

WHAT SUSSEX CANADIANS
NURSE THINKS
OF SALONIKA

Mrs. Georgie McKenzie
Writes Interesting Letter
from Ancient City Figuring
Largely in War News.

A most interesting letter was received a couple of days ago by Miss Mabel Campbell, 255 Charlotte street, from her friend Miss Georgie McKenzie, who is a nursing sister, now on active service in Salonika.

The letter, which is dated in Salonika on October 16th, is in part as follows: "We have at last arrived in Salonika, the ancient city of Macedonia, where they then went to Athens and wrote letters to them from there. Read your Bible, Paul's letters to the Thessalonians, and you will get what I'm trying to tell you.

"Well, this sure is a quaint old place, it has a charm all its own. Mountains all around us; wonderful scenery. Our hospital is about four miles from the town. Ambulance to take us in any time we want to go. I've only been in once. I am on night duty and have no ambition to get up early to go. However, I'm going on Wednesday as several of us are invited to tea on a submarine which is in the harbor. My first experience on a Sub and I am quite excited about it.

"The only way to see this country is to ride, and so I'm going to ride. I told the captain who is going to take me that he had better tie me on the horse or he will see me going over his head before we get home again. Active service is not so bad after all. The hospital is all under canvas but the nurses live in huts. It's a great experience and I would not have missed it for a good deal.

"Our trip out here was delightful, we were twelve days on that great big hospital ship the Britannic, which is said to be a sister ship to the Titanic, and the largest afloat. Our trip out here was broken by a three days stop at Naples to coal. How we did enjoy it; we went ashore every day, but had to be back at six p. m. I've been wanting to see the Bay of Naples for years and it certainly is a sight worth seeing. It's the colorings that makes Naples so beautiful. The town itself is horribly dirty. One day we drove away up to a hotel, 'Bajoulin', on a hill to tea, and had the most wonderful view of the town. The blue bay, white houses and red tile roofs, and a few green trees standing out alone, here and there, make a picture not soon forgotten, to say nothing of the wonderful Vesuvius in the distance, with Pompeii lying at her feet. We were to have visited Pompeii, but it was out of bounds, (as they say in the army), in other words it was under quarantine for some disease or other, so we missed it. I was terribly disappointed as I did want to see it so badly. Maybe I will get a chance on our way back.

"We are rather hoping to get to Egypt this winter. Sounds like a Cook's tour doesn't it? But it is active service and we never know where we will be sent next, and that is why I do not want letters sent out here, but to St. Strand, London, care of the Matron in Chief, and the office there will see that they are forwarded to wherever I happen to be, and there is no telling where that will be.

"I will tell you all about Salonika when I get acquainted with it and get on speaking terms with some of the Jews, Greeks, Turks, and a few other nationalities one sees walking about the streets in their various costumes, some wonderful and terrible. I am sure I shall be fascinated with it all. I will get some postcards of the place and people if possible.

"With much love to you all,
I remain, yours sincerely,
"GEORGIE."

Miss McKenzie is the daughter of John McKenzie of Sussex, Kings county. She was nursing in one of the New York hospitals when war was declared and went to France with the American Red Cross. She spent nearly a year at Neuilly, about thirty miles from Paris, later going over to Broadwater Hospital in Ipswich, Eng., for a short time. For nearly a year past she has been one of the head nurses in the operating ward at Moore's Barracks Hospital, Shorncliffe.

CANADIANS
PRAISED AT
BIG DINNER

Earl of Aberdeen and Countess and Hon. James W. Robertson Speak at Banquet of Intercolonial Club.

Boston, Nov. 23.—The great sacrifices which Canada has made in the war and the spirit with which her sons have been fighting on the western front were eloquently told by Hon. James W. Robertson, former commissioner of agriculture of the Dominion and present chairman of the Red Cross society, at Hotel Somerset at the 13th annual banquet of the Intercolonial Club, an organization of provincialists.

The Marquis and Marchioness of Aberdeen also spoke at the dinner, and present chairman of the Red Cross society, at Hotel Somerset at the 13th annual banquet of the Intercolonial Club, an organization of provincialists.

Other guests at the head tables were Hon. Alexander McGregor and Mrs. McGregor, Rev. Myles Kiley, Mrs. Richard F. Quirk, George Taylor, president Canadian Club; Robert E. May, president Scots Charitable Society; John M. Harney, president Charitable Irish Society; Vaughan Jealous, president British Charitable Society, and F. R. Carnegie, president Victorian Club. In all there were about 350 present, about half of whom were ladies. The hall was decorated with the British-Canadian and American colors.

