

GALLANT DEEDS OF CANADIANS WIN REWARD

War Office Announces Conferring of Well-Merited Honors—Stories of Their Bravery Proves Stuff Men From Canada Are Made Of

Special to The Standard.

Ottawa, Oct. 1.—The War Office despatches to the Canadian government intimate that Major James A. Hesketh of the Strathcona Horse, has been made a companion of the distinguished service order. The announcement says: "For conspicuous gallantry and devotion to duty on the 1st August near Messines when a magazine in a farm containing much small arms, ammunition and many bombs and grenades was set on fire by the enemy's shells. One box of ammunition began to burn and the cartridges were exploding in all directions when Major Hesketh left his dugout, entered the farm still under heavy shell fire and moved all the ammunition. The risk was very great and for his gallant action the reserve ammunition would have been destroyed."

Win Distinguished Conduct Medal.

The following Canadian soldiers have been awarded the distinguished conduct medal for acts of gallantry and devotion: Private H. T. Cameron, No. 3 Field Ambulance First Canadian Division; for bravery and devotion to duty on night of 20th-21st, May, 1915, at Festubert. He was the first to volunteer to assist in collecting the wounded at the Orchard captured from the enemy and which was still under a very heavy fire. The task was one of great difficulty and danger and of the party of eight men who undertook it four were severely wounded. Sergeant Major G. S. Collins, Strathcona Horse, for conspicuous gallantry on the 1st August near Messines. A building in occupation of our troops and containing a large supply of ammunition was set on fire by an enemy shell. Several of the bombs and hand grenades caught fire and one of the ammunition boxes began to burn the cartridges exploding in all directions. Sergeant Major Collins, together with an officer of his regiment in spite of continuous shell fire directed upon the building entered it with the greatest coolness and bravery and assisted to put out the fire and remove the ammunition and bombs outside the building.

Rescued Comrade Under Heavy Fire.

Private E. Gledhill, 1st Battalion, for conspicuous bravery on the 15th June at Givenchy. Finding himself alone in a captured German trench and attacked by a bombing party he continued fighting until his rifle was destroyed by a bomb. In withdrawing he found a man with both legs broken. He bound up his legs and carried him into safety through a heavy rifle and machine gun fire. His display of bravery and devotion to duty were most marked.

Lance Sergeant W. E. Hart, 4th Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry, ability and devotion to duty on the 23rd of April at Langemarck, when he carried many messages for the commanding officer under a heavy rifle, machine gun and shell fire. From the 28th to the 31st May at Festubert he repaired on no less than eleven occasions, in broad daylight, under a heavy shell fire, and while being constantly sniped at, breaks in the telephone wires. He was also every night engaged on this hazardous work. At Givenchy his cool bravery and excellent work on the face of severe and constant fire was mutually instrumental in keeping communication intact.

Color Sergeant J. Hay, 8th Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry on the 23rd May at Festubert. After all the company officers had been killed or wounded Color Sergeant Hay took command of the company which was occupying a trench separate from the battalion and by his coolness and gallant behavior under fire set a fine example to all ranks and greatly assisted to keep them steady throughout the day.

Private E. Y. Hester, 5th Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry and resource on the night of the 20th May at Festubert in the neighborhood of "K 4" as a bomb thrower he did exceptionally good work showing the greatest bravery and skill. This was repeated on the following night when attacking with the 10th Canadian Battalion and again all day on the 22nd May in assisting to hold a post and to repulse a German attack about noon. Private Hester was continuously on duty throughout this period and showed the greatest powers of endurance and devotion to duty. On the 24th May he again did splendid work with the van of the attacking party entering the bomb proof trenches of the enemy and cutting all the wires connecting their mines, thus undoubtedly preventing great loss of life. His daring skill and initiative throughout the operations were most marked.

Corporal S. G. Hobday, 3rd Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry of the 15th June at Givenchy. After two men had been killed and one wounded in their efforts to dig out of a trench an officer and six men who had been buried by the bursting of a high explosive shell Corporal Hobday took up the work under a heavy fire and succeeded in extricating the entire party who must otherwise have perished. On the following day he participated in the attack on the German trenches being one of the first on the advance.

In the subsequent retirement he rendered assistance to four men who were badly wounded and who were brought in later. On all occasions throughout the operations his coolness and great bravery have proved a splendid example and given encouragement to all ranks.

