

Lt. Col. Guthrie and Capt. Tilley Found 53 Recruits in Week's Campaign

Madawaska a Field for New Acadian Battalion Seven Sign Roll at City Office Saturday-New Quarters for 115th Ready.

Monday, Jan. 10. That the counties of Victoria and Madawaska are alive to their responsi-bility to king and country is seen by the report of Captain L. P. D. Tilley who in company with Lieut-Colonel Guthrie made a trip through those counties last

The net results of the trip was lifty-three recruits from different parts of two counties where recruiting meetings were held. Gaptain Tilley's report of the work in detail is as follows:

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Mrs. Elizabeth Cadwell.

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Louise C. Carter.

Saturday, Jan. 10. five months' illness, Louise of 20 years, passed away la



Interests of Country Must Come First, Dominant Note in Convention Successfully Opened-Hon. C. W. Robinson Wishes to Retire as Leader and New Man Will Be Chosen Some Rousing Speeches.

The interests of the country before those of any party was the dominant note that pervaded the opposition convention last evening. To uplift the public life of the province was the end and aim urged by many of the speakers. W. E. Foster, who opened the meeting, met with a most cordial response to the senti-ment that no party could be a great party unless it had a broad policy. Hon Q W. Robinson did not astonish many in the convention when he riseded that his business interfered with his party leadership and that he was mable to give the position the time it demanded. He saw the neces-sity of all thoughtful citizens getting togethes, "for God knows there is need of an energetic opposition today," he said.

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for the Lapsford constituen shire, asked Sir Edward G belligerents, who wilfully de of persons belonging to neut inhuman methods of warfa

the practice and custom of law, entitled to purchase the by the payment of money duals." The foreign secretary re "I am not aware of any law that has the effect des

government has given occa a question to arise between government and any neut Irritation in Sweden. Stockholm, via London, m.—No American mail ved here since Jan. 8. created speculation on the newspapers as to whether th of mail is due to its seizu Britain, or to a new Ame ment to send letter-post of dinavian steamers. Great Britain's note stopping, in transit, by the ernment of parcel post for Russia was received today, be published. The Dagens Nyhetere's L Spondent interviewed a sec British foreign office, who s

cis of rubber seized by the destined for Germany by wa but this statement is vigoro everywhere here. The new out that according to the I ration, rubber is not cont that the strict export pro Sweden would make such to sible The British attitude in is assisting the Swedish to prevent smuggling is rega a subterfuge. Over 40,000 parcels for stored at Gothenburg. Twenty-three steamers timber for England are Sundsvaal district. Spies Working Through U. London, Jan. 18, 7.11 p.

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cent inauguration of a cent both outgoing and incomi mails has already produce ding to officials, in the elation of a widespread t, which the officials justified the organi department necessary

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