

CASUALTIES SHOW UNITS IN FIGHTING

Yesterday's List Indicates Canadian Division in Severe Action.

FIVE OFFICERS NAMED Seven of Nine Toronto Soldiers are Reported Wounded.

That the Canadian divisions have been in severe action is indicated by the casualty list of yesterday which contained the names of five officers with Toronto units. Nine other Toronto men are mentioned; seven are wounded, while one being held prisoner is now believed to have been killed, and another previously reported missing has rejoined his battalion. Of the five officers mentioned, three have been wounded and the other, Lieut. Stevens of Annapolis, Ont., has died of wounds. A cable received by Prof. Major of Toronto University contained the news that his son, Capt. W. Major, has been wounded for the third time. At the outbreak of the war Capt. Major held a commission in the 48th Highlanders and was gassed in the battle of Langemarck, recovering in time to participate in the fighting at Festubert. There he sustained five wounds. After this he was allowed home on sick leave and was promoted from the rank of lieutenant to captain and went overseas with the 2nd Highlanders Battalion. Capt. Major has been awarded the military cross for gallantry on the field last spring. Lieut. T. H. Sneath, son of Dr. Sneath, Broadview avenue, was wounded in action. The communication from Ottawa only stated that he had been wounded and his whereabouts in the war zone is now unknown. On April 25 he went overseas with the 14th Battalion and was reported wounded. Lieut. Hanna's mother reported the given charge of a trench mortar battery. After being in the trenches three months Lieut. Earl B. Hannu, who left Toronto last April with the 1st Battalion, has been reported wounded. Lieut. Hanna's mother reported that he was killed in action. Lieut. J. H. E. Stewart is in a Norfolk hospital suffering from a gunshot wound in the foot. The son of the South African war and before enlisting resided on Margaret street. A son is a prisoner in Germany and his wife is now in England. Lieut. Herbert Whitbread of 80 Pruss street, a former motorman on the street railway who went overseas last spring, is reported to have been slightly wounded in the shoulder. Wounded in April by shrapnel and later returning to the front, Lieut. McCredie is now in the Moore Hospital, England, to undergo an operation to have some shrapnel removed from his shoulder and leg. Lieut. McCredie went overseas with the 6th Battalion and was reported killed at the front. Lieut. George A. Stead, who went to the front when only 19 years of age with the 7th Battalion, reported wounded in action. He was the first to volunteer to go in a draft. He formerly lived with his aunt at 212 Ossington avenue. Lieut. Arch McBride, 58 Birch avenue, a former member of the Peterboro fire department, has won the military medal. He was a veteran of South Africa and has been in the trenches since the first Canadian contingent went over in 1915. His wife and four children have moved to Peterboro. His troubles of many descriptions may be wonderfully benefited by following the simple rules. Here is the prescription: Go to any active drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one into water and allow to dissolve. With this liquid bathe the eyes two to four times daily. You should notice your eyes clear perceptibly right from the start and, in a few days, you will be able to see clearly. Many hopelessly blind men have been saved if they had cared for their eyes in time. Note: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, writes: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its constituent ingredients are well known to eminent eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent. in one week's time in many instances or refund the money if it can be obtained from any good druggist, and is one of the very few preparations I feel should be kept in hand for regular use in almost every family." G. Zambini sells it.

brother, who still lives at the Finch avenue home, is a member of the 150th Battalion. Acting Lance-Corp. W. Stephenson, a machinist by trade, of 106 Lansdowne avenue, is in a military hospital at Rievisham suffering from a gunshot wound. He enlisted with a Hamilton regiment and was transferred several times.

NEW FORESTRY UNIT RAPIDLY RECRUITING

Several Outside Points Already Sending Men to Fill the Ranks.

Outside points have already begun to send men to swell the ranks of the 24th Forestry Battalion, which is now taking recruits in the city more rapidly than any other unit. As a result of a visit of Sergt.-Major C. D. Harris, chief recruiting officer, and Sergt. D. J. Harris, to Owen Sound last week, three men were sent to Toronto yesterday, while six more have been enlisted and are being held there for recruiting purposes. St. Catharines, which district is under charge of Sergt. Watson, also sent three men.

MORE ONTARIO MEN ARE INVALIDED HOME

Several Toronto Soldiers in Party Which Has Reached Quebec.

