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to guard against casualties in our own trenches when it went off.

However, to make sure that the explosion would reach the German line of their escort were killed by machso heavy a charge had to be used that the effects upon the Canadian trench line were somewhat serious. Several of our bombers were killed and of our bombers were killed and wounded, and a reserve depot of third company under Lieut. T. C. third company under Lieut. T. C. third company officers. the other company officers. the effects upon the Canadian trench other bomb depot was blown up by an enemy shell about this time. P. W. Pick had been killed by a shell These two accidents made us short at the moment our mine blew up. of bombs when we needed them later This company began to consolidate on and we had to rely entirely on the supply of bombs which the bombers carried themselves.

explosion for a screen and met with tain."

by bombing parties on the right and rear of Captain Wilkinson's company rifle broken. He found another rifle were numerous and costly, among left flanks. Lieut, C. A. James, who The entire crew of one gun was killed and fired a while from the knee until them being a beautiful carving set was in charge of the right bombing or wounded in the advance, but a por- it became necessary to join the re- from the church in recognition of the party, was killed at the time of the tion of the other crew gained the explosion of the mine. Those who enemy's front trench and then ad-remained advanced without a leader. vanced along the trench in the direc-Lieut. G. N. Gordon, in charge of tion of "Stony Mountain." The adthe bomb party on the left, advanced vance was most difficult and although in the direction of "Stony Mountain," subjected to constant heavy rifle and but his bombers were almost all shot machine gun fire, the bombers led down. A few reached the first line the way until further advance was trench, including Lieut. Gordon. He was soon wounded, and was after-across the trench which had been hurrards killed by a German bomb party riedly erected by the enemy.

while lying in the German first line GUN ON SOLDIER'S BACK trench with two other comrades, who had exhausted their supply of bombs. reached the trench, was reduced to gerly along the ground towards the They were almost the only survivors Lieut. Campbell and Private Vincent, of the bombing party.

The machine gun crew, which lumber-jack from Bracebridge, The second company, under Capt. G. L. Wilkinson, at once followed the leading company and the bombers, set up the machine gun on the broad

set up the machine gun on the broad the loop back lasso-fashion to Ullock back of Private Vincent and fired who wrapped it around his body. continuously. Afterwards, during the Gledhill then hauled him to the paracontinuously. Atterwards, during the pet where the stretcer bearers came Sunday School which was held on

ne discovered that all his worldly

goods, including his rifle, had disap-peared. But his business training

told him that there was an active de-

pombs from the dead and wounded

out, mainly on all fours, to supply, that demand. He did it five times,

He was not himself a bomb-thrower

Twice he went up to the trenches

ut a mere middleman.

ing.

sent forward, but still no work could be done, and a further supply of Social and Personal ombs was not yet available. Bombs were absolutely necessary. At one point four volunteers who went to get more were killed, one af-ter the other; upon which Sergt. Kranz, of London, England. by way of Vermilion, Alta. and at one time a private in the Argyll and Sutherland Regiment, went back and fortunately returned with load later follow The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 276. returned with a load. He was follow.

Major Cuddy, a druggist, from Strathand the loss of practically all our officers hampered the fight. The volun-teers who were bringing forward the

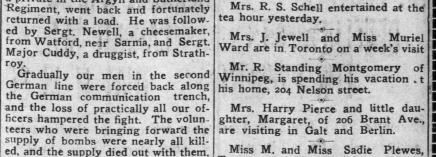
through the tall grass in the rear. The bombers went to work from right to left to clear the trench. Many resist-dians held their ground, however, left to clear the trench. Many resist-ing Germans were bayoneted and hoping for the ultimate success of the some prisoners were taken and sent attack on the left in the face of heavy back, and later, together with some pressure on their exposed left flank. The enemy meanwhile had been acine gun and rifle fire from "Stony Mountain" itself. cumulating strong forces, and finally

Sims, as the other company officers, liberation through a hail of bullets, Captain F. W. Robinson and Lieut. but it cost us heavily. One splendid

the first line German trench which His grandfather owns a woolen mill vov him home."

"Thanks no," said the lieutenant, "I can crawl."

Pte. Frank Ullock, late a livery stable keeper at Chatham, N.B., and now with one leg missing said: "Will you take me?" 'Sure' replied Gledhill. He got down on his hands and knees and Ullock took good hold of his Webb equipment and was hauled ginhome trench. Presently Gledhill left Ullock under some cover while he crawled forward, cut a strand of wire from our entanglements and threw



foronto, and Mrs. McAlister, Exeter, are visiting Mrs. W. L. Hughes, Lorne Crescent. The many friends of Miss Nora

Maskeil, the bright young pupil of Miss Dora Arnold, will be pleased to learn that she passed with honors in her recent exams held at the Conservatory of Music.

