. Ayre has set a good example which will stimulate others to do likewise. That there is good material in the Newfoundland Regiment is abundantly proved not only by the capture of Caribou Hill, as the knoll has been named in honor of Newfoundland, but by the high words of commendation from the War Office and the General Commanding them in Scotland. Lieut. Donnelly's gallantry has not only conferred honor in C Company, but on his Regiment and his countrymen. The C. C. C. especially should feel proud of the officer they have contributed to the service of the King and Empire.

1st Nfld. REGIMENT.

DECEMBER 17.

2nd Lieut. Ernest Churchill, Quidi Vidi Road. St. Andrew's Hospital, Malta, Nov. 20; Jaundice severe.
336.—Private John Francis Nicol, 11 Flavin Street. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Enteric.
755.—Private James Dempster, Watford Bridge Road. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Trench-foot.
411.—Private Donald Fraser McNeil, McNeil Street. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Trench-foot.
654.—Private Henry Elroy Martin, Flower Hill. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Trench-foot.

Previously Reported.

1046.—Private Arch W. Bishop, Burin. Enteric severe, Malta, Nov. 18. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Enteric.
552.—Private Walter Kearley, Topsail. Dysentery; Malta, Oct. 11. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth; Dysentery.
838.—Private Gordon Snow, 110 Water St. Debility, Alexandria, Oct. 26. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, enteric.
894.—Signaller Gerald Jos. Whitty, 336 Water Street West. Enteric, Malta, Oct. 20. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, enteric.
1266.—Private Thomas Seward, Port aux Basques. Dysentery, slight, Alexandria, Oct. 26. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, dysentery.
38.—Private John Joseph Ryan, 23 Adelaide St. Shrapnel wound in leg, Nov. 11. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, wounded.
68.—Private William W. Kearney, 9 Livingstone St. Shrapnel wounds, head and wrist. Admitted 3rd General Hospital, Wandsworth, wounded.
115.—Private Charles William Field, 32 Prescott St. Gunshot wounds arm and side, slight. Admitted 3rd London General Hospital, Wandsworth, wounded.

Killed In Action.

It is our sad duty to record the death of another Newfoundland soldier in the person of Thomas Eustace, who was killed in action in France on November 28th. Word to that effect was received by his father last evening. Deceased was 23 years of age and the son of George and Mrs. Caroline Eustace. He went to France with the Fifth Canadian Mounted Rifles. The deceased soldier has sacrificed his life for his country and Empire. Much sympathy will be extended to the bereaved parents.

McMurdo's Store News

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Reids' Boats.

The Argyle arrived at Sound Island at 7 p.m. yesterday.
The Clyde left Pilley's Island at 10.25 a.m. yesterday, going north.
The Dundee arrived at Port Blandford at 4 a.m. to-day.
The Ethie left Trinity early this morning on way to Lewisporte.
The Glencoe left Hermitage Cove at 7.30 p.m. yesterday, going west.
The Home left Flower's Cove at 11.45 a.m. yesterday, going north.
The Petrel left Trinity early this morning on her way to Clarendville.
The Kyle arrived at Port aux Basques at 8 a.m. to-day.
The Meigle was to leave North Sydney at midnight yesterday for this port.
The Sagona is leaving Port aux Basques to-day.

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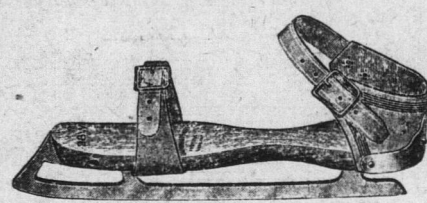
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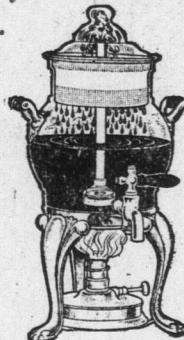
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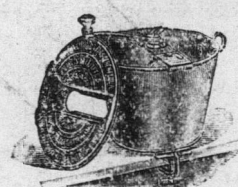
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G. KNOWLING.

John Hewitt Was Sevastopol Hero.

Letter From Hero's Nephew.

Editor Evening Telegram.
I noticed in your paper of last evening that the Christmas Bells speak of the Crimean War Times, and tells a story that was heard from a Bonavista Bay man, that at the storming and taking of Sevastopol the first one to jump on or over the ramparts was a Trinity lad of the name of Philip Hewitt, and who then called for three cheers for "Terra Nova." If this was Philip Hewitt, I am more than proud to say that he has two sons living to-day, Stephen, of Allendale Road, and employed at the Nfld. Clothing Co. also Robert, who lives at Trinity, but strange to say he feared two sons without ever speaking a word about such a noble action, but I suppose when he found he had lost the V.C., he did not like to speak about it. I think, Mr. Editor, Mr. Bremner has struck the right key when he said it was John Hewitt, a brother of Philip Hewitt, and Mr. Editor, we all know the make up of Newfoundland is English, Irish and Scotch, and I have got to go back to Grandfather Joseph Hewitt, and as Mr. Bremner has said to go into the facts. Grandfather was an Englishman, who came to this country when the trees were loaded with silver, and married and settled in Trinity. He reared three sons, viz., John, Philip and Henry, also three daughters, Lizzie, Honor and Sarah. Honor became the wife of Robert Sexton, Lizzie the wife of William House, Sarah the wife of Stephen House, and she is the only one living to-day of Grandfather's children. John Hewitt, as far as I could learn from the old folks was a pretty smart lad—a little too smart in one case. I could tell you the cause of Uncle John leaving this country and joining the British Navy, but there is no need of me speaking about it at the present time. If I mistake not my father Philip received letters from him several times but they were never only in private. If sent to me it was always a secret. Many a time when we sat by a red-hot wood fire did I hear my father speak of him, and how he lost the V.C. by cheating

for Newfoundland instead of the Empire. In reference to Mr. Shortis, who thinks it was a person named Hewlin, who did not belong to Trinity, just place two T's where the N is and pronounce it Hewitt, who did belong to Trinity.

Yours truly,
S. HEWITT,
Allendale Road.
Dec. 17th, 1915.

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