

Nearly Million and Quarter In Conflict In East Prussia

Petrograd, Feb. 11.—According to the expert of the Bourse Gazette more than 1,200,000 men are engaged in the conflict in East Prussia, which may be called the "Battle of Three Rivers". It is being fought on the banks of the Memel, Inster and Schuppe rivers.

MORE RECRUITS COME TO COLORS

The lists of the 8th Canadian Mounted Rifles continue to grow rapidly at the recruiting offices in the exhibition building in charge of Lieut.-Col. B. R. Armstrong.

Route March The 20th Battalion will go on a route march for tactical manoeuvres this afternoon. Captain Langford, of the R. C. R. at Halifax, who has been accompanying the unit on its recent field movements, will give instructional advice, left at noon today for Amherst and will probably aid in the tactical drill at the 40th Battalion when it has been mustered there.

Equipment Regarding the matter of issue of equipment to the forces, some officers hold the view that what remains to be supplied will be secured in England. The infantry here are fully equipped, but the Army Service Corps, No. 5 Co., have much yet to receive. While commissions have been engaged through Canada making purchases of horses for army service, none have yet been had by the Army Service unit, and as the time of departure draws near, the feeling is that full equipment will not be received until landing in England.

Presentation Friends last night assembled in honor of Murray Fraser, a member of the 20th Battalion, at his home in Union street, and as a token of remembrance, presented to him an army wrist watch. The presentation was made by Dr. Darrab, in behalf of the assembly.

Letter From Lieut.-Col. McLeod. A letter received in Fredericton from Lieut.-Col. H. F. McLeod, M. P., officer commanding the 12th New Brunswick Battalion, was written on January 25. He was then still in bed in the Military Hospital, but able to get up for a part of each day. He hoped to be able to get out in a few days, and it may be that by this time he has been able to enjoy his battalion. "I have been very lucky to get through," he said. "Three out of four in the next room to where I am now died of pneumonia in three days, and the doctor told me that I had a very serious attack."

After sending kindest regards to his friends Lieut.-Col. McLeod closed his letter with the impressions he had gathered as to the war from reading English newspapers and discussing the situation with British officials. "This war has a long way to go yet," he wrote. "The German plan is to take the war will end, but it will be begun on May 1 next."

The 40th Battalion. The Fredericton Gleamer says:—No official announcement has been made as to the officer to command the 40th Maritime Infantry Battalion of the Third Canadian contingent, but it is expected that the appointment will be officially made at divisional headquarters in Halifax at the latter part of this week. Lieut.-Col. Kirkpatrick, of the 6th Regiment, of Debec, Carleton county, is expected to be selected for the position. He went to England with the first contingent and returned from Salisbury Plain with the expectation of having a place with either the second or the third contingent. Up to noon on Wednesday seven applications had been formally made to Major W. H. Gray, recruiting officer for York and Sunbury counties, by young men wishing to enlist with the 40th.

More Deviltry of the Germans Confirmed Using Phosphorus in Shells and Poisoning Those Who Are Wounded

London, Feb. 11.—A special from Paris to the Daily Chronicle says:—"Professor Albert Dastre today confirmed the communication he read privately last week to the Academy of Medicine on behalf of two distinguished French scientists, M. Urbain, professor of chemistry at the Paris Faculty of Sciences, and Victor Henri, demonstrator of physiology of the same faculty. It concerns the use of phosphorus by Germans in shell.

Professor Dastre explained that he presented two cases of the use of phosphorus in shells from German "Z" guns. One resulted from the employment of the poison with shrapnel balls placed in a metal recipient like a blacking box containing some thirty balls tightly compressed together with a composition containing a considerable quantity of phosphorus. The other case arose from the employment of phosphorus in purely explosive shells. This phosphorus poisons the "wounded."

RYAN-DAVENPORT. The marriage of Miss Ethel Davenport and Walter Ryan, both of Fredericton, was solemnized in St. Dunstan's church on Wednesday. Rev. Father Carney performed the ceremony.

Stock Reducing Sale

See what you can buy for One Dollar

- CANNED GOODS 3 Cans Tomatoes, 3 Cans Peas, 3 Cans Corn, 3 Cans Potatoes and Beans, For \$1.00
- Cans Salmon, 3 Cans Finnan Haddock, 3 Cans Kipper Herring, 3 Cans Sardines, For \$1.00
- Cans Strawberries, 2 Cans Raspberries, 2 Cans Peaches, For \$1.00

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Senator Burleigh Asks Maine to Give \$18,000 Towards the Project

Augusta, Feb. 9.—A new international bridge between Maine and Canada is being provided for in a resolve presented in the upper branch of the Maine legislature on Tuesday by Senator Burleigh of Arnsbrook. The resolve is in favor of aid for a highway bridge over the St. John river between Madawaska, Maine and Edmundston, N. B.

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Sample Package of the Famous Pyramid Pile Remedy, 100 Dose, Free to Prove What It Will Do for You.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Terris of Albert, Albert county, announce the engagement of their daughter, Rebecca Marguerite to Emery S. Cosman, son of G. S. Cosman of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Roderick of Britain street left last night on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. R. A. Sullivan, Dorchester, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Sullivan, Dorchester, Mass., announce the wedding to take place in June.

AUTHOR OF MAPLE LEAF DEAD

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NO MORE GUARANTEED CORNS

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