

THIRTY-SIX SIGN UP FOR OVERSEAS

Monday's Recruiting Returns Show Improvement Over Last Three Days.

FILLING UP RAPIDLY

Expected Forestry Battalion Will Be Up to Full Strength Soon.

Week-end recruiting campaigns made yesterday's application sheet at the recruiting depot in the armories show improvement over the last three days of last week. Sixty-two men, several of whom promised on Saturday, at meetings, to apply at the depot, were examined by the doctors, and of this number 36 were accepted. Of the units going overseas, the Canadian Army Medical Corps were successful in getting the largest number of men. They received seven of the 36 accepted. The new Convalescent Home, Spadina avenue, had seven men added to their hospital staff. The remainder were obtained by 11 other units.

Capt. E. L. Williams, paymaster of the 16th Queen's Own Battalion, Camp Borden, has been removed from Camp Borden to the base hospital on Gerard street, suffering from pneumonia.

Lieut. Charles Hewson came down from Camp Borden yesterday to receive leave. Lieut. Goodyear of his duties of handling the recruiting depot of the 201st Battalion. Lieut. Goodyear has gone to visit his parents at Newfoundland.

CHURCH CONCERT WAS A SUCCESS

Victoria Presbyterian Choir Ably Assisted by Donald C. MacGregor.

REDECORATE CHURCH

Splendid Entertainment Held to Provide Funds for Improvements.

To Victoria Presbyterian Church choir, under the able management of Donald C. MacGregor, belongs the honor of giving the best concert held in a Toronto church in a long time. Harold Jarvis and Owen Smiley were on hand to help materially in the success of the concert.

The entertainment was held by the choir in order to assist the manager in their efforts to raise money to redecorate the church. Many of the choir members had contributed individually, but felt that they would also like to assist collectively.

Their desire resulted in the members and friends of the church, who were fairly filled in, hearing what is probably the best entertainment of its kind they ever attended.

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POPULAR TORONTO OFFICER IS KILLED

War Office Cables News of Lieut. A. W. Macdonald's Death in Action.

SPLENDID ATHLETE

Was One Year in Trenches and Saw Continuous Fighting.

Lieut. Archie W. Macdonald of the 15th Battalion, C.E.F., who was killed in action in France, Sept. 15, was 36 years of age and the youngest son of Dr. Albert A. and Mrs. Macdonald, Bedford, Toronto. He was born in Toronto, educated at Upper Canada College and Toronto University. Engaged in business during the outbreak of war, he joined the army to qualify as an officer, and signed to "go" to France. He was a member of the University Club, the Toronto Golf Club, and the Toronto Chapter of the Alpha Delta Phi Society.

The following few lines were sent us by an old and admiring friend of Lieut. Macdonald:

General regret and sympathy will be felt by the many friends of Dr. and Mrs. Macdonald of 12 Bedford road, Toronto, on hearing the sad news of Lieut. Archie Macdonald, killed in action.

Sept. 15, 1916—a year to the day, he received the confidence, respect and popularity of his fellow officers and men. He was a man of many attributes, his prowess as a boxer, swimmer and general athlete; and, above all, an honorable gentleman.

His true acceptance of the word, "Happily possessed of winsome manners, humorous and musical, he was always as nearly all our Canadian boys are, and we are proud of the fact, a true patriot."

Macdonald was the first to offer his services for the second contingent. He went to France Sept. 15, 1915, and was killed Sept. 15, 1916—a year to the day.

He was continuously in the trenches, save which he spent in England with his sister, Miss Pearl Macdonald, voluntary housekeeper to the Maple Leaf Club annex for returned soldiers, 5 Connaught place, London. At the time of his death he was in full command of his company, with this particular company—Major Moore of St. Catharines killed; second, Captain Biscoe badly wounded and sent to England; third, Lieut. Burnham, son of Dr. G. H. Burnham of Toronto, wounded on Sept. 12, leaving Lieut. Macdonald senior in command.

We may feel assured that he led his men well and gallantly. Many a sigh will go up on hearing this sad news, and many a muttered "poor old Archie" will be breathed. For truly of no one could it be more truly said, "To know him was to love him."

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COLORS PRESENTED TO ALGONQUINS

Sudbury and Nipissing Battalion Honored at Camp Borden.

PROMINENTS ATTEND

Hon. Frank Cochrane Was Interested Spectator at the Ceremony.

CAMP BORDEN, Sept. 18.—About a hundred northern Ontario citizens came to Camp Borden today to attend the ceremony of presenting colors to the 15th Battalion (Algonquins) Sudbury and Nipissing Battalion. The colors were a gift from W. J. Bell of Sudbury. He and his wife made the formal presentation.

