

# HEAVY ENGAGEMENT RAGES ALONG DARDANELLES FRONT

### Land and Sea Forces Attack Turkish Positions With Bombs and Heavy Artillery, Assisted by Guns of Warships, Constantinople Reports.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Jan. 1, via Amsterdam and London, Jan. 2, 9 p.m.—Heavy fighting continues along the Dardanelles front still held by the allies. An engagement in which the land and sea forces of the invaders took part, is reported by the war office, in the following statement:

"Near Seddul Bahr, on the night of Dec. 30-31, there was active bomb fighting. On our right wing and in the centre violent fighting with artillery and bombs lasted until morning. On the afternoon of Dec. 31 we ex-

ploded two mines on our right wing. The enemy's artillery, assisted by two cruisers, bombarded our trenches in the centre of our front. We replied effectively.

"Our batteries at the Narrows bombarded the landing place at Seddul Bahr and the neighboring camp. The French battleship Suffren, assisted by five torpedo boats, replied unsuccessfully.

"Our aeroplanes attacked and repulsed a hostile aeroplane, which was making a reconnaissance."

## A Line o' Cheer Each Day o' the Year

By John Kendrick Bangs.  
POSSESSION FIRST.  
(Copyright, 1916.)  
What you have not  
You can't be woe,  
No matter what  
Of joy or woe.  
So if you'd  
Be a count of light  
Your mind hold free  
Of thoughts of night.  
And if of cheer  
You'd be the source  
You'd better steer  
The sunny course.

## TORONTO TRAINING CENTRE FOR COUNTIES

Outside Officers, N. C. O.'s and Men Will Receive Instructions.

### SPECIALISTS' LECTURES

Big New Year's Dinner Served at Exhibition Camp on Holiday.

Toronto is to be made into a special military training centre for all the counties in this division, according to new orders just issued at Exhibition Camp Headquarters. Instruction is to be given to selected officers, N.C.O.s and privates, who, after training are in turn to be made special instructors for their respective battalions. The courses will include field engineering, signalling, musketry and "bombing."

Twenty of the overseas units of No. 2 Military Division will each send one officer and two N.C.O.'s to Exhibition Camp for the signalling course. The 120th Battalion, Hamilton, will send men to Toronto for the "bombing" course.

Capt. E. L. Buchanan, of the 75th Overseas Battalion, who was invalided home on account of being severely injured by the German gas at Langemarck, has just been promoted to the rank of major.

Lieut. J. C. Boylen, of the 12th Yorks, has been appointed paymaster of the 127th Overseas Battalion, with rank of captain in the C.E.F. Lieut. H. C. Campbell, of the 12th Yorks, has been appointed quartermaster of the 127th Battalion, also with rank of captain. Sergt. J. W. Ross, of the Q. O. R., has been taken on the strength of the camp as an instructor in "bombing."

Approval of the appointment of the following officers to the 42nd Depot Field Battery, C.F.A., is announced: To be captain: Lieut. H. H. Lawson, of munition column, and Brigadier, C.E.F. To be lieutenants: Prov. Lieut. C. L. Waterous, 32nd Battery; R. L. Olmsted, 7th Battery; J. R. Somers, 8th Battery.

Two thousand troops at Exhibition Camp received the same lavish hospitality from the Y.M.C.A. on New Year's Day as was extended to 1200 of their comrades who were in camp at Christmas. Three hundred and fifty-four ladies, including Mrs. Hearst, wife of the premier of Ontario, aided in serving the big New Year's dinner. Special talent, in plays, gave a continuous entertainment at the camp from mid-day until late evening. These included Miss Gertrude Drummond, elocutionist; Miss Jean Tutill, Miss Kathleen and Dorothy Reid, Frank Armistead, Springfield, Mass., singer; Wm. Jones, champion checker player of Western Canada, played a simultaneous game with twelve of the best soldier checker players.

Thirty-five more men for the 97th American Legion arrived at Exhibition Camp from Calgary, yesterday afternoon, including the men enrolled for the "97th" in Winnipeg and other centres the "Legion" is already 631 strong.