***** Nuptial Notes -----McEWEN - CARSON incident amongst many may perhaps explain the reason. Pte. Gledhill is 18 years of age. His grandfather owne a more age. f Mt. Pleasant: Two popular young Lakeland peo-

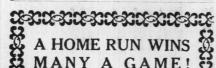
tarried themselves. The leading company, under Major reverse the sandbag parapet and turn the trench facing enemywards. It had as the here was till lately celebrated mony on Tuesday, June 29th when G. J. L. Smith, rushed forward with the smoke and flying dirt of the mine the source areas the contained of the fattest man in the smoke and flying dirt of the mine the suffered heavily in its advance across the world, for there lived Mr. Jona-Mrs. Jos. Carson was united in marthe open space between the opposing than Miller, who weighed 400 pounds, riage to Mr. Roy McEwen, Rev. Mr. explosion for a screen and met with a withering fire from the German ma-chine guns placed in "Stony Moun-tain Delamere had been wounded and tined, who weigned 400 pounds, riage to Mr. Koy McEwen, Rev. Mr. Colpitts, of Macdonald, officiating. The ceremony took place in the Metguns placed in "Stony Moun-But their dash was irresistible more immediately the command devolved on Lieut. J. C. on Ben Miller saw Germans advan-and was witnessed by the immediate tain." But their dash was irresistible and almost immediately the company was in possession of the German front trench and "Dorchester," but those who were opposite to "Stony Moun-tain" were stopped by fire from that fort, all being killed or wounded. ADVANCED WITHOUT LEADER The leading company was followed by hombing parties on the right and Brown, wounded, and offered to con- that the happy couple may enjoy a long and happy journey together.



The second annual excursion and Picnic of the Elm Ave. Methodist







A HOME RUN WINS MANY A GAME! Wounded. Private Vincent then cut away the cartridge belt, and. aban-doning the tripod, dragged the gun away to safety because it was too hot to hondle. Wat and aban-doning the tripod, dragged the gun away to safety because it was too hot to hondle. Wat and aban-All this, of course, from first to last and at every place, occurred un-that Frank Ullock is now under Wat are also was a most enjoyable event. About 200 children and parents tak-ing in the trip by the B. and H. radial in two special cars, leaving at 12.45 p.m., returning at 9.40 p.m.. A good program of sports was arranged, re-Lieut. Campbell crawled out of the charge of Dr. Murray McLaren, also program of sports was arranged, reenemy's trench and was carried into our trench in a dying condition by him with tender care in a hospital, Company Sergt.-Major Owen, from Woodstock, Ont.. In the words of pital that is larger than the General Kingslake, "and no man died that night with more glory, yet many died and there was much glory." The not touched, and in spite of his ex-Brind working parties detailed for the con- perience prefers a life at the front to struction of the line adjoining our work in his grandfather's woolen mills at Ben Miller, near Goderich. had been captured, moved out ac-Out of 23 combatant officers who cording to arrangement, but the went into action only three missed Walker. heavy machine gun fire from "Stony Mountain" forced them back to the cover of our trench, and all further with high judgment and courage;

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in the second se the mine exploded, and he was buried. By the time he had dug himself out

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attempts to contnue work while day- Lieut. S. A. Creighton and Lieut. T. light lasted came to nothing C. Simms The efforts of the battalion were Dominion Day, after several days of ow confined to erecting barricades heavy artillery fire, our troops were

just south of "Stony Mountain" and north of Dorchester, and to holding the second line trench. The supply was taken over from a British diviof Southampton, Ont., son of a Meth-odist minister, and not much more bay came they remembered with

than 19, was almost the only source pride that they were the army of a

of replenishment. He was, till Armageddon, a student at the Lis-towel Business College. History relates he was singing the trench version of "I Wonder How riddled it with bullets. Behind the net and Jas. Trebble. riddled it with bullets. Behind the the Old Folks Are at Home" when lines the day was celebrated with the mine exploded, and he was buried. sports and games, while the pipers

