

MORNINGSIDE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, SWANSEA

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Christmas celebration will be held Friday in Foresters' Hall, with an entertainment for the men and their wives and a Christmas tree for the children. It is the intention to resume rides early in the new year.

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Local Fighting Proceeds in Region of La Vacquerie without Definite Results.

London, Dec. 5.—The night report in Field Marshal Haig's headquarters says:

Local fighting has taken place in today in the neighborhood of Vacquerie without any change in situation. In the area south of Bourlon Wood minor hostile attacks are repulsed with severe loss to the enemy from the fire of our artillery and infantry.

The hostile infantry has been accounted for at a number of points south of Scarpe, and also in the neighborhood of Armentières."

to be taken direct to the various military hospitals.

SOLDIERS' PRESENT TO HELP COMRADE

Classic Hall, Gerrard and Greenwood was packed last evening when J. W. Robinson, Geo. Shields, Lieut. Parsons, Geo. Tyler, Captain Patterson and Major Cockburn gave addresses on behalf of the soldiers' candidate for East York. Mr. Robinson addressed his audience to re-member that really they were not asked to vote for Major Ross C. Cockburn of Toronto but for Private R. Cockburn of Hartz Silver, Transvaal, St. Jules and Ypres. Captain Patterson and Lieut. Parsons gave personal testimony as to the candidate's soldierly qualities and Geo. Shields dwelt at considerable length upon the machine organization policy which resulted in the nomination of Controller Foster for East York.

Major Cockburn addressed a well-attended session of the Daughters of Scotland and in the earlier part of the evening he and in the afternoon attended another large meeting of women voters at Diana Hall, Rhodes avenue. Mrs. Leonard presided. At this meeting two returned soldiers were on the platform. One of them, Etc. Allan MacDonald, had been a prisoner over in Germany for nineteen months.