QUEBEC, Sept. 11.—Two officers, three nursing sisters and 52 N.C.O.'s and men from Canada returned home on the steamer Grampiar, which arrived in port early Sunday. The party was in charge of Capt. E. Cluett, Maréchal, who is back on sick leave and will return to duty in a month's time. The party included the following from Ontario: Pte. F. H. Brooks, 39th Reserve, St. Thomas; Pte. W. Atwood, St. Thomas; Driver E. Marion, Ottawa; Corp. R. R. Mitchell, 21st Battalion, Smith's Falls; Gunner J. W. Eumstead, C.E.A., Cobourg; Pte. R. M. Lewis, 39th Battalion, Kingston; Pte. A. Clemett, 30th Battalion, Lindsay; Pte. F. Hunter, 39th Reserve, Peterboro; Pte. G. S. Lyon, C.E.A., Toronto; Pte. J. Campbell, 36th Reserve, Toronto; Pte. G. A. Shergold, 4th C.E.A., Toronto; Driver J. E. Beach, 36th Hamilton; Sapper J. McKenzie, C.E.A., Toronto; Sapper W. Linton, C.E.A., Toronto; Pte. J. Aldred, 30th Battalion, Toronto. The nursing sisters are: Sister C. M. Hood, Sister Huber, Sister Boulton.

RUSSIANS DRIVE TURKS TO PERSIAN FRONTIER

Occupy Baneth, Just Across the Border From Mesopotamia.

Special Cable to The Toronto World. LONDON, Sept. 11.—The feature of the Russian operations against the Turks has been the occupation of Baneth, just across the Mesopotamian border in Persia. They defeated the Turks in a fight and they are now in pursuit. The Russians won a further success in mountain fighting in the Ormutz region, of Erzingan, and captured four Turkish officers, 240 Askaris, one machine gun, one howitzer and two cannons. Owing to the mountainous nature of this region the Russians had to destroy the cannon and throw them over the cliff, for it was impossible to remove them.

RECOVERED BODY FROM RIVER

Special to The Toronto World. BROCKVILLE, Sept. 11.—The body of David Sullivan, a farm hand employed by Henry Hunt on Larue Island, was taken from the river yesterday, near a boathouse where the clothing of the dead man was found the day previous. Sullivan disappeared on Friday. A coroner, who was called to investigate, did not consider the case a murder. He is an upward of 50 years old and unmarried.

FALL OF SPAN RECALLS FORMER BIG DISASTER

Sixty Lives Lost When Quebec Bridge Collapsed Nine Years Ago.

NATIONAL UNDERTAKING Government, Undeterred by Catastrophe, Let New Contracts for Work.

QUEBEC, Sept. 11.—Today's Quebec bridge disaster vividly recalls the first attempt at erecting the bridge which ended disastrously in the collapse of the unfinished structure. Sixty lives were lost and serious injury to 11 other persons, occasioned by the collapse on Aug. 28, 1907, of the steel superstructure of the southern cantilever and anchor arms of the bridge then being erected across the St. Lawrence River about eight miles above Quebec. The property loss was nearly \$1,500,000.

Construction of the bridge was started in 1900, after substantial Dominion and provincial assistance had been given to a company organized in 1897, under the name of the Quebec Bridge Co., to carry on the work of construction. The cost of the masonry work was \$1,400,000, and the steel work was commenced in 1904. The total estimated cost was between \$7,000,000 and \$8,000,000. The money spent up to the end of March, 1907, was \$4,415,598.

A royal commission immediately began an enquiry into the causes of the disaster. Its report was issued in 1909. Errors of design on the part of the two chief engineers engaged in the building of the bridge were given as the principal cause of the collapse. These errors, it was found, were not due to lack of professional knowledge, neglect of duty or desire to economize. The ability of the two engineers was tried in one of the most difficult professional problems of the time. The design was unequal to the task. Inefficient engineering supervision at the bridge itself was cited as a contributing cause, and better judgment on the part of responsible officials of the Quebec Bridge Co. and the Provincial Government is also mentioned.

FALKENHAYN'S NEW POST

He May Succeed Bethmann-Hollweg As Chancellor. AMSTERDAM, via London, Sept. 11.—According to uncorroborated reports General Von Falkenhayn, Field Marshal von Hindenburg's predecessor as Chief of the German Imperial staff, will succeed Von Bethmann-Hollweg as Chancellor when the Reichstag assembles at the end of September. The same reports say that Germany will open a new submarine campaign on October 1.

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET.

WINNIPEG, Sept. 11.—Winnipeg wheat closed 3/4c higher for October, 3/4c up for December and unchanged for May. Oats were 3/4c lower for both months. Barley was unchanged. Flax gained 3/4c in October, 3/4c in November and 3/4c in December.

