

# FRENCH REGAIN SEVERAL TRENCHES NEAR HILL 140

## Artillery Causes Outbreak of Fire in German Munitions Depot--Gen. Percy Lake Joins Relief Expedition in Mesopotamia.

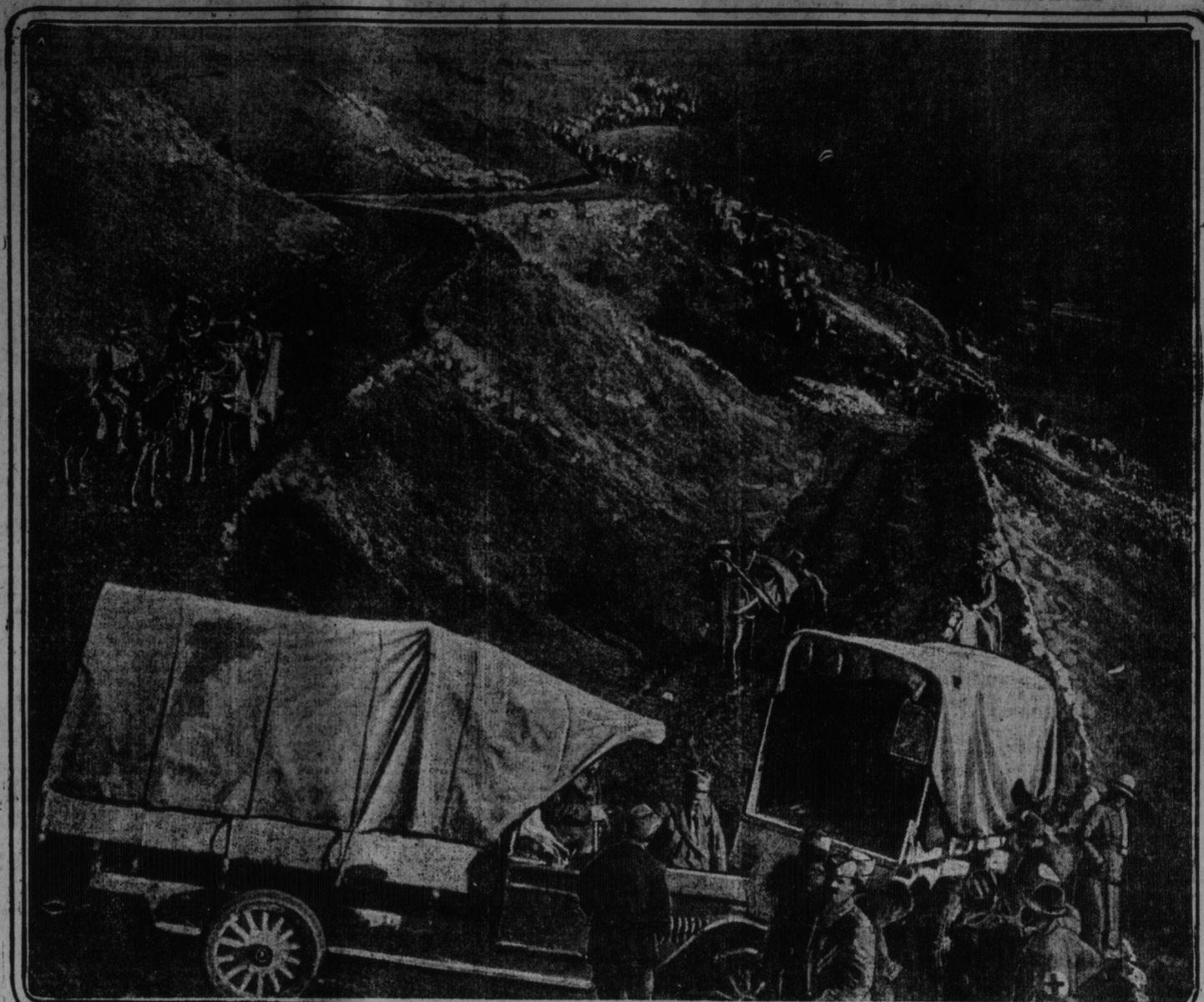
Paris, Jan. 29, via London.—An attack by the Germans on the French front south of Somme yesterday along a width of several kilometers failed completely on the southern end of the line, succeeding only on the bank of the Somme against the village of Fres, it was announced today by the war office.

French troops near Hill 140, in the Artois district, re-captured this morning some of the trenches taken yesterday by the Germans, the War Office announcement further declares.

In the valley of the Ficht French heavy artillery caused an outbreak of fire in a German munitions depot. Numerous explosions could be heard in the French lines. In the region of Lyons the enemy last night made an attack which was at once checked.

**GENERAL SIR PERCY LAKE JOINS GEN. AYLMER'S PARTY.**  
London, Jan. 29.—Lieut-General Sir Percy Lake, who recently took over the supreme command of the British forces in Mesopotamia, succeeding General Sir John Eccles Nixon, has, according to an official announcement, joined the relief expedition under General Aylmer at Wadi. He reports that the weather continues bad, and the whole country is deep in mud, making the movement of troops very difficult.

## AN INCIDENT DURING SERBIAN RETREAT OVER MOUNTAINS TOWARD ALBANIA



A FATAL CURVE ON THE ROAD OF RETREAT—THE ROAD DESCENDED IN VIOLENT HAIR-PIN TURNS, WHICH WERE TOO MUCH FOR THE MOTOR WAGONS, SOME OF WHICH FELL DOWN THE MOUNTAIN SIDE

This picture shows vividly the retreat of the Serbian army over the mountains. These steep and sharp turning roads were of much danger to motor trucks, which were difficult to control. The two motor trucks in the foreground, which were conveying English nurses, went down the steep embankment, seriously injuring a number of the nurses.

### CANADA WILL NEVER ADOPT CONSCRIPTION

### Hon. Dr. Roche says in address at Chicago—Meeting to give prospective immigrants correct information on War conditions here.

Chicago, Jan. 30.—Canada governs itself and is not influenced by Great Britain in any way; conscription never will be adopted in the Dominion, and there are no war taxes on Canadian land and never will be. These were some of the assertions here Saturday by Dr. William J. Roche, minister of the interior of Canada, and T. C. Norris, premier of Manitoba, at a meeting of Canadian immigration agents from the United States. The meeting is designed to outline methods of informing American people who planned to take up homesteads in Canada of the actual conditions in the Dominion.

### MUCH UNCERTAINTY ABOUT RUMORED INTER-DOMINION CONFERENCE

London, Jan. 30, (Montreal Gazette Cable).—Although the London Times has been suggesting that Sir Robert Borden should pay another visit to England in order to meet the Australian and New Zealand ministers, expected and thus have some sort of colonial conference, it is not thought likely here that the Canadian premier will come, so long as the political situation at Ottawa is unsettled. In any case New Zealand is already out of its arrangements at present, as Premier Massey has announced that the proposed visit of himself and the premier has been postponed owing to the pressure of work.

### HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Royal  
J. Craig, Toronto; W. W. Ferguson, Montreal; W. W. Berry, P. Ralville, Montreal; N. Rogers, Toronto; W. H. Wilkinson, D. J. McCarthy, M. G. Murphy, D. J. Morton, Toronto; A. H. Webb, W. H. Montgomery, G. L. Stain, Halifax; E. L. J. Stephens, Liverpool; W. P. Hunt, S. Skinner, F. Conner, C. W. Parker, W. Webber, R. E. Lyons, F. R. Kirkpatrick, R. P. Oimstead, D. R. Kennedy, Montreal; J. G. Goldsmith, New York; A. E. Whitmore, Regina; E. J. Wanden, London; P. Algee, Winnipeg; A. D. Richard, Dorchester; J. Stauffer, Galt; Mrs. R. L. MacLaren, Montreal; E. Pike, Montreal.

### Victoria.

J. L. White, Grand Falls; E. R. Reid, W. E. Coombs, Montreal; Geo. H. Turton, Montreal; Wm. O'Neil, Welford; A. W. Forrie, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. McCrossan, Toronto; Jas. E. MacDonald, North Bedouque; J. C. Gillespie, Truro, N. S.; Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Bullie, Vancouver; Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dunn, Hampton; Mrs. Harrison, Fredericton; J. W. P. Downing, St. John; O. J. Kilham, Truro; H. W. Woods, Welford; J. A. Murray, Sussex; J. A. Leoffroy,

Montreal; E. Crandillmere, Vancouver; F. T. French, Millstream; Mrs. Bessie Stottard, Calgary; Ethel G. Hill, London, Eng.; D. Froherson, London, Eng.; A. Gordon Coy, F. O. Morgan, R. V. Barker, Fredericton; G. A. Shauer, Montreal; F. Tregreum, Hamilton; Z. Garneau, Quebec; S. Freedman, Montreal; S. Traynor, Prince Rupert, B. C.; H. T. MacKenzie, Moncton; A. E. McDonald, St. John; W. D. L. Brown, Halifax; A. G. Coy, Fredericton; H. A. Stephens, Ottawa; H. C. Sprague, L. G. Melanson, Partridge Island, Dufferin.

C. Bruneau, Quebec; F. L. Dougan, Moncton; A. E. Wilkinson, Halifax; D. McRae, Montreal; Thos. H. Pirie, Grand Falls; R. W. Freeman, Amherst; M. Wolf, Kamloops; H. Price, Sault Ste. Marie; Chas. Morgan, Montreal; Roy Sypher, Cookshire; J. N. Dunlop, Bathurst; C. Beckwith, Moncton; J. G. Hildebrand, New York; L. R. Acker, Halifax; Miss M. G. Tesco, Amherst; R. St. J. Fresse, Sussex; P. Gilroy, Montreal; N. W. Brown, Southampton; W. S. Drew, Liverpool, N. S.; G. W. Sanborn, Boston; A. Proudford, Hopewell, N. S.; H. B. McDonald, Toronto; C. Cantin, Quebec; S. Grant Laury, Geo. D. Thompson, Montreal.

### WHY BEAUTIFUL WOMEN ARE SO ATTRACTIVE.

Who does not envy and admire a lovely woman? The secret of her loveliness, of her perfection, is health. She eats well, she digests well—her intricate functions are vigorous and regular. Of all women's remedies, Ferrozone is the best; it vitalizes the functions upon which health depends—makes the purest, richest blood, gives perfect complexion and lots of vigor. Every girl and woman who seeks health, vitality, looks—let her get Ferrozone today. Fifty-cent boxes at all dealers.

### N. B. Clam Industry Active.

The residents of Grand Manan, Campobello and other islands in that vicinity are making money just now shipping clams to the two Eastport canning plants. There is a market in that city for 500 bushels of clams daily and the price per barrel there is \$1.15. The average digger can gather up two or three barrels a day when the weather conditions are favorable. With the exception of Saturday the weather has been good for clam digging. The pack in Eastport will not be quite as large as last year's output as clams were very plentiful in 1915. This season they are scarcer, but the yield is by no means a failure and many extra dollars are going into the pockets of New Brunswickers.

### CROSS, FEVERISH CHILD IS BILIOUS OR CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! If tongue is coated give "California Syrup of Figs."

Every mother realizes, after giving her children "California Syrup of Figs," that this is their ideal laxative, because they love its pleasant taste and it thoroughly cleanses the tender little stomach, liver and bowels without griping. When cross, irritable, feverish or breath is bad, stomach sour, look at the tongue, mother! If coated, give a teaspoonful of this harmless "fruit laxative," and in a few hours all the foul, constipated waste, sour bile and undigested food passes out of the bowels, and you have a well-playful child again. When its little system is full of cold, throat sore, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, indigestion, colic—remember, a good "laxative cleansing" should always be the first treatment given. Millions of mothers keep "California Syrup of Figs" handy; they know a teaspoonful today saves a sick child tomorrow. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups printed on the bottle. Beware of counterfeiters and wedges of ill-gotten gain. Get the genuine, made by "California Fig Syrup Company."

### HONOR ROLL UNVEILED IN F'CTON CHURCH

Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, Jan. 30.—At St. Paul's Presbyterian church, this morning, the roll of honor containing the names of those members of the congregation who have enlisted in the Canadian forces during the war, was unveiled, the roll which contains sixty-one names. An appropriate sermon was preached by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith, the pastor. The Protestant troops stationed here attended the service. After the hockey game Saturday night between Gibson and the 104th Battalion, Private Talmage Titus of the 104th was presented with a watch and an address. The address was read by Rev. H. H. Ferguson, pastor of the Gibson-St. Mary's church, who also made the presentation on behalf of Rosmore Lodge No. 27, Loyal Orange Association, of which Private Titus is a member. The recipient of the gift is captain and goal keeper of his company's hockey team and is well known throughout the Maritime Provinces as a hockey player.

### OFFICER OF THE 64TH WEDS ONE OF SUSSEX MOST POPULAR YOUNG LADIES

Special to The Standard.  
Sussex, Jan. 30.—A very pretty wedding was solemnized at Trinity church at high noon on Saturday, when Miss Hilda Edina, daughter of His Worship Mayor Wallace and Mrs. Wallace were united in marriage to Capt. Edward Henry Bowron of the 64th Battalion, Halifax, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Bowron of Stellarton, N. S. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Mansel Shewen, the church being filled by friends of the contracting parties. The bride, who looked charming, carried a white prayer book and was gowned in white silk with accordin pleated skirt and wedding veil caught in place with ribbons of the valley and friends testified to the popularity of the bride and groom.

### NO STOMACH PAIN, GAS, INDIGESTION, IN FIVE MINUTES

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### FUNERALS.

At the funeral of Mrs. Susan Hicks, on Saturday, Rev. Dr. Hutchison conducted services. Burial took place in Cedar Hill.  
The funeral of the late Miss Geraldine Kirk took place on Thursday at Antigonish, N. S., from the residence of her aunt, Mrs. F. H. Macphie. The deceased, who was a daughter of the late John A. Kirk, M. P. P., was born in Antigonish about eighteen years ago, but removed to Dorchester, N. B., at an early age, when her father was appointed warden of Dorchester penitentiary. For the last eight months she had been in training at the General Public Hospital, St. John, where she died from pneumonia.

### NORTHUMBERLAND MAN, MEMBER OF THE 104TH, DIES AT FREDERICTON

Toronto officer who served in Flanders one of speakers at recruiting meeting at the capital.  
Special to The Standard.  
Fredericton, Jan. 30.—Tonight a largely attended recruiting meeting was held in the Opera House. Ald. J. M. Lemont was in the chair. The speakers were Lance-Corporal Stewart, of Toronto, who served in Flanders with the 15th Battalion C. E. F., and Judge Wilson, of this city. Saturday night between the two matches of the double header in the local hockey league, Lieut-Col. Guthrie delivered a brief appeal for recruits to the crowd at the Arctic rink. Miss Mary Helen McKay, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William McKay, of Forest Hill, Fredericton, passed away at the Victoria Public Hospital last night. She is survived by her parents. The funeral will take place Monday, with service at the house at 3 p. m. by Rev. Dr. W. H. Smith. Interment will be at Forest Hill cemetery.  
Private Ora W. Pond, of "C" company 104th Battalion, died at the Victoria Public Hospital Saturday night after a brief illness with pneumonia. The deceased was aged twenty-three years. Service will be held at 5 p. m., by Rev. A. F. Newcombe, and the remains will be taken to Ludlow, Northumberland county, the home of the deceased, where interment will be made. A military escort will accompany the remains.

### MINERS' UNION WILL SUPPORT MILITARY BILL

London, Jan. 29.—The Durham Miners' Union took a ballot today on the question whether they should support the Military Service Bill, and the vote resulted in a majority of 7,896 in favor of the bill.  
The totals were:—For the bill, 34,715; against the bill, 26,819.  
Twenty thousand miners retrained from voting, while thirty thousand were unable to cast ballots because the men were in the army.  
Frederick John Cheesman, an aged resident of Fairville, died early yesterday morning at his home on Prospect street. Besides a wife he leaves six sons, William F., Richard J., Thomas W., Silas A., Joshua J., and Justin G. He was 81 years of age. The funeral will be held at 2.30 this afternoon from his late home.

### Could Not Stand The Least Excitement. Was So Weak and Run Down.

Many women become run down and worn out by their household cares and duties never ending, and sooner or later find themselves with shattered nerves and weak hearts.  
When the heart becomes weak, and the nerves unstrung, it is impossible for a woman to look after her household or social duties. The least little exertion or excitement leaves her in an exhausted condition, and not fit to do anything.  
On the first sign of any weakness of the heart or nerves, you will be wise if you start to take Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills.  
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CALL OF "A SUDDEN PEGGY"  
Change of Vaudeville  
Sleigh Crashed in Runaway.  
Cohan Hall, a racing horse, owned by Louis Thompson, ran away yesterday morning. When nearing St. Patrick's Home, Silver Falls, Mr. Thompson walking and leading the horse the animal bolted on being frightened by a dog. The horse continued to run at a furious pace until reaching Jrahama's bridge, on the Loch Lomond road, when the sleigh overturned and was smashed to pieces.  
Gorman Won.  
There were nine starters in the half mile senior race at Victoria rink on Saturday, including Garnett. Charles Gorman won, with Murray Bell a close second. Time 1 min., 28 secs.  
Three Drunks Arrested.  
The police managed to arrest three drunks on Saturday who will appear before the Police Magistrate this morning.  
**OBITUARY.**  
Florence Elizabeth Green.  
Miss Florence Elizabeth Green, daughter of Major and Mrs. H. Green, died this morning at her home, 240 Millidge ave., after a lingering illness. Besides her parents she leaves five sisters and two brothers. The sisters are Mrs. Alfred Barton of Amherst, N. S.; Mrs. Robert Jones of this city; Miss Ethel of Waltham, Mass.; Miss Alberta and Gertrude at home. The brothers are William and Arthur at home.  
The funeral arrangements will be made later.  
**DIED.**  
HURLEY—In this city, on January 29th, John, son of Honora and the late Michael Hurley, leaving his mother, two brothers and two sisters to mourn their loss.  
Funeral on Tuesday, February 1, at 8.45 a.m. from his late residence, 9 Vliart street, to St. Peter's church for requiem high mass at nine o'clock. Friends invited to attend.  
MCINTOSH—At the General Public Hospital, 28th December, 1916, Donald McIntosh, at the age of 49 years. A native of Scotland, Quartermaster C. G. S. Aberdeen.  
Funeral from N. W. Breen & Son's undertaking rooms on Tuesday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Friends invited to attend.  
GALLAGHER—In this city on the 29th inst., Emily Gallagher.  
Funeral Monday 2.30, private.  
CHEESMAN—At his home on the morning of January 30, Frederick John Cheesman, of Prospect street, Fairville, in the 82nd year of his age.  
Funeral from his late home this (Monday) afternoon at 2.30. (Boston papers please copy).  
GREEN—At her home, 240 Millidge Avenue, this (Monday) morning, after a lingering illness, Florence Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Major H. Green, leaving her parents, five sisters and two brothers at home.  
(P.E.I. papers please copy).  
Notice of funeral hereafter.  
LYNCH—At his parents' residence, 63 Mackenzie street, on the 29th inst., James Edward, aged one year and ten months, only child of John E. and Margaret A. Lynch.  
Funeral this (Monday) afternoon at three o'clock.