President Richard E. Johnston, after welcoming the guests, called for toasts to the president of the United States and King George of Great Britain and Ireland.

Earl of Aberdeen. The Marquis of Aberdeen paid a fine tribute to the Canadians for the part they have played in the great war, and prophesied an even warmer friendship between Canada, the United States and Great Britain in the future.

Mr. Robertson, after paying a tribute to the United States, told of his experience at the front in France while with the Red Cross and of the splendid showing of the Canadian troops. He said he found the entire British army in even better shape than the optimistic reports he had been reading had given any idea of, and a morale among the troops that was superb, as well as the utmost confidence in their ability to defeat the Germans.

But it was the French army that really amazed him. He said the world has no conception of the French army, and its men are bigger in stature than the British; its generals have proved themselves superior to the German generals, and its rank and file are the bravest soldiers in the world. And he paid a great tribute to the French women who are conducting the business of the farms and the manufacture of munitions with an enthusiasm equal to that of the army.

Says Outcome is Certain. He said the world at large had no idea how badly the Germans were defeated at the Marne by the French and he described the battle from data collected on the front of 200 or more miles on which it had been fought. He said: "The German hosts were the more numerous, but the French armies were made up of better soldiers and were led by better officers. The headquarters staff of France under Joffre outgeneralized the German staff at all points.

TWO SERIOUSLY
INJURED NEAR
NEW GLASGOW

C.G.R. Nightwatchman Finds Man who was Struck by Train on Bridge—Shell Inspector Seriously Hurt.

Special to The Standard. New Glasgow, N. S., Nov. 23.—As C. G. R. night watchman McDermid was going along the track last night near a bridge he noticed something lying beside the track. Upon examination he discovered the object to be a man. The man was in an unconscious condition and was bleeding freely from a wound in the head. He was also bleeding from the ears. The man's name is Raymond Desroches and is employed at the N. S. Steel Works as a timekeeper. It appears that he was very seriously injured by being caught between two trains and a moving engine. So badly was he crushed that he had to be hurried to Aberdeen Hospital where it was found that he was in a very serious condition. This evening he was still alive.

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BRITISH AND FRENCH
BILLS OFFERED IN N.Y.
Entente Allies Cover Shell Steel Requirements Over Last Half of Next Year—Jump in Marine Insurance Rates.

Special to The Standard. New York, Nov. 23.—British exchange bills and French treasury notes, the markets for which heretofore have been confined to London and Paris, are to be offered here in a few days according to a statement made in banking circles today.

The obligations probably will be of thirty-day and sixty-day maturities and will carry a discount rate that will make them attractive.

The Allies have covered their shell steel requirements over the last half of next year. Purchases have just been concluded of 1,000,000 tons of shell steel, the business being placed by a leading banking interest, the distribution being based on the figures submitted by the mills as to the tonnage they could supply in the desired period. The price will average around \$80 a ton.

Simultaneous with the news of several vessels being sunk either by mines or submarines, announcement was made here today of a sharp rise in marine insurance rates. The rates have been increased both here and in London. Shipments for the British Isles yesterday were quoted at a flat rate of 3 per cent, the same rate prevailing for Havre.

REV. DR. MORISON GIVES ADDRESS AT MONCTON. Moncton, Nov. 23.—Rev. Dr. Morison of St. John gave an interesting address on "The War and Missions," at St. John's Presbyterian church tonight.

WILSON
KEEP HIS
CABINET

President Replies to Messages of Congratulation on Election from Judge Hughes and Official Family.

Washington, Nov. 23.—President Wilson today sent a telegram to Charles E. Hughes acknowledging his message of congratulation, received last night.

The President's telegram said: "Thanks for your message of congratulation. Allow me to assure you of my good wishes for the year to come."

Replying to the congratulations of the cabinet, the President said: "One of the best things about the result is that it means four more years of active association in public service, and in that we are genuinely rejoiced."

This was taken by some to forecast an invitation from the President to the members of the cabinet to remain in office.

AGRICULTURISTS
HOLD A SESSION
Agricultural Societies United Met Yesterday Afternoon in Government Rooms.

The annual meeting of the Agricultural Societies United was held yesterday afternoon at the government rooms, Prince William street.

This is an organization made up of delegates from the various agricultural societies throughout the province, principally for the purpose of purchasing raw materials and manufacturing their own fertilizer.

