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CANADIANS IN THE FIGHT.

Royal Canadian Regiment Formed Part of the 9th Division.

With Division When the Attack was Made on Waterfall Drift, and Acted as Escort to Supply Column—Five of Them Fell Out or Were Captured—Another Member of the First Contingent Dead.

Montreal, Feb. 19. — (Special by cable from Mr. W. Richmond Smith, The Star's special Canadian correspondent at Lord Roberts' headquarters with the first Canadian contingent):

Jacobsdal, Feb. 15, via Modder River, Feb. 16. — (Delayed in transmission) — In the operations which have resulted in the occupation of Jacobsdal by British troops, the hasty retreat of Gen. Cronje from Magersfontein and the relief of Kimberley, the Royal Canadian Regiment was given a share.

When the order to make the forward movement was given, the Canadians, who, as I before have wired, were brigaded in the Ninth Division, moved out from Wegerdraal on the right flank of the force to attack Jacobsdal as reserves.

Canadians in the Fight.

While the Canadians, as part of the Ninth Division, were patrolling the right flank of the troops operating for the capture of Jacobsdal, a rear guard, composed of troops from the Ninth Division, attacked Waterfall Drift. They were acting as an escort to the British supply column and quite a heavy engagement resulted. Gen. French with his cavalry, after the capture of Jacobsdal, pushed off toward Kimberley, and the official information which reached here Thursday at midnight, stated that he had relieved that place and on Friday evening dined at the club there, where the victory was celebrated.

Fell Out or Were Captured.

In the advance from Wegedraal several Canadians fell out on the march, and are either in the hospital or captured. Their names are:

Private James Drake, formerly of the 63rd Halifax Rifles.

Private M. Munnis, formerly of the 66th Princess Louise Fusiliers of St. John, all of "H" Company.

Private Bordonneas, of "D" Company.

Private A. W. Woodward, formerly of the 26th Middlesex Light Infantry.

Private G. B. Corbould, formerly of the Fifth Regiment Canadian Artillery, both of "A" Company.

Note.—The name of Bordonneas, of "D" Company, which appears in the above list is not recorded in the official list of the Royal Canadian Regiment.

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PRIVATE MOORE IS DEAD.

The Fifth of the First Contingent Succumbs in Africa.

Ottawa, Feb. 19. — The Minister of Militia has received a cable message from Cape Town announcing the death of one more member of the Canadian contingent at Belmont, the fifth officially chronicled thus far. The victim is Private D. L. Moore of "B" Co., London. He was a member of the Royal Canadian Infantry.

Russell is Not Dead.

The form of announcement disposes of the rumor of the death of Sergt. Russell of Quebec. If he were dead the Government would have heard of it.

Col. Lake for G. O. C.

Military gossip has it that Col. Lake will succeed Major-General Hutton as G.O.C. Col. Lake was, prior to November, 1898, quartermaster-general of the Canadian militia, and is at present on Imperial service in India.

The News in London.

London, Feb. 19. — The news of the death of Pte. D. L. Moore, of "B" company, from fever at Orange River Hospital, was received here with great regret. He was for eight months in attendance at the school here. His brother, Hugh, is connected with a local firm, while another brother, Lionel, is in charge of Fort Selkirk, in the Yukon. Their relatives live in England.

LAURENTIAN AT CAPE TOWN.

Artillery Section of Second Canadian Contingent in South Africa.

Cape Town, Feb. 19.—The British steamer Laurentian, Captain Nunan, which sailed from Halifax Jan. 21, with the first artillery section of the second Canadian contingent of troops for service against the Boers, arrived at this port on Saturday. The troops were welcomed by Major John Hanbury Williams, military secretary to the Governor of Cape Colony and British High Commissioner in South Africa, on behalf of His Excellency.

Second Section at Halifax.

Halifax, Feb. 19. — The Kingston artillery and Toronto quota of "A" squadron arrived on Saturday, the former at 10 a.m., and the latter at 5 p.m. The latter train was delayed by the furious snowstorm. The men are quartered at the new Armoury, and the officers at the hotels. All are in good health and spirits. The troopship Milwaukee is scheduled to sail on Wednesday.

Going to Fight the Boers.

Quebec, Feb. 19. — Sergt.-Major Kelly of the 87th County of Quebec Battalion, left for Halifax last night with the intention of sailing for South Africa on the troopship Milwaukee and enlisting with the Imperial force for service against the Boers. Sergt.-Major Kelly has already served many years in the British army, and went through several campaigns.

A Deserter Sent to Duty.

Kingston, Feb. 19. — Sergt. Benson, a deserter from "A" Field Battery, surrendered himself to the authorities here on Saturday, and yesterday was sent on to Halifax to join "C" Field Battery, where he will be summarily disposed of. It is understood the offence will be overlooked and he will retain rank.

Farewell to Capt. Macdonald.

Dunnville, Ont., Feb. 19.—A large gathering of representative men of the town gave a farewell reception to Capt. J. F. Macdonald of this place who goes to South Africa as a lieutenant in the Strathcona Horse. An address and $75 in cash was presented by Mayor Ramsay to Capt. Macdonald, while the Hose Company presented their comrade with a similar gift. During the evening a purse of $25 was raised to be sent to A. L. Hornibrooke, another Dunnville boy, who is with the first contingent.

TROOPERS OWN THE TOWN.

Second Detachment of Strathcona's Horse Soon to Arrive in Ottawa—Why Gen. Hutton Was Recalled

Ottawa, Feb. 19.—Crowds of persons visited the Barracks yesterday to fraternize with Strathcona's troop. The men have not all been supplied with uniforms, and hence no church parade was held. The men are not allowed to leave barracks, except on pass, for the same reason. The second detachment, consisting of 142 men and 500 horses, is expected in this morning. The whole city will turn out to receive them—as it is, the soldiers already own the town. Mrs. Borden will present the guidons, which are being given by the ladies of the civil service, to the Strathcona Horse before leaving for Halifax. She goes to that city this week to bid farewell to her son.

Borden's Row With Hutton.

Dr. Borden is reported to have given a reason for the recall of Major-General Hutton. It is to the following effect: Hutton considered himself an Imperial officer, responsible in general to the War Office, and in particular to the Canadian Minister of Militia only as to the accounting for money entrusted to him. It was on this large question and not a minor departmental clash that Hutton was recalled. There were departmental clashes, as was evinced by an order issued by Hutton forbidding militia officers from leaving their districts without leave from the G.O.C. at Ottawa. This was irksome, and prevented a banker living in Toronto or Montreal going to New York on urgent business without Hutton's permission. It is said that shortly after the issue of this order Hutton brought to Dr. Borden a list of about 30 militia officers whom he wished dismissed from the service. This is the Government story.

Gunner Wallace's Death.

The report of the Board of Enquiry that considered the causes of the death at Kingston of Gunner Wallace of Toronto has been received by Minister of Militia Borden, but, on the plea that it is not usual to make such reports public, he refuses to give Mr. Clarke the information in the House. The facts of the inquest will be ascertained on Monday. It is said that Gunner Wallace was taken ill with a fever, and during his sickness was confined in a room where the temperature was about 85. While he was yet weak, he was made to drill in the open air, where he contracted a cold that ended in his death. From these and other alleged circumstances it is said that his decease was caused by gross negligence on the part of certain military authorities at Kingston.

FISHERMEN FOR THE NAVY.

1,200 Names of Newfoundlanders Are on the Reserve Roll.

St. John's, Nfld., Feb. 19. — The papers prepared for the meeting of the Colonial Legislature on Monday show the names of nearly 1,200 fishermen enrolled for the naval reserve. It is expected that when a regular session of the legislature begins in April the British Government's plans to give practical effect to this scheme will be ready for submission to the legislature.

Newfoundland is Loyal.

The speech of the Governor, Sir Hugh McCallum, at the opening of the Newfoundland Legislature to-day will intimate that the session has been called at the instigation of the Imperial Government to consider the modus vivendi on the treaty coast, so that French fishermen may be enabled to prepare for the summer's operations without delay.

The reply of the legislature will declare the colony's loyalty and its readiness to assist the Mother Country in the present crisis by enacting the desired measure. At the same time it will express the hope that the near future will see a final settlement of the long-standing controversy.

Civic Lighting in Operations.

Winnipeg, Feb. 19. — The new civic electric lighting system was in operation Saturday night for the first time, and Winnipeg is, at last, well lighted. All the lamps and the entire system are new. There are 212 street lamps, an increase of 89 over the old system under the Electric Street Railway's management, and the lights are much stronger. It is understood that the lighting system, which was to have cost $60,000, will be a little below the estimate.

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100 acres in the Township of Dunwich, being the north half of lot 11, in the 7th con., all well drained, about ten acres of timber, buildings in good repair, located between the villages of Dutton and Wallacetown. This is a choice farm and is offered cheap and on easy terms. Only a small payment required down, balance on long time interest at five per cent. Apply to C. O. LEARN, Real Estate Broker, Brown House Block, Aylmer, Ont.

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