William Stees, Mrs I. Rispin. Three-legged Race-E. W. Grum-

played a selection of national airs. But the shouting baseball teams and minstrel shows with their personal allusions, the skirl of the pipes and

nand for bombs for the German the choruses of the well-known ragtrenches a few score yards away. So Pte. Smith festooned himself with of their souls, for this is the first Doninion Day that Canada has spent

vereux classes (race)-Ada Edmond bomb-throwers around him, and set with the Red Sword in her hand. on, Alberta Davison

Mrs. H. F. Patterson, captains. Married Ladies Race-Mrs H. H

The Western Fair of London, Onario, as an Agricultural Exhibition Conkey. occupies a prominent position in

of the Scottish Canadian battalions

THE WESTERN FAIR

London, Canada

and handed over his load to the busy Western Ontario, and throughout the men. Thrice, so hot was the fire, that he had to lie down and toss the whole Dominion. This will be the ombs (they do not explode until the Forty-eighth Annual Exhibition withsafety pin is withdrawn) into the out a break, and every dollar of prize money won during that time has been trench to the men who needed them paid. The management has been nost. His clothes were literally shot into rags and ravels, but he himself

was untouched, and he explains his escape by saying, "Oh, I kept mov-A GALLANT END

So through all these hells the spirit the privilege of Exhibiting this year man endured and rejoiced indomin larger numbers than ever. Ex itably. After all, the supply of bombs hibitors always report good results from showing at London as buyers are plentiful. The Dairy and Poulran out and the casualties resulting from heavy machine gun fire and rifle

brown every bomb he carried, and. weeping with rage, continued to hurl

sulting as follows: Boys race, under 6 years-Irvin Steed, Fred Grummett, Stanley Gul-

Girls' race, under 6 years-Florence Davison, Marjorie McCubbin, Edna

Girls' race, under 8 years-Emma Waring, Lizzie Steed, Nellie Brind. Boys race under 8 years-Wilfred Hackborn, Jack Edmondson, John

Girls race under 12 years- Marion McCubbin, Grace Smith, Pauline Day, Boys race under 12 years-Earnest Horsman, Jim Davison, Ross Mayer. Girls under 15 years—Emily Davi-son, Bell Crandell Bessie Smith.

Free for all men's race-Jas. Trebbel K. Smith, Ewart Goold

Free for all woman's race-Lillian Davison, Ida Crandall, Alberta Davi-

Married Men's race-Geo. Davison, Sr., E. W. Grummett. Scramble Race-Fred Waring, Ed.

Mayer, Ross Moyer. Throwing Ball contest, (Ladies)-

Ada Edmondson, Jessie Edmondson. Wheelbarrow Race-E. W. Grum-

Fat Ladies Walking Race-Mrs.

mett and Jas. Trebble. Thread and needle race-Mrs W

Douglas and Jas. Trebble. Soda Biscuit contest—Harry Fear.

Fred Warring. Race, Mrs W. Douglas' class only-Jas. Trebble. Miss A. Rispin and Mrs R. M. De-

Peanut Race-Mrs R. Sowdan and

Craddock, Mrs W. Douglas, Mrs. Mc

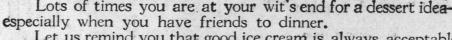
The young men endeavored to show up the married men at a baseball game but failed miserably, the score being-we will not give the score for fear of hurting the young men's feelings, in the meantime, would advise paid. The management has been the young men to get in a little better shape before next year. year and through the assistance of Dominion Government they are en-

abled to add over \$3,000 to what was already a liberal list. Live Stock Breeders should avail themselves of outing the success that it was.

A DISINFECTED PRINCE According to the Berliner Tageplatt, the Kaiser's third son, Prince fire from "Stony Mountain" consider-fire from "Stony Mountain" consider-ably increased the difficulties of hold ing the line. The bombers could fight no more. One unknown man was seen wounded standing on the parapet of the German front line trench; he had thrown every bomb he carried and.

weeping with rage, continued to hurl bricks and stones at the enemy until his end came. Every effort was made to clear out the wounded and rein-tal \$10,000 from the Patriotic Fund. "It is hereby certified that his Roy-al Highness Prince Adalbert of Prus-sia has been disinfected and is at pre-sent free from vermin."

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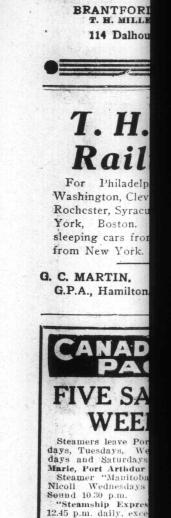
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