About thirty delegates were present and the chair was occupied by B. N. Shaw, 1st vice-president, the president, R. G. Murray, having died during the year. The reports submitted were of a most encouraging nature and the society has done good work since its organization.

BREWSTER
SUCCEEDS
BOWSER

Premier of British Columbia and Former New Brunswick Formally Resigns Office.

Victoria, B. C., Nov. 23.—Hon. W. J. Bowser, premier of British Columbia, handed his resignation to the lieutenant-governor this afternoon, following the official declaration of the soldiers' vote overseas in the election of Sept. 15. At five o'clock the lieutenant-governor sent for Premier-elect Brewster to install him in office.

Mr. Bowser and nine other Conservatives will sit in the new legislature, which meets January 18. Thirty-seven Liberals were elected.

The official figures of the soldiers' vote in England, which reached Victoria Tuesday, and were examined yesterday and tabulated by the deputy provincial secretary, who is the returning officer, have made no change in the election results as previously compiled from the summary of the results of voting in Canada.

The new cabinet will not be announced until tomorrow.

TO BE DECIDED INCREASE IN WINTERPORT TRAFFIC
Lieutenant-Colonel Des Rosiers, embarkation officer and A. D. of S. T., arrived in St. John yesterday. Colonel Des Rosiers has been stationed at Wintport all summer. Now that the winter port is soon to receive considerable freight preparations are being made by the military authorities for the handling and recording of freight arriving and leaving this port. Speaking of the trade outlook for the port of St. John, Colonel Des Rosiers said that there would be a decided increase in the freight leaving this port.

There is some talk of doing away with recruiting clerks in the smaller districts as it is claimed that it is too expensive for the number of men that are secured. It is not intended, however, that such centres as St. John, Fredericton and Moncton should lose the services of recruiting officers.

A "PEEPER" ARRESTED. For some time past there have been complaints from residents on Mecklenburg street that a man had been lying and lurking and annoying the residents. A policeman had been sent to the vicinity a few times but without success. Last night Police Constable McNash was sent out on the case, and after lying in wait for three hours, he managed to place Frank Ashley, an Englishman aged 23 years, under arrest. The prisoner is said to be a man who recently returned from the front, and the charge against him is for lying and lurking, and peeping in windows.

Athens, Wednesday, Nov. 23.—A detachment of French marines has occupied a station of the Paloponnus railway.

The Great Body-Building
BOVril
On sale at all DRUGGISTS and STORES. Call for it at the FOUNTAIN or RESTAURANT.

TEXTILE MILLS
STILL RAISING
EMPLOYEES PAY

Special to The Standard. Boston, Nov. 23.—Many more textile mills posted notices of a wage advance of 10 per cent, December 4 today. William Whitman, a native of Nova Scotia, who announced a raise in the Arlington Mills, Lawrence, earlier in the week, stated that wages would also be increased in his Calhoun mills, South Carolina, at his Hope Webbing Plant, Hoosac Worsted mills, Manomet mills, Nonotuck mills, Nashawana mills and Naugatuck mills in this state.

The Stevens Woolen Mills of Haverhill, and North Andover, Mass., and Franklin Falls, N. H., Naumkeag Mills of Salem, Berkshire mills, Adams, Plunkett mills, Adams, Greylock mills of Williamstown and North Pownall, Vt.; Hoosac Co., of North Adams, Ludlow Mills, Ludlow; Gilbert Mills, Ware; Anold Print Works, North Adams, and many other cotton plants employing thousands of French Canadians also announce a 10 per cent advance.

TWO N.B. MEN
ARE WOUNDED

Ottawa, Nov. 24.—Midnight casualty list:
Infantry.
Killed in action—
Lieut. W. G. Foster, Halifax, N. S. Previously Reported Dangerously Wounded, now Died of Wounds—
Serg. E. S. Haley, Windsor, N. S. Wounded—
Joseph Doucet, Halifax, N. S. Tignish, P. E. I.
H. P. McDonald, 268 Germain street, St. John, N. B.
Lieut. Percy B. McNally, Fredericton, N. B.

DIED.

CUNNINGHAM—In this city, on the 23rd inst, Robert Cunningham, aged seventy-nine years, leaving a wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn.

Funeral on Saturday from his late residence, 64 Adelaide street. Service at 2:30 p.m.

COLLINS—In this city, after a short illness, on Nov. 23rd, Bessie J., daughter of John and Jane Collins. Funeral will take place at 2:30 Saturday afternoon from her parents' residence, 104 Paradise Row.