Major-General F. L. Lessard, C.B., inspector for eastern Canada, took the salute during the ceremony. The colors were presented by Major-General Lessard, C.B., to the 15th Battalion (Algonquins) Sudbury and Nipissing Battalion.

Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways, Major-General Lessard, C.B., H. C. Blackford, Charles McCrea, M.L.A., Mayor Tom Smith, Sudbury, Lieut.-Col. H. E. McKee, Elk Lake. The battalion paraded 900 strong under Lieut.-Col. A. E. Armstrong. Capt. A. Cooke conducted the colors. The flags were received for the battalion by Lieut. J. H. Meyers and Lieut. H. Hall.

Hon. F. Cochrane's Address. Hon. Frank Cochrane addressed the battalion and expressed his pleasure at not being a flag-waving or flag-worshipping people. The on land always had a sense of peace and security in the past. The flag was a refuge and sanctuary for the order and progress of the nation.

The presentation of colors to the 15th Battalion's Rangers Battalion, which was to have taken place today, has been postponed until next week.

Private J. McConnell, an Indian member of the 22nd Northern Fusiliers Battalion, Sault Ste. Marie, died today at the camp hospital from pneumonia. He entered the hospital on Sept. 14. He was about 35 years of age, and enlisted in Mattawa last May.

Capt. O'Regan, adjutant of the 21st Battalion, handed in his resignation and it has been accepted. Lieut. R. Fuller has been appointed in his place.

Lieut. A. Wylie, orderly officer to Gen. Logie, who goes overseas in charge of the draft of 80 officers from this district, who were recently selected by Ottawa. Wylie had already been selected as one of the officers to go overseas from Toronto.

Bayonet Fighting Results. Bayonet fighting competition was announced tonight at the 15th Battalion. The 15th Battalion won from the 18th Buffs by 6 points to 3. The 18th Buffs won from the 17th Niagara Rangers by 5 points to 4.

Tomorrow night the 14th Grey County Battalion will meet in the final competition. The winning team will not only be champions of the camp, but will also win the handsome silver trophy and gold medals presented by Sir John Hendrie, lieutenant-governor of Ontario.

The Strathcona trust met here today at military headquarters. Those present were: Major-General Logie, C.B., present; Hon. J. L. Huggins, secretary of the trust; Father Rogation, representing the Roman Catholic Church, and Wm. Arthur, representing the province.

Major C. A. Warren has been granted W.A.D.M.S. for military district No. 2. The musketry course at Ottawa, Ont., the next Tuesday, will be attended by Capt. G. W. Keith, Lieut. W. H. McKenna, 20th Buffs; Lieut. R. M. Dyer, 21st American; Capt. J. C. Williams, 21st American; Capt. J. N. Tams, and A. E. Murdoch, 21st Battalion; Lieut. G. Gordon, 21st Battalion; Lieut. F. Taylor, 23rd Buffs; Major R. B. O.R.; Capt. G. M. D. Stewart, 16th Battalion; Majors A. J. Taylor, S. A. J. Duncan, J. P. Fitzgerald, 18th Buffs; Lieut.-Col. J. A. Cooper, and Capt. R. E. Gunn, 18th Buffs.

The 18th Buffs Battalion will be inspected tomorrow afternoon in bayonet fighting and physical training. The 21st American and 21st American Battalion will march in the trenches at morning morning for a twenty-four hour period.

