

TRENCH WARFARE ARE FAVORING THE CANADIAN TROOPS

BRITISH MACHINES HOLD THE SUPERIORITY ON WEST FRONT

Canadians Take More Prisoners—Eighteen Enemy Airplanes Brought Down—Germans Resort More Persistently to Use of Gas.

(By W. A. Willson, Canadian Press Correspondent in Flanders.)
Canadian Army Headquarters, Mar. 10.—Since the last big raid, as detailed in my last despatch, more prisoners have fallen into our hands. The history of the front recently has been one of slowly increasing activity. With the advent of the spring weather there has been constant fighting in the air, in which the British machines have gained an acknowledged superiority. No fewer than eighteen enemy planes have been brought down in one day. As the enemy is inferior in the air so the winter record of trench raiding finds the balance strongly in favor of Canada and our guns dominate the enemy.

Enemy Repulsed.
A hostile patrol of six which attempted to raid one of our posts south of Lens yesterday morning was driven off with machine gun fire, leaving one wounded prisoner. While the enemy was falling in his raid a patrol of the officer and a score of other ranks of an eastern Ontario battalion was encountering a hostile scouting party. It drove it back in disorder towards the German lines and captured one prisoner.

Another patrol with double its number bombed its way back to our trenches inflicting losses on the Hun and sustaining no casualties on our side. With trench warfare so strikingly in our favor the enemy is resorting more persistently to the use of gas. Yesterday morning he opened a concentrated

gas bombardment against our lines west and south of Morcourt. In the bombardment which lasted two hours, it is estimated that he fired about 2,000 rounds of gas shells consisting of all calibres up to 15 cm., with a percentage of shrapnel also. At the same time he carried out a light gas bombardment on Cite de Pierre and last night he again put down on our trenches in the same locality a harassing fire of gas shells.

British Raid.

London, Mar. 11.—"A successful raid in which several of the enemy were killed or taken prisoners, and two machine guns were captured, was carried out by us last night south of St. Quentin," says the official statement from Field Marshal Haig today. "A party of the enemy which approached our lines northwest of La Bassée was driven off by artillery and machine gun fire."

"There was considerable artillery activity on both sides early this morning southeast of Arras."

[This is the first report of any British activity on the line south of St. Quentin since the British took over the sector from the French several weeks ago. Previously the British front had extended only to St. Quentin.]

Naples Bombed.

Rome, Mar. 11.—Naples was attacked by enemy aviators early this morning. Twenty bombs were dropped in a residential quarter. The victims included seven occupants of a hospital.

HOPEWELL HILL

Hopewell Hill, March 9.—William L. Dawson of Dawson, Albert Co., is spending a few days with friends in Albert and Hopewell Hill. A telephone has been installed this week in the Post Office.

Mr. Edward Jones of St. John is visiting his daughter, Mrs. H. Lester Smith of Albert.

Miss Hettie Anderson went on Tuesday to River Glade where she will enter the sanatorium for a few months treatment. She was accompanied by Miss Mary Lyons of Albert, who will visit relatives in that vicinity.

Mrs. Cutten of Truro is spending a few weeks at the home of her brother-in-law, Dr. S. C. Murray.

News of the impending weather, six members of the Missionary Aid Society in connection with the Baptist church met at the home of Mrs. G. M. Russell of Hopewell on Thursday afternoon.

Ernest Hamlin who has been spending a few weeks with his family in Albert went to Halifax to join his boat on Friday.

An operation for appendicitis was performed on Jessie, the little four-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Williamson on Thursday by Dr. J. E. M. Carnwath assisted by Miss Lena Jones.

Miss Emma Newcomb is confined to her room with illness. Dr. Carnwath is in attendance.

No school was held two days this week in the advanced department owing to the illness of Miss Kennedy with throat trouble.

LITTLE GIRL HAD JAUNDICE
And All Treatments Failed to Arouse the Action of the Liver Until Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills Were Used.

Plympton, N. S., Mar. 11.—This is a case in which the liver became sluggish and torpid and failed to filter the bile from the blood. As a result the complexion became yellow and muddy, the whites of the eyes discolored and the whole system poisoned by the accumulation of impurities.

