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A CENTENARIAN

David Kenney, of Dartmouth, is 102 Years of Age and Has Just Gave Away on a Fishing Trip

(Halifax Herald)
It was on board the steamer Scotia, as she lay at Campbell's wharf taking on freight and passengers for eastern shore ports, that the Halifax Herald reporter found David Kenney. Mr. Kenney had walked from his Dartmouth home to the ferry, crossed over the harbor and then walked to the Scotia with a brisk step. Many a younger man might be called old. He will be 102 years old on February 4th next. He was born when Napoleon was just about to discover what a mistake he had made in his attempt to become overlord of Europe and a great interest in the career of the Herald. "Not only do I expect to live to see the complete overthrow of the Kaiser, but if the recruiting officers would take me on I'd like to go over and help to thrash the Huns to a finish."

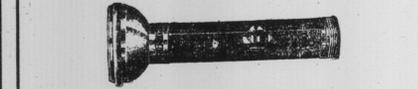
As Mr. Kenney said this he squared his shoulders in military fashion, his ruddy cheeks took on a ruddier hue and his keen eyes snapped electrically. He confidently believes that were he in the trenches he could prove to them that his "trigger finger" and "lightning eye" are as effective as ever. And in regard to that effectiveness it might be said that Nova Scotia never had a keener sportsman, one more successful with rod and gun than David Kenney. He was starting off as the reporter caught him, on a fishing trip to Sheet Harbor where some of his children and grandchildren live.

Speaking of grandchildren—Mr. Kenney has sixty-seven of them, and he has sixty-four great grandchildren. Seven of his grandsons are on the European battlefields doing their bit for the empire and he has great grandsons who are wishing they had a year or two more over their heads so that they, too, could enlist.

Mr. Kenney was born in Barrington in the loyal old county of Shelburne. He was the only son of a sea captain who died at the age of 80 years.

The family of this venerable old gentleman now living, five daughters and four sons, are: Mrs. Mary Burgess, Pine Street, Dartmouth; Mrs. George Hamel, Rose's Point, New York; Mrs. G. P. Sheehan, now living in England; Mrs.

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Mr. Veniot and Mr. Byrne
Bathurst Paper's Article on the Selection of These Two Able Men for Places in the Cabinet — A Sketch of Their Lives

(Northern Light, Bathurst.)
After nearly twenty-five years lapse of time, Gloucester county secures a notable distinction in having two of its recently elected members of the legislature appointed to important posts in the cabinet of the province.
Not since the retirement of Hon. P. G. Ryan from the position of minister of public works, almost twenty years ago, has a representative of this large and important county been honored with a position in the executive council of this province. During that time the county has not failed to secure distinction for any lack of good cabinet material, for on many occasions the representatives of this county were among the most able in the house, but more pushing and more ambitious constituencies were always able to assert their claims to preferment with greater influence and force.
The recognition, by Premier Foster, of the outstanding abilities of two of Gloucester's new members not only constitutes a tribute to the personal qualifications of the two members selected, but also draws province-wide attention to the importance of the progressive spirit which has been fostered in the county as well as to the long period of time during which Gloucester has been kept in the background.
Now that Gloucester has been given a place in the sun, and a most important place, it only remains for the new ministers to show to the rest of the province that the confidence placed in them is well merited, and of that fact the people of this county have not the slightest misgiving.

Hon. Mr. Veniot.

Hon. Peter J. Veniot, who now takes up the responsibility of administering the public works department, is a native of the county, was born at Richibucto in 1868. His parents moved to Pictou, N. S., while he was still a boy, and it was at the renowned Pictou Academy sometimes called the "cradle of college presidents," that he received the education that fitted him for the active part he has always taken since in the affairs of the county. After graduating from this institution, he took up the newspaper business, and after some years experience, came to Bathurst, where he occupied the position of editor of "Le Courrier" from 1894 to 1900. Early in life he became interested in politics, and from 1894 to 1900 he was one of the representatives of Gloucester County in the local house. In the latter part of his career he was elected as a member of the provincial assembly, and in his home town of Bathurst as a dentist, graduated more than a year ago from the Bathurst Dental College. His other sons are Lieut. Walter L. Veniot, who went over to England with the 182nd battalion, and Lieut. Peter J. (Chap.) Veniot, who is now in Canada with the 2nd Canadian Infantry Battalion. The youngest son is Francis who until the recent destruction of the "Saxford" was a student at West Bathurst was a student at that institution, and is now continuing his studies at a similar institution in Charlottetown, N.S.

Hon. Mr. Byrne.

Hon. James Paul Byrne, who is now the ranking legal light of the province, brings to his duties as attorney-general the ripe experience of many years' practice at the bar. He is a native of this province, where his mother and one sister still reside. Part of his education was secured at St. Joseph's College, Miramichi, and the law profession was begun in the law office of Judge White in his native town. He later attended the Dalhousie Law School, Halifax, and completed his legal studies at Ann Arbor, Mich.

He began the practice of law at Sussex, where he remained for five or six years. He then removed to Bathurst, and for the last seventeen years has carried on an ever increasing and important practice until at the present time he is considered one of the leading members of his learned calling. About a month ago he was raised to the dignity of king's counsel, and that time members of the bench and his fellow lawyers at the bar joined in felicitating him on the deserved recognition of his high standing.

In 1908 he was elected to the local legislature as one of an independent ticket, and it is a generally known fact that Hon. J. D. Hazen, the premier of that day, made an effort to win his support and was willing to take him into his cabinet as attorney-general. Mr. Byrne, however, remained in the house throughout the term as an independent, and when he offered for re-election in 1912 went down to defeat together with his colleagues, Mr. Veniot, Seraphin Leger and Mr. DeLaGarde.

Fourteen years ago Mr. Byrne married Miss Emma Burns, daughter of Hon. Kennedy F. Burns, who was for many years the most influential man in both the political and industrial life of the North Shore. They have no children. Naturally of a most studious and retired disposition, the new attorney-general has had few interests outside of his home, his books and his profession. He is exceptionally well informed on topics of current and general interest and one of his chief relaxations is traveling, his fondness for which amounts almost to a passion. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus and one of the most prominent in the province, and he has the unique distinction of being the first of his faith and nationality to occupy the office of attorney-general in the history of this province.

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The last grand convention of the C. M. B. A. of Canada, held about a year ago, he was unanimously chosen as grand vice-president of the organization.

He was one of the outstanding leaders in the modern educational movement among the Acadians. Mr. Veniot has most effectively illustrated and given a practical example of his belief in higher education in the careers of his own sons. Dr. C. J. Veniot, one of the leading medical men of the North Shore, was one of the first arts graduates of the Sacred Heart College at Caraquet, and secured his M. D. degree from Laval University. Another son, S. Veniot, B. Sc., is a graduate of U. N. B., and at present occupies an important position with the town of Bathurst as town engineer. Dr. J. L. Veniot, also, was one of the first arts graduates of the Sacred Heart College at Caraquet, and secured his M. D. degree from Laval University.

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Copies of Letters in Which Gallant Young Halifax Officer Was Three Times Recommended for Military Cross

On all sides since news of the death of Captain Eric Dennis in action was received have been heard expressions of regret, these coming especially from the officers and men of the 68th Regiment Halifax Rifles, as well as from many who had known the young officer and followed his career. The fact that he was three times recommended for the Military Cross speaks for itself of the quality of his courage. Scarcely more than a boy in years, he has left a record which richly justifies the pride of his friends—he was prompt to offer for the defence of the empire; served faithfully and gallantly and gallantly died.

The following are copies of the three letters in which he was recommended by his commanding officer for the Military Cross. The documents speak for themselves:

First Recommendation for Military Cross Forwarded July 10, 1916.

Lieut. Eric Reginald Dennis
On several occasions displayed great gallantry and resource, notably at Hill 60 when his battalion was in the trenches and at Pozieres.

On the 9th of Sept. Lieutenant Dennis who was in command of the second wave of his company during an attack on an enemy trench N. E. of Pozieres rendered very valuable assistance in leading his party through a heavy barrage and bringing up reinforcements when they were most needed. His work during the consolidation of the trench and in warding off counter attacks was of the very greatest value. I cannot commend this officer too highly for his gallant conduct and general devotion to duty.

Lieut.-Col. Commanding the Canadian Battalion.

Second Recommendation for Military Cross Forwarded Sept. 13, 1916.

Lieutenant Eric Reginald Dennis (Canadian Battalion)
This officer is recommended for his gallant conduct and splendid work on the 9th and 10th Sept., 1916, for the very able manner in which he led his platoon during the advance, and the way he handled his men during the time they were consolidating.

The splendid manner which this officer led his men was a great example to all ranks. He was on duty continuously for 26 hours, and at one time was the only officer left with the company, all others having been wounded or killed. He superintended the digging of the one communication trench under a heavy shell fire and handled the matter very admirably.

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Third Recommendation for the Military Cross

Forwarded October 19, 1916.

Lieut. Eric Reginald Dennis.
This officer is recommended for gallant conduct and conspicuous bravery. In trenches northeast of Pozieres at about 10.30 o'clock on the morning of the 14th October, 1916, two men were killed and seven buried during an intense bombardment. This officer who was close by immediately took action, brought some men on the scene and regardless of personal safety finally succeeded in rescuing those buried. His prompt action undoubtedly saved the lives of at least six of these men. During the trench, struggling under the enemy concentrated on our trenches, this officer's conduct was admirable. Walking among his men with the utmost coolness, his bearing was very inspiring to the men under his command. The conduct of this officer stands out above all others and I cannot recommend him too highly.

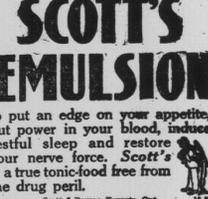
THE CRATER FIGHT

Famous Charge of the "Fighting 26th" Described by Lord Beaverbrook in His New Book.

The story of the crater fight has been told many times, but that description of it contained in the official records and appearing in Lord Beaverbrook's second volume of "Canada in Flanders" is particularly interesting. That part of the record referring to the crater fight is as follows:

"The 26th New Brunswick, under Lieutenant-Colonel McAvity, was ordered to make a reconnaissance on October 18, and the company commanded by Major Brown held the post of honor. If the mine crater could be occupied with advantage, then it was to be held by the attacking party; if, on the other hand, it was useless to hang on there, the crater was to be abandoned. Imagine the infantry, bombers and bayonet men from four successive lines, straining on the leash till the artillery had finished pounding and the smoke bombs, which had been prepared to cover the advance from the sight of the German trenches, had been let loose. Thrilling is the moment when warriors climb their trenches to the assault. The New Brunswickers were untired. But before dawn, at 4 o'clock they came from a sapshead, dug in advance of their trench, and raced for the crater over forty yards of open ground. The weight of a threefold decision lay upon them. Major Brown and Lieutenant Fairweather, of the 26th, and Lieutenant McPhee of the engineers, had to survey the ground, determine whether to hold on or retire, and guard against counter-attacks and flank attacks. One party, at their order, rushed to within throwing distance of the German side of the crater, where the enemy occupied a sapshead from which noises of tapping had been heard, and held off assault with bomb and rifle. Shielded by their efforts our officers examined the ground, while Major Brown extended the supports right and left of our sapshead to ward off a flank attack. Both advance support parties were met by high explosive bombs and a heavy cross fire from the enemy machine guns. In the words of Captain McMillan of the 26th, 'in the face of a shower of bombs from the front, and enfiladed from both sides by machine gun fire, the first and second lines went forward and gained the crater. After a careful reconnaissance made by the officers in charge it was found inadvisable to remain in the crater, and the order to retire was given. Nor did that order come a moment too soon. Just as the officers and party cleared the crater, a mine trap, whose existence had been suspected, was fired by the Germans, and the whole force barely escaped destruction. At this moment the ground between the crater and our trenches was covered with a hail of bullets from the machine guns of the enemy and by flying shells and bursting bombs.' The explosion stunned everyone within reach. Sergeant Ryer, a well-known scout and trapper in civil life, remained unshaken. Instead of retiring at once he kept in the open, using his rifle as opportunity offered, with good success, accounting it is believed for eleven of the enemy. After he had helped to cover his comrades, with an indifference to orders not unlike Nelson at Copenhagen, Ryer turned to the wounded. The losses of the 26th had been severe. Imagine a

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ASSOCIATED CHARITIES

The monthly board meeting of the Associated Charities was held yesterday afternoon at 117 Germain street with the president, W. S. Fisher, in the chair. Many cases came before the meeting. The report presented showed that during the month there were 185 applications for aid; thirty-eight requests for employment; forty-five recommended; twenty-four requiring aids; fourteen seeking relief; relief secured for thirteen; records given, nineteen; visits, seventy-three; seven cases investigated; clothing given to twenty-five members were appointed to represent the board on the Social Service Council as follows: W. S. Fisher, William Young, Mrs. F. E. Marvin, Mrs. C. F. Woodman and Miss Grace Robertson.



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