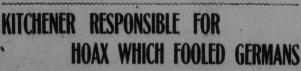


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**DISCUSSED BY HOUSE** 

Ottawa, Mar. 1-In the House of of the second contingent from six to he had given his services to the gov-commons this afternoon Sir Wilfrid eight weeks' practice at the targets emment without remuneration. With



n be observed the action of ament is a matter of supreme on to the British public and **Oppose Mayor Mitchell.** 

erations of the allied fleets in anelles, as perhaps presaring relopments in the Balkan sit ominates the military situa es and land. The more opti-minds expect Constantinopole es han minds expect (Constantinople ut there is a noticeable dispo-realize that the ships face no k, notwithstanding the twenty te of the

## Hinders Attack. On Dardanelles Forts.

On Dardanelles Forts. Whether any progress has been de since the outer forts were de-tished has not been made known cially, a statement issued tonight ing that a gale from the northeast sweeping rain and mist before it, dering the operations and militat-against long range firing and ting it extremely hazardous, if not onsible, for 'aeroplanes to take it from the ships for observations, ch are so necessary to direct the The inferest which the British piedenced by the frequent official ements regarding them. the of the operations in the east name of the operations in the east official mass are saying little.

saying little. signs that the Russian again feeling their way, to a vigorous offensive. s conceded that the Rus-

then capers when he applied for them in good faith as a duly qualified citt. Those nominated up to 4 o'clock this afternoon were: For Major-Moses Mitchell. For Aldermen-Weilington Ward, nett; Stanley Ward, Robert J. Bayter and F. H. Everett; Carleton Ward, Joseph Walker and C. S. William of the Militia Department, and ha to think were in the account of the camp was col. McBain? Sir Willrid and George McKnight. The first three amed aldermen-elect are making their first appearance in civic politics. The new election hav provides that the ideet and the solderman each ward is elected for a period of two years, so this thereaticp haft the council will be sutomatically restred

make the first sen of the first file. Col. McBain, the Militia said, was the gree Militia said description of all lands tal McBain had selected mobilization camp, wh ed on a railway line. asserted General Hug matter amicably settl cartier Camp, copies of titles Special to The Standard. Fredericton, March 1.—Fredericton will return an entire city council with out an election this year unless exAtd. C. J. Kelly succeeds in having his nomination papers for Mayor accept ed this evening. Up to 4 o'clock this sfternoon the regular time for accept ing nomination under the new elec-tion law, there had been only one nom-ination for Mayor and ten for alder-men, the number required to complete a council, but Kelly claims this even ing he will force acceptance of his nomination papers on grounds that there was a plot at City Hall to pre-went him from opposing Mayor Mitch-ell, and that City Clerk McCready had ton papers when he applied for them in good faith as a culy qualified citi zen. Those nominated up to 4 c'cleak he battle of the Flains of Abraham, and his ancestors had lived for gener-tions on the site of the Valcartier Camp. General Hughes believed that ing gentlemen appeared amon ople and advised them to hol-(Continued on page 2) he opinion that the camp at the opinion that the camp at a series could have been contribution of the first contingent in the case of the various divisional he case of the second contingent. In the been informed that of the forty fifty men whose lands were taken the camp, only one or two had ree of their money. Many of the farmed their money.

More Canadians In The Casualty List

Ottawa, March 1.—The following thigh. Next of kin, P. M. Hannaford masualties among members of the Canadian Expeditionary Force were announced by the Milita Department ionight: FIRST BATTALION.

THIRD BATTALION. Severely Wounded

Sergt. Victor Holland, in shoulder text of kin, Mrs. G. Holland, 73 ravelly Hill, North Birmingham, ngland.

Slightly Wounded.

Bugler William Henry Sanders Next of kin, Rita Martha Sanders 141 Manning avenue, Toronto.

SEVENTH BATTALION. Killed in Action.

Feb. 26.—Lieut. Herbert Be Soggs. Next of kin, Beaumon father), 620 Fort street, V , C.

London, Friday, Feb. 19-(Correspondence of the Associated Press)

London, Friday, Feb. 19—(Correspondence of the Associated Press) The famous hoax of the first weeks of war, which a body of Russian soldiers said to number from 100,000 to 200,000 men was reported to have circled around from Archangel, landed in Scottish ports and had been shipped through at night to reinforce the Britigh force in France, originated with Lord Kitchener himself, according to a statement made by a British officer to a correspondent of the Daily Despatch. It is a noteworthy fact that although the myth spread like wild fire through the United Kingdom, with any number of witnesses to swear they had seen and talked to the Russians in their nativo language, the press bureau did not issue an official contradiction for a long period. The Russian story, says the British officer, was designed to impress the forman commanders in Belgium and Northern France, and to keep them In fear of a surprise, either in the rear or on the western forman staff, and accounts to some extent for the retreat of General Valuek from Paris. To give color to the report, Lord Kitchener is said to have caused as norts on Archangel, laten insuring them In Holland. And when the British troops were moved from various points in Statian and the north of England to the Channel ports, he ordered the binds of the trains to be lowered so as to arouse popular curiosity and ageculation.

## Enemy's Submarines Sank But Nine British Steamers in February

London. Mar. 1.—The Board of Trade summary of shipping casualties, reported during February shows that the ordinary risks of navigation were responsible for a considerably larger number of British ships than were vic tims of German torpedoes; mines or suns. During the month of February the total number of steamers, of an aggregate net tonnage of 34,947. difference of the steamers aggregating 12,389 tons were sung by German submarines, with the loss of tims of German torpedoes; mines or sunk by a German mine,

FIRST BATTALION.

Slightly Wounded.

poral J. H. Ha

Killed in Action. February 20.—Bugier Edward Cal-an. Next of kin, Fred Callan, brother), Preston, Ont.

Severely Wounded.

Private W. J. Broumpton, wounded in scalp, Next of kin, Mrs. Elinor Broumpton (relationship not known), Catwick, England.

a their money. many their or op-were consequently in straightene-sumstances. Sir Wilfrid under hat a number of claims had be ferred to the Justice Department that the claimants would have before the courts to obtain

Private E. Chapman. Next of kin Mrs. Jennie Chapman, Ailsacraig, Ont SECOND BATTALION.