Lance Corporal H. W. King, 10th Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry on the night of the 22nd-23rd April at Ypres when he followed the battalion during the charge of the woods with his telephone until his wires had been cut several times. He then reported to the 3rd Canadian Infantry Brigade Headquarters and acted under their orders and on the following night he brought a telephone to the captured trench. Lance Corporal King also displayed great bravery on the 20th May at Festubert when the line from the Sixth City of London Battalion to the fire trenches of his battalion having been destroyed he laid in broad day light and under an exceptionally heavy fire a new line so that communication was not lost for more than a short time.

Saved Four Wounded Men.

Sergeant J. MacDonald, Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry, for conspicuous gallantry near Hooge Chateau, on 8th May. When a line of trenches had been obliterated by shell fire he dug out under very heavy shell fire two wounded men who had been buried.

On the same day he carried a badly wounded man on his back and at the same time assisted another wounded man into safety under both shell and rifle fire.

Private J. W. McKie, 5th Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry and rescue on the 24th May, at Festubert, when he accompanied the men over the parapet in the charge of "K 5" and immediately began attending the wounded and rendering the first aid under very heavy fire. He continued doing so all day, located the wounded in the open during daylight and when darkness came on assisted to remove

them to a place of safety. His bravery and devotion to duty were very marked.

Sergeant G. A. Mote, 3rd Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry on the 24th May at Festubert. In company with another non-commissioned officer Sergeant Mote reached the spot indicated only to find that the officer was not there. The other non-commissioned officer lost his life in gallantly making the attempt to rescue this officer.

Acting Company Sergeant Major C. Owen, 1st Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry and ability on the 15th June at Givenchy. When all the officers of his company had been killed or wounded, he took the command and displayed great courage and powers of leadership and rendered valuable service at a critical period. After the withdrawal of our front line he returned through a heavy rifle and machine gun fire and rescued a wounded officer whom he carried into safety.

Corporal J. E. Palmer, 10th Battalion, for conspicuous gallantry and ability on the 22nd May at Festubert, when he took his machine gun to an advanced position covering the attack of the "K 5" and completely checking the enemy's counter attack by breaking up their bombing parties and cutting a rope attached to a bag of bombs which the enemy were endeavoring to drag across from one trench to another. His devotion to duty and courage were most conspicuous.

Private H. Vineer, 1st Battalion, for conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty on the 15th June at Givenchy, in a position where a machine gun tripod could not be used Private Vineer held the gun on his back under a heavy fire while an officer fired over one thousand rounds. Afterwards he dragged the heated gun through a fire-swept zone and saved it from capture.

SISTER OF CHARITY LED GALLANT CHARGE WHICH WON TRENCH

When Russian Company was broken she rallied the survivors and led them against enemy, taking the trench but receiving her death wound.

Petrograd, Oct. 1.—A Russian Sister of Charity, Mira Ivanovna, was on the field of battle during a severe engagement on Sept. 22. Headless of the entreaties of the officers near her, including her brother, who is a regimental surgeon, that she leave the field, she continued to care for the wounded amid a hail of rifle and machine gun fire. The commander and all the other officers of the Tenth Company of her regiment were killed in action. Realizing that the position was a critical one, she rallied the survivors of the company and with them charged the German line, drove it back, and captured a German trench. At the moment of victory she fell mortally wounded.

TO PREVENT FOREIGN FIRMS FROM FLOODING AMERICAN MARKET

Washington, Oct. 1.—A review of the anti-dumping legislation now in force in Canada, Australia and British South Africa, has been prepared by the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce in connection with a proposal to protect the American industry from unfair competition at the close of the European war. Secretary of Commerce Redfield already has announced that he will propose such legislation at the winter session of congress, to prevent foreign manufacturers from flooding the American market in an effort to stiffen industries built up under war conditions.

Stove Part Found

A stove-casting found by the police on Rockland road last night awaits its owner at the North End police station.

Clean—Dustless—Full Flavored and Pure "SALADA"

Used in Millions of Tea-Pots Daily. Black, Green or Mixed. Preserved and Sold Only in Sealed Packets. E161

WOODSTOCK MAN REPORTED KILLED IN ACTION

Letter from Flanders says Sgt. Thomas W. Carter died on field of battle.

Special to The Standard.

Fredericton, Oct. 1.—Reports have reached this city from Fredericton boys on the firing line in Flanders that Sergeant Thomas W. Carter, of Woodstock, who was a member of the 24th field artillery, mobilized here last winter, had been killed in action.