Doctors were trying various medicines, but did not succeed in finding any effective remedy. Fortunately a friend advised the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and cure was effected.

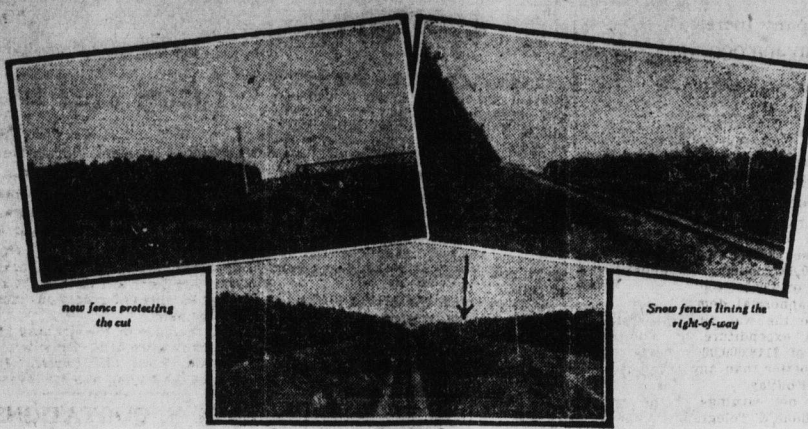
Mrs. Ohas, B. Melancon, Plympton, N. S., writes: "My little girl was taken ill with jaundice in November, 1915, and we tried all kinds of medicines for her—doctors' medicines and others—but everything failed. I was advised by a friend to try Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. I did so, and a few doses relieved her, while one box made a complete cure. I myself have used two boxes of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills, and they have cured me of headache and nervous trouble. I would not do without them in my home now. I hope that this letter may be of benefit to other poor sufferers."

Here is another interesting letter from Plympton:—

Mrs. Wm. H. Comeau, Plympton, N. S., writes: "I had been ailing for some time, suffering from a lame back. I had taken medicine for this trouble, but nothing helped until I started using Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills. In three months these pills completely cured me, and I have never been bothered with lame back since. I think Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills are the best made, and my husband is enthusiastic over them, too."

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Evergreen Snow Fences



Nature's Screen for Nature's Railways' Handicap

Travelling between Campbellton and Bathurst over the Canadian Government Railways passengers are frequently heard favorably commenting on the fine appearance of the beautiful spruce hedges which line the right-of-way.

Primarily these hedges were designed to protect the Railway's tracks from the drifting snow in winter time; that they have grown beautiful, is due to the great care with which they were planted and tended by the section men and to the mellowing influences of the passing years.

To James Patterson, of Campbellton, retired roadmaster, is due in no small measure the credit as the originator of this improvement. The inception and carrying out of the idea is most interesting.

Mr. Patterson says: "The winter of 1887 was most severe. The snowfall was very heavy and the high winds almost continuous. I began to cast around for a more effective method of controlling the drifts than the ordinary wooden snow fence, and the idea occurred to me that if spruce hedges could be grown they would prove a most effective method of stopping or cutting off the snow drifts."

"First we planted a few spruces from 18 inches to three feet high, which were picked up on the right-of-way and from farmers near by. As the opportunity presented itself we gathered more trees and continued the planting. The work was carried over several years as time could be spared from our regular duties."

"After the hedges had attained a height of about four feet, the wooden snow fences were removed to permit the sunlight, air and moisture to get to the youthful trees, thus stimulating their growth. It took from six to seven years to grow a hedge high enough and dense enough to make an effective barrier against drifting snow. When the trees reached a height of between nine and ten feet I had the tops trimmed off evenly and cut off the side branches which were too long, to make the hedges even and improve their appearance. Our section being a settled country it became necessary to erect a wire fence outside the hedge so as to prevent the stock from encroaching on the hedge while growing. Care was taken to place the wire fence at a clear distance from the hedge so that the branches of the trees would not whip against the wires. The wire fence was preferably placed on the far or boundary line of the right-of-way. We found after experimenting a little that about seventy-five feet from the near rail of the track was a good distance for locating the hedges to prevent the drifts from reaching the tracks."