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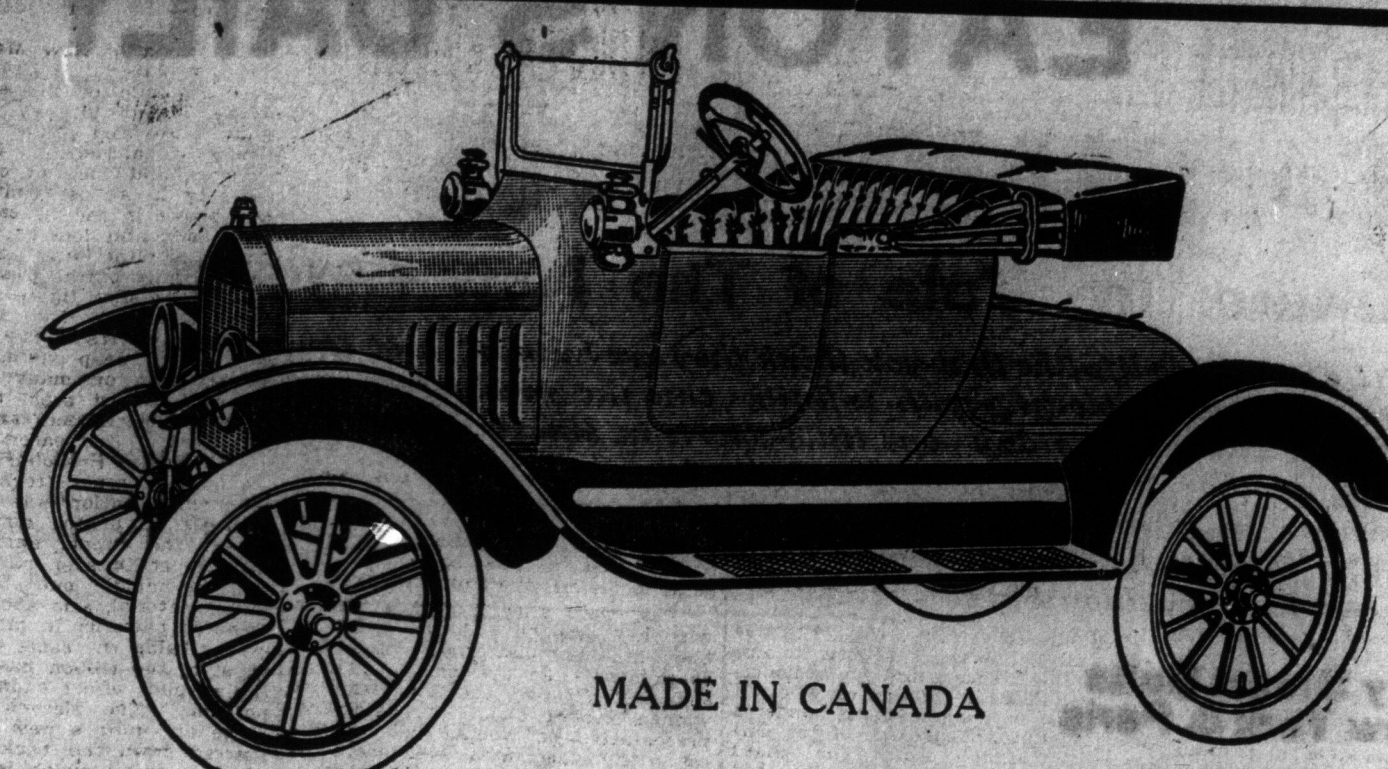
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MAY PRECIPITATE A LEGAL BATTLE

Township School Trustees Resist Policy of Board of Education.

SAY DEMAND UNFAIR

Levy Dollar-Eighty Per Month for Each Pupil Attending School.

It is possible that the erection of Kitchener School on Pape avenue by the Toronto Board of Education in school section 27 of the Township of York, and the policy of the board in demanding a tuition fee of \$1.80 per month for each township pupil attending it, may precipitate a legal battle between the civic body and the trustees of the township school section.

At yesterday's meeting of the finance committee of the board of education, John A. Macdonald, one of the trustees of the Todmorden school section, appeared and inquired why the amount was being charged. He pointed out that a few years ago when the population of Todmorden became so great that further school accommodation was necessary, he and his colleagues took the matter up with the board. According to Mr. Macdonald, the board was not erected at that time, however, and the situation in the district becoming so acute in the interim the trustees erected a school on Torrens avenue at a cost of \$100,000.

Last year the board of education opened Kitchener School, and a number of residents living in the vicinity sent their children to the school. The trustees of school section 27 are now required to reimburse the board for these pupils at the rate of \$1.80 a month.

Mr. Macdonald maintained that they should not be called upon to pay this amount. The city school was free of assessment, and if a similar building had been erected for some other purpose it would have been assessed at \$100,000.

The committee could not see its way clear to do anything in the matter until the correspondence between the two boards was before them, and it will be taken up at the next meeting.

Third Deputy Reeve Barker, of York Township, and one of the trustees of school section No. 7, stated that the Plains road school on Cosgrove avenue, Todmorden, was overcrowded, owing to the increase in the number of all grades should be allowed to attend. It was decided to charge a tuition fee of \$3.00 for each pupil per month.

SOLDIERS VOTE FOR PROHIBITION IN B. C.

Result of Polling at Front Said to Have Been Decisive.

Canadian Associated Press Cable.

LONDON, Sept. 18.—The polling of soldiers at the front in connection with the British Columbia election was completed Friday, when the votes were recorded and were brought to London for counting. W. D. Bayley, prohibitionist