Gunner Ernest H. Coy, of this city, writing to a friend here says "Tom Carter, who was a sergeant with the 24th battery, has been killed." Aside from this information nothing further has been received at Woodstock or in this city, where he had a large number of friends. Enquiries at Woodstock today elicited very little information, although it was said that Sergeant Carter's family had not heard from him for some time and were anxious.

Sergeant Carter was an Englishman but came to Woodstock ten years ago and purchased a farm a short distance from that town. He was engaged as a freeman on the northern division of the C. P. R. when the war broke out and enlisted at Woodstock. Owing to his former service in the British navy he was appointed a sergeant with the 24th battery and went to England with that unit. With a number of other artillerymen who spent last winter in training in Fredericton, he went over to Flanders with one of the drafts and was attached to 8th battery in France.

LOSING HOPE WOMAN VERY ILL

Finally Restored To Health By Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Bellevue, Ohio.—"I was in a terrible state before I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. My back ached until I thought it would break, I had pains all over me, nervous feelings and periodic troubles. I was very weak and run down and was losing hope of ever being well and strong. After taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound I improved rapidly and today am a well woman. I cannot tell you how happy I feel and I cannot say too much for your Compound. Would not be without it in the house if it cost three times the amount."—Mrs. CHAS. CHAPMAN, R. F. D. No. 7, Bellevue, Ohio.

Woman's Precious Gift.

The one which she should most zealously guard, is her health, but it is the one most often neglected, until some ailment peculiar to her sex has fastened itself upon her. When so affected such women may rely upon Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a remedy that has been wonderfully successful in restoring health to suffering women.

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Get Rid of Bad Breath, Sour Stomach, Coated Tongue, Indigestion.

Get a 10-cent box now. They're fine! Cascarets loosen your liver, clean your thirty feet of bowels and sweeten your stomach. You eat one or two, like candy, before going to bed and in the morning your head is clear, tongue is clean, stomach sweet, breath right and cold gone. Get a box from your druggist and enjoy the nicest, gentlest liver and bowel cleansing you ever experienced. Cascarets stop sick headache, biliousness, indigestion, bad breath and constipation.

Mothers should give a whole Cascaret to cross, bilious, sick, feverish children any time. They are harmless and never gripe or sicken.

SAYS RUSSIAN GOV'T HAS REFUSED TO MODIFY POLICY

Berlin, Oct. 1, via Sayville.—A despatch received today by the Overseas News Agency from Stockholm says: "Premier Goremykin of Russia, on receiving the Liberal members of the Duma and a number of Russian financiers, announced that the government would not abate an inch from the way which it considered to be the correct one. A re-opening of the legislative body, the premier said, would influence unfavorably the situation in the interior of Russia. This was especially so because of the criticisms which had been directed against bills presented by members of the left. The programme of the 'bloc' party, he added, was so unacceptable to the government that he refused to discuss it."

"The premier said it was true a majority of the Russian ministers were inclined to re-open the Duma, but they had yielded to the minority when the ministers composing it had stated their reasons."

"The declaration of the Foreign Minister was received with silence by the deputation. Russian newspapers publish the reports of the conference without comment."

Patriotic Fund

Patriotic Fund contributions received yesterday included \$100 from Sir Frederic E. Barker and a number of monthly payments, as well as some birthday pennies, as follows: Charles Coster (monthly) \$5; J. G. Forbes (October) \$15; Sir Fred. E. Barker, \$100; friend, \$5; S. H. Clerk, (monthly) \$1; George J. Coester, Lower James, \$10; Mrs. Vassie (October) \$5; Henry Town, Halfway River, \$5; Wm. Brodie (October) \$10; birthday pennies, M. E. G., 44c.; birthday pennies, S., 50c.; Mrs. Charlotte W. McLean, \$1.50.

SIR EDW. GREY'S REMARKS NOT TO THEIR LIKING

Berlin official circles describe as clumsy British Foreign Secretary's Diplomacy in dealing with Balkans.

Berlin, Oct. 1, (Via Sayville)—"The Berlin official world expresses astonishment at the speech of Sir Edward Grey, the British secretary for foreign affairs, regarding the Balkans," says the Overseas News Agency today. "The cause it is considered that he employed clumsy means of influencing the Balkan States when he declared that Germany desired to subordinate them. Such a statement is regarded as all the more surprising since England is the ally of Russia, and apparently has already promised Russia that she should have possession of the Dardanelles."