"Generally we followed the lines of the old fence and in some cases we returned the ends toward the track, or bent the line of the hedge at right angles to itself to prevent snow which drifted parallel to the track with the prevailing winds, from blocking the end of the cut. (Note the illustration with the arrow pointing to the angle in the hedge.)"

"The worst enemy of the natural snow fence is fire, but trouble was guarded against by burning off the dead grass under and around the trees as soon as it was dry enough after the snow disappeared in the spring. By watching the fire carefully we prevented it from getting up into the trees. Usually when conditions for burning were ripe, time could be spared from the regular track work."

The idea occurred to Mr. Patterson as a way out of a difficulty and he put it into execution. "He builded better than he knew," and though now retired from active railway service, his fences still stand and assist the maintenance forces of to-day in their fight against the drifting snow.

The Government Railways have thus been provided with natural snow fences serviceable, efficient, beautiful, a combination well planned and patiently perfected. And is this not also a demonstration of forest conservation?

ly engaged in vaccinating the inhabitants of Dipper Harbor to guard against the disease.

Miss Lucy Boyle is visiting her sister, Mrs. J. Kerrigan, at Musquash.

Friends of Mrs. Frank Campbell will be glad to hear that she is recovering from a gripe.

Mr. Wm. Thompson of Rose Bank spent Thursday afternoon with friends at Dipper Harbor.

Mrs. Charles Harkins was the guest of Mrs. James Bayle Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Violet Thompson was the guest of Mrs. Alfred Thompson Wednesday afternoon.

On Tuesday evening Mr. Lewis Devine took a number of the young people for a sleigh-ride. On their return they retired to the Town Hall for refreshments consisting of sandwiches, hot chocolate and apple-pie and ice-cream.

Miss Maude Thompson of Round Meadows has returned from a very enjoyable visit with friends in St. John.

It is reported that the Misses Margaret Jones and Violet Thompson are endeavoring to learn to crochet. We think that with a little practice they will successfully master the art.

Miss Alma Jones has returned from home here on Monday afternoon at the advanced age of eighty years. Mr. Stevens has been an honored and life-long resident of this vicinity and was consequently looked upon as one of the old land marks. His death therefore reminds us the more forcibly that "the old order changeth."

The funeral service was held on Wednesday afternoon from his late home and was conducted by the Rev. George Kincaid, formerly pastor of the Baptist church here.

The Baracca, or Young Men's Bible class, was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. S. S. Miller on Thursday evening. Mrs. Miller is the popular teacher of the class.

DIPPER HARBOR

Dipper Harbor, Mar. 9.—The weekly meeting of the Junior Red Cross Society met at the home of Miss Matilda Thompson Wednesday evening. A number of the young people were present and work and pleasure were combined.

Friends of Mr. Douglas Jones will be glad to hear that he is recovering from a severe attack of pneumonia.

Mr. David Murray has left on a trip to St. John.

Mr. Albert Campbell spent a very enjoyable evening Thursday at the home of Mr. Wm. Jones.

Mr. Russell G. Jones spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. E. K. Thompson. He is seriously thinking of purchasing a Ford.

There is excellent skating on the Marsh Rink, and the young people are certainly enjoying themselves.

Owing to the outbreak of smallpox in Macos Bay, Dr. Keith has been bus-

GREAT SHEMAQUE

Great SHEMAQUE, Mar. 9.—Miss Eva McMorris returned last week from a very pleasant visit spent with relatives.

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REPORT THAT TROTZKY DISMISSED BY LENINE

Bolsheviki, Headed by German Officer, Fighting Cosacks in Siberia.

London, Mar. 11.—Leon Trotsky was dismissed as Bolshevik foreign minister by Premier Lenine owing to a quarrel over the German peace terms, according to a despatch to the Morning Post, dated Saturday in Petrograd. Trotsky held that the peace had been extorted by force and that no law recognized promises made under duress as obligatory. Therefore, he is reported to have said it was Russia's duty to fight only guerilla warfare, and the German treaty should not be ratified.