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OBITUARY

Bessie J. Collins. The sympathy of the public is extended to Mr. and Mrs. John Collins, 104 Paradise Row, on the death of their daughter, Bessie J., which took place yesterday after a short illness. The deceased leaves four sisters and one brother, besides her parents to mourn.

The funeral will take place from her late home at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon, and interment will be in the Church of England burial ground.

Robert Cunningham. In the death of Robert Cunningham, at his home, 64 Adelaide street, yesterday, the city lost one of its oldest and most respected citizens. The deceased was seventy-nine years of age, and besides a very wide circle of friends, he leaves his wife, two sons and two daughters to mourn. The sons are Robert L., a clerk in the customs department, and Frederick W., of the firm of Graham, Cunningham & Naves, carriage builders; the daughters are Mrs. R. Hazlett of this city and Miss Bertha at home.

While the deceased had been illing for some years he had only been confined to bed for three months. Robert Cunningham was born in Hampstead, Queens county, but has been a resident of this city for about fifty years. In his earlier days he was engaged in ship carpenter business, but later was connected in the lumbering business with the Gibson Company, and retired from business about ten years ago. He was a staunch member of St. Luke's church, and beloved by all who knew him. The funeral will take place from his late residence Saturday afternoon, the service commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Bessie J. Collins. Yesterday morning Miss Bessie J. Collins, daughter of I.C.R. Police Officer John Collins and Mrs. Collins, passed away at her parents' residence in Paradise Row. The deceased was 22 years of age and had been employed as a waitress in the railway depot. She was much liked by a large circle of friends and her death will be sincerely regretted by all. Besides her parents she is survived by three brothers, William N., James T. and George S., all of St. John, and a sister, Mrs. Ernest Cameron, of Worcester, Mass. The funeral will take place tomorrow afternoon.

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NORTH END REBEKAHS
HOLD TEA AND SALE

The supper, sale and concert held in Odd Fellows' Hall on Simonds street, North End, last night, under the auspices of the Rebekah Lodge, I.O.O.F., was a complete success from every point of view. The hall was decorated with flags and patriotic colors and reflected great credit on those in charge of that end of the work.

The following ladies were in charge of the various activities of the evening: Candy table, Mrs. Parks, Misses Skinner and Hill; apron table, Mesdames Ledford and Scott; supper table, Mesdames Segge, Budge and Woodland, Miss C. Magnusson; waitresses, Misses Louge, Rinehart, Cowan and Whalen.

After an excellent supper had been partaken of an interesting programme was rendered as follows: Recitations, Miss Lillian Hall and Mr. Spencer; solo, Miss Thomas; recitation, Miss Piers; solo, J. McEachern; piano solo, Miss Jessie Burns; recitation, Miss Moore; reading, John Salmon; piano solo, Mrs. E. Hamilton; recitation, Miss E. Urquhart; solos, Misses Eva Spencer and B. Campbell.

The proceeds of this affair will go for general patriotic purposes.

Was Troubled With Shortness of Breath

When the heart becomes affected, there ensues a feeling of a choking sensation, a shortness of breath, palpitation, throbbing, irregular beating, smothering sensation, dizziness, and a weak, sinking, all-over feeling of oppression and anxiety.

The nerves become unstrung, you dread to be alone, have a horror of society, start at the least noise and are generally fatigued.

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Mrs. C. M. Cormier, Buctouche, N. B., writes: "Since two years ago I was troubled with a shortness of breath, and sometimes I could hardly breathe. I went to see several doctors, and they said it was from my heart and nerves, but they did not seem to do me any good. One day I got one of your B.B.B. Almanacs and read of a case similar to mine. "I bought a box of Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills, and after taking it I noticed such a change that I kept on taking them until I had used four more boxes, when I was cured."

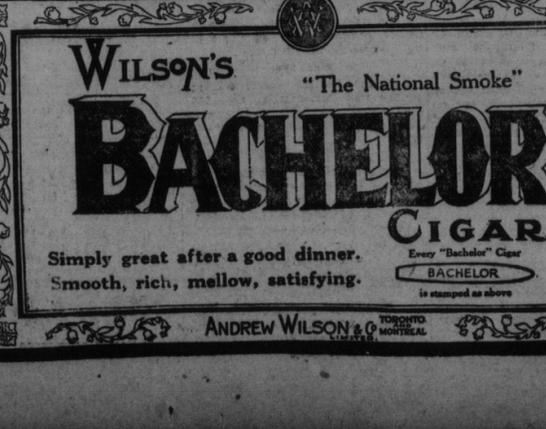
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