"As a matter of fact it is pointed out here no great power has more interest than Germany in seeing that the Balkan States maintain their complete independence."

THERE SHOULD BE NO DEBT DOGGING

Patriotic Fund and Separation Allowances are for maintenance of soldiers' families.

Complaints have been made to the local Patriotic Fund Committee that some of the wives of soldiers who receive assistance from the fund are not paying their grocers' bills and their rent. At the meeting of the committee yesterday a landlord complained that he had allowed a three-months rent bill to accumulate. A few nights ago the family gathered up its belongings and fled, leaving him without even a "scrap of paper" as a souvenir. He considered this a great hardship.

While the committee cannot under-

take to collect grocer or other bills, the members are in a position to recommend to the Militia Department that separation allowances be withheld from recipients who make a practice of "dogging" their debts.

The secretary of the fund has given the names of a number of such people and has issued to them a friendly warning. If this does not have the desired effect more severe measures will be adopted. It might be added that the number of these people, as compared with the total number receiving relief from the fund, is very small. One of the chief purposes of the fund is to encourage thrift and to make it possible for a soldier's family to maintain itself respectably and honestly. People who act dishonestly are not entitled to the fund's aid and they ought not to complain if punishment is meted out to them.

SAVE YOUR HAIR AND BEAUTIFY IT WITH "DANDERINE"

Spend 25 Cents! Dandruff Disappears and Hair Stops Coming Out.

Try This! Hair Gets Beautiful, Wavy and Thick in Few Moments.

If you care for heavy hair, that glistens with beauty and is radiant with life; has an incomparable softness and is fluffy and lustrous, try Danderine.

Just one application doubles the beauty of your hair, besides it immediately dissolves every particle of dandruff, you cannot have nice, heavy, healthy hair if you have dandruff. This destructive scurf robs the hair of its lustre, its strength and its very life, and if not overcome it produces a feverishness and itching of the scalp; the hair falls out fast.

If your hair has been neglected and is thin, faded, dry, scraggy or too oily, get a 25 cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine at any drug store or toilet counter; apply a little as directed and ten minutes after you will say this was the best investment you ever made.

We sincerely believe, regardless of everything else advertised, that if you desire soft, lustrous, beautiful hair and lots of it—no dandruff—no itching scalp and no more falling hair—you must use Knowlton's Danderine. If eventually—why not now?

STANDARD COMPETITION, For Boys and Girls. Full Name..... Address..... Age Last Birthday.....

HANDWRITING CONTEST

As many of you have shown by your letters to me that you are splendid writers I am letting you have a chance to compete in same. Write the following questions out, together with the answers, on a piece of white paper using one side only, attach three coupons and send in to me not later than Thursday, October 14th. Both boys and girls may compete in this contest but must not be older than 15 years of age last birthday. To the boy or girl who sends me in the most neatly written sentences, together with the correct answers I shall award a prize of a BEAUTIFUL WATCH, or NICE STORY BOOK whichever they may desire.

WHERE IS PETROGRAD? WHO IS THE KING OF BULGARIA? WHO IS KING GEORGE'S ELDEST SON? UNCLE DICK, THE STANDARD, ST. JOHN, N. B.

Interesting Contests For Boys and Girls

HERE'S QUITE A NEW CONTEST

You will all have read the particulars of "Uncle Dick's Toy Fund for Soldiers' Children," which appears on the Children's page each Saturday, now set to work and see how many different boys and girls you can get, who will promise to collect. Send their names and addresses to me, together with your own, and I shall send you the cards to be given to them. To the boy or girl who sends me in the greatest number of names and addresses before Thursday, 7th October, I shall award either a BEAUTIFUL WATCH, or a LOVELY STORY BOOK, whichever you may desire. There is no age limit in this contest, and only ONE COUPON is to be attached to the list.

Now get busy and see if we cannot have a record number of entries in this competition.

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MAIL CONTRACT. SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 12th November, 1915, for the conveyance of His Majesty's mails, on a proposed contract for four years, 3 times per week each way, between Chamcook and No. 1 Rural Mail Route from the pleasure of Postmaster-General. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen at blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Post Offices of Chamcook and rural offices, and at the office of the Post Office Inspector. A. R. O'DIER, Post Office Inspector. Post office Inspector's office St. John, N. B., Oct. 1, 1915.

HED and obtaining money under proceedings will commence, but Kelly will probably be arrested he would say simultaneous with his arrest. K.C. and Police Commissioner left Winnipeg for start the proceedings to back.

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