Premier Lenine, on the other hand, held that the treaty must be ratified and carried out on the theory that disastrous treaties do not necessarily annihilate nations as Prussia had proved several times.

Harbin, Thursday, Mar. 7.—After a preliminary clash with Red Guards, resulting in a few casualties on both sides, General Semenov, leader of the Cosacks, has formed a new front along the Siberian railway, where he is endeavoring to break the Bolshevik control. The Bolsheviks are using heavy guns under the direction of a German officer.

Rev. Richard Robinson. Montreal, Mar. 11.—Rev. Richard Robinson, after 51 years of active ministry in the Methodist Church, died here yesterday. His entire life in a ministerial capacity was spent in the province of Quebec. He was 78 years old.

FEW DROPS AND CORN LIFTS OUT

Says there is no excuse for cutting corns and inviting lockjaw.

Soft corns, hard corns, soft corns or any kind of a corn can harmlessly be lifted right out with the fingers if you will apply directly upon the corn a few drops of freezone says a Cincinnati authority.

It is claimed that at small cost one can get a quarter of an ounce of freezone at any drug store, which is sufficient to rid one's feet of every corn or callus without pain or soreness or the danger of infection.

This simple drug, while at first, dries the moment it is applied and does not inflame or even irritate the surrounding tissue.

This announcement will interest many women here, for it is said that the present high-heeled footwear is putting corns on practically every woman's feet.

TENDERS

TENDERS addressed to H. E. Wardrop, Esq. Common Clerk, City Hall, will be received up to 11 o'clock noon of Monday March 18th inst. for re-setting out and placing new curbing on Main Street from Adelaide Street to Cedar Street.

Plans and specifications may be seen and forms of tender obtained in the office of the City Engineer. The lowest and any tender not necessarily accepted.

G. FRED FISHER, Commissioner, P. W. D. St. John, N. B., March 9th, 1918. ADAM P. MacIntyre, Comptroller.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO.
In the Matter of The Dominion Permanent Loan Company; and
In the Matter of The Winding Up Act and Amendments Thereto.

TAKE NOTICE that pursuant to the provisions of the Winding Up Act, Revised Statutes of Canada, Chapter 144, a meeting of the Debentureholders, Depositors and Creditors of the above named Company will be held at the office of J. A. C. Cameron, Official Referee, at his Chambers, Osgoode Hall, Toronto, on Thursday, the twenty-first day of March, 1918, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of considering the affairs of the above Company.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1918.
G. T. CLARKSON, Provisional Liquidator.
BAIN, BICKNELL, MACDONELL & GORDON, Solicitors for the Provisional Liquidator.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF ONTARIO.

IN THE MATTER OF THE DOMINION PERMANENT LOAN COMPANY, AND
IN THE MATTER OF THE WINDING UP ACT AND AMENDMENTS THERETO.

Pursuant to the Winding Up Order made by the Supreme Court of Ontario bearing date the Sixth day of February, 1918, I hereby Direct that the Debentureholders, Depositors and all others having claims against the above named Company, do before Monday the Eighteenth day of March, 1918, send by post prepaid, to G. T. Clarkson, 15 Wellington Street West, Toronto, Provisional Liquidator of the said Company their Christian names and surnames, addresses and description and full particulars of their claims and the nature and amount of the securities (if any) held by them, and the specific value of such securities, verified by oath; and I Further Direct that the Debenture holders shall attach the affidavits verifying their claims the original debenture held by them, and in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefits of the said Act and Winding Up Order.

The undersigned Official Referee will, on Monday the twenty-second day of April, 1918, at the hour of two thirty o'clock in the afternoon at his Chambers, Osgoode Hall, in the City of Toronto, hear the Reports of the Liquidator upon the claims of the creditors submitted to him pursuant to this notice, and that all parties then attend.

Dated this 25th day of February, 1918.
J. A. C. CAMERON, Official Referee.
BAIN, BICKNELL, MACDONELL & GORDON, Solicitors for G. T. Clarkson, Provisional Liquidator.

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J. A. C. CAMERON, General Referee.
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W. W. CORY, Deputy Minister of the Interior. N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for.

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