What—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
October	155 1/2	156 1/2	154	156 1/2
December	151 1/2	151 1/2	148 1/2	151 1/2
May	152 1/2	152	150 1/2	152 1/2
Oats—				
October	50 1/2	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
December	48 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2
Flax—				
October	188 1/2	188 1/2	187 1/2	188 1/2
December	185 1/2	185 1/2	187	185 1/2

NOTHING OF IMPORTANCE DONE ON RUSSIAN FRONT

Czar's General Headquarters Reports Lack of Fresh Developments.

Special Cable to The Toronto World. LONDON, Sept. 11.—According to the official communication of Russian general headquarters today, there have been no important developments on the Russian front from Roumania to Riga. The Germans claim that Russian attempts to capture Halicz, the key to Lemberg from the southwest, have been frustrated by the Teutonic forces. The foe says that the Slavs tried to break through the Teutonic lines by a heavy bombardment and a quick assault at Bursztyn, 12 miles north of Halicz, but these manoeuvres were frustrated. The Austrians merely say in their official communication that strong Russian attacks north of the Glodoc Bystriza River and at Rafalov were without result.

COMPANY NOT AWARE OF ACCIDENT'S CAUSE

Connection Holding Span Failed in an Unaccountable Manner.

ALL GOING SMOOTHLY Plan of Floating Span to Position Termed "Entire Success."

QUEBEC, Sept. 11.—The following official statement was issued at 2:30 by the St. Lawrence Bridge Co.: "The connection holding the suspended span on the south side failed, letting the span drop and dragging away the north side connection. The cause is unknown. No statement will be made on the cause until after the official enquiry is held. Eighty men were at work on the bridge at this time. Fourteen were on the span. Six were rescued and eight are unaccounted for. Chief Engineer Inspector H. W. McMillan has a compound fracture of the leg. His duties are being performed by the chief engineer and when he saw it fall he jumped to the ground to avoid injury. "Everything had worked marvelously. The work was within two minutes of the time scheduled. The plan of floating the centre span to position was an absolute success. It was placed within eight feet of its position on the first attempt, so that little shifting was necessary."

Mistake of Workmen? The accident was caused by the collapse of one of the hydraulic operated jacks at one corner of the span. Thru some error, it is stated, on the part of the workmen, one corner of the span was raised too high, and the jacks were set on the wrong end of the span to let the centre, one of the steel girders giving way. Navigation on the St. Lawrence, suspended this morning for 24 hours while the span-raising operations were going on, was resumed this afternoon. Impressions Differ. Hon. J. D. Hazen, minister of marine, who was one of the cabinet ministers on board the Lady Evelyn, says that in his opinion that the steel of the bridge seemed to give way afterwards. Col. William McBain, Ottawa, who was in a launch 100 yards away from the bridge and preparing to pass under it, says that the supports of the span broke one after the other and that a section of the steel from the span itself seemed to crumple up. Col. McBain told of the dramatic escape of a number of men in a cage who were watching the hoisting. The cage was hanging from the floor of the bridge and was tied to the span to prevent it from swinging. When the span went into the water the rope fortunately broke and left the cage suspended and swinging dizzily 100 feet in the air. Rudolphe Pett, who was working on the south shore end of the bridge handling the piers upon which the span rested, while the supports were being raised, said the span snapped on the north end. When it was loose from the supports it swung round and broke all the other girders holding it. Armand Hardy, St. Romuald, eight years old, one of the onlookers, saw one of the bridge workers who fell in to the water struggling in an exhausted condition to reach shore. The boy jumped into the river and managed to get the man ashore safely.

KILLED—WAS REPORTED MISSING. BROCKVILLE, Sept. 11.—Pte. A. Rooney, officially reported killed, has been missing since the battle of St. Julien, April, 1915. Rooney hailed from Brockville and was a veteran of the South African War.

GREAT ACCOMPLISHMENT OF PATRIOTIC LEAGUE

Convener of House and Supplies Committee Submits Encouraging Report.

COMPLETE ORGANIZATION More Than Four Million Articles Have Been Forwarded to the Front.

The following is the report submitted by the convener of household supplies committee of the Toronto Women's Patriotic League for two years' work, from Sept. 1, 1914, to Sept. 1, 1916. "With the close of the second year of our work, it is not strange that we cast a glance back to the beginning. Two years ago the league gave into my hands the work of converting a empty house into headquarters suited to our needs, authorizing the expenditure of \$500 for that purpose. It is history how our generous citizens made it possible for me to accomplish my task without a penny of expense. There, as if by magic, the several departments took on shape and energy, and each launched forth into its special sphere of usefulness. To me came the administration of the house and the care of the Red Cross supplies. I recall our pride in our first shipment; it seemed a tremendous thing, when, in a few months, it was able to report that half a million articles had been sent to the front. That number now is creeping very close to four million, with the need continuing. With complete organization, the work has, I na way, become routine, but there are always problems to be solved and emergencies to be met, and here, again, our friends have been many. As an example, when I went before a club of Toronto's leading business men to ask for materials to supply our voluntary workers, their response was generous and immediate, and \$2519 worth of materials were furnished us, to be made into hospital supplies, a portion of this being wool, which was knitted into 2454 pairs of ever-needed socks. Our 270 Red Cross Circles and individual workers have never grown weary in their well-doing; their work has been no passing fancy. If the women who have worked with us, and with us, have had one-half the satisfaction that I have had in giving these two years of my time to my country, their reward has been great. It is then, with extreme pleasure that I report that our statement of the two years shows the shipment of 2,944,002 articles, of a value of \$129,379.73. The following are some of the articles included in the above total: 5,490,514 surgical supplies, 1390 pillows, 30,045 pillow cases, 15,183 sheets, 2,944,002 articles, of a value of \$129,379.73. The following are some of the articles included in the above total: 5,490,514 surgical supplies, 1390 pillows, 30,045 pillow cases, 15,183 sheets, 2,944,002 articles, of a value of \$129,379.73. In addition, the supplies department have sent out 4192 letters, 79,800 post-cards of acknowledgment, also 5550 war works and Red Cross bulletins. I know all will feel a satisfaction in hearing these figures; they will be something to remember when peace is once more restored and one of the helpful things for which our league has stood. And as these history-making times have brought out the best in our men, they have also shown the devotion of our women, and it is a privilege that they have achieved. All of which is respectfully submitted. Frances Stearns Ritka, Convener of house and supplies committee."

The Lights of 65 Years Ago

are still doing duty in the shape of EDDY'S MATCHES

SIXTY-FIVE YEARS AGO THE FIRST CANADIAN-MADE MATCHES WERE MADE AT HULL BY EDDY AND SINCE THAT TIME, FOR MATERIALS AND STRIKING QUALITIES, EDDY'S HAVE BEEN THE ACKNOWLEDGED BEST.

Representatives of the engineers and firemen are making slow progress in their conferences with the officials at Montreal, and local railway men are complaining against the long time the men have to remain in Montreal, and claim the business could have been completed in a week, whereas they have been in Montreal for three weeks, entailing considerable expense. TWENTY CASES OF I. P. Twenty cases of infantile paralysis and two deaths have been reported in Ontario since the beginning of September. One suspected case is in Tomorden, Toronto has none.

FOUR CHARGES OF THEFT.

Pleading not guilty in the police court yesterday to four charges of theft, namely, breaking into Vernon Cunningham's store in the Exhibition grounds and stealing a quantity of cigars; stealing a number of pearl necklaces from Howard N. Chipman and stealing a number of purses from various persons, William Carson was remanded till Sept. 14.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.

Alleged to have committed bigamy by marrying his landlady, Anna Hall, Mutual street, while his wife was alive in the old country, Albert Edwards still was remanded for a week when he came up in the police court yesterday.

Keep the Health of the Countryside With Your Children

HOLIDAYS, with all their merry frolics through field and woodland, are over. They have done the good you intended—made your children rosy-cheeked and healthy. Such is the good work of fresh air and bright sunshine. But do not forget the most good, the real strengthening item was the fresh, rich creamy milk that refreshed their tired bodies. They'll still need that good, health-giving milk.

Give Them the Same Rich Satisfying Creamy Milk

Though in Toronto, you can still give your children the better milk they have found so refreshing. From the same splendid farms out in the country—the finest farms in Ontario—comes the Farmers' Dairy Milk—fresh, creamy, satisfying, always.

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Doctor Tells How To Strengthen Eyesight 50 Per Cent. In One Week's Time In Many Instances

A Free Prescription You Can Have Filled and Use at Home. Philadelphia, Pa.—Do you wear glasses? Are you a victim of eye strain or other eye weakness? If so, you would like to know that, according to Doctor Lewis, there is real hope for you. Many whose eyes were failing, say they have had their eyes restored through the principle of this wonderful free prescription. One man says, after trying it: "I was blind; could not see to read at all. Now I can read everything without any glasses and my eyes do not ache any more. At night they would pain dreadfully; now they feel fine all the time. It was like a miracle to me." A lady who used it says: "The atmosphere seemed hazy with or without glasses, but after using this prescription for fifteen days everything seems clear. I can even read fine print without glasses." It is believed that thousands who wear glasses can now discard them in a reasonable time, and millions more will be able to strengthen their eyes so as to be exempt the trouble and expense of ever getting glasses. Eye

Polly and Her Pals



Poor Kitty—She's as Surprised as Anyone!



By Sterrell



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