Enlistments for active service totaled 618 last week. It was a good recruiting week as the above figures only show the number actually "sworn in." The number offering themselves probably totaled about 900 men. On Saturday 21 men were attested.

One of the most enjoyable festivities of the holiday season was the New Year's banquet of the 32nd Overseas Highland Battalion, held in Riverside Barracks, and arranged by Capt. Tom H. Banton. Among those attending the function was Lieut.-Col. Chisholm, the commander of the battalion. A company of the 32nd held a special dinner at the Russell Hotel during the holiday week.

## ATTACKS OF AUSTRIANS REPULSED BY ITALIANS

Prisoners Taken and Munitions Seized by Detachments in Carso Zone.

ROME, Jan. 2, 2 15 a.m.—The Italian war office has issued the following official communication:

"Last night small enemy attacks were repulsed near Mori Val Lagarina and on the Col di Lana on the slopes of the Rambon in the Pleszo Plateau region.

"In the Carso zone our detachments took prisoners and munitions. Hostile aeroplanes yesterday dropped bombs on Marco Val Lagarina on the Strigno and Ergo Val Suzana, but without damage."

## KNIGHTHOOD AWARDED TO WILLIAM DUFF REID

Prominent Canadian and Newfoundland Railway Builder Honored by King.

MONTREAL, Jan. 2.—A cable despatch from St. John's, Nfld., to The Montreal Daily Mail announces that William Duff Reid, president of the Reid Newfoundland Company, was created a knight in the New Year's honors. The order to which Mr. Reid was appointed is not stated in the despatch.

William Duff Reid is a son of the late Sir Robert Gillespie Reid, a distinguished railway contractor, promoter and owner, and president of the Reid Newfoundland Company. He was born in Australia, and with his parents in 1871. He was associated with his father in constructing part of the Lake Superior section of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and also in building the C.P.R. bridge over the St. Lawrence River at Lachine. He constructed on his own account the Algoma branch of the C.P.R. and the branch of the Intercolonial Railway from Hawkesbury to Grand Narrows, Cape Breton. He was later associated with his father in the construction of the Reid-Newfoundland Railway. After his father's death, in 1908, he became president of this railway company.

QUEBEC, Jan. 2.—The building of the Rocks-Hoe Manufacturing Company, Limited, was destroyed by fire last night. The blaze started in the boiler room and had gained considerable headway before it was discovered. The loss is estimated at \$75,000, with insurance of \$32,000.

## APPEAL WON TWENTY RECRUITS FROM CROWD

Lieut. J. B. Price Adopted Novel Plan at Loew's Theatre Meeting.

HE CLASSIFIED AUDIENCE Then When Final Appeal Came, There Was a Strong Response.

Twenty volunteers went on the platform in response to appeals made at the American Legion recruiting rally in Loew's Theatre on Sunday afternoon. Capt. A. B. Minard, president of the American Club, was chairman. He explained that Americans in Canada need have no fear of losing their United States citizenship thru enlisting with the C. E. F. This was set forth in a circular, "No. 54—1,008, 431," issued by the state department at Washington.

The feature of the rally was a call by Lieut. J. B. Price to various portions of the audience to rise in turn, including men over military age, women who "realized the seriousness of the situation," the soldiers in khaki, volunteers who had been rejected by doctors, and lastly eligible men willing to enlist. It was significant that a good proportion of the young men stood up in the last two classes.

Lieut.-Col. Vaux Chadwick announced good progress with the 124th "Pals" Battalion, which was now up to a strength of 510.

Capt. Peters, who crossed the Atlantic Ocean twice alone, in a 40-foot boat, Capt. Belton who was wounded at the front, and Thos. Stevenson made stirring speeches.

A good musical program was supplied by Miss McKenna, Howard Russell, Miss O'Connor, Miss Sherman, The Royal Orchestra and the Carr, Good and Flynn trio.

Fuller's earth is worth more per ton in the United States than the ore from many large gold mines now producing good progress with the 124th

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### EDITORIAL

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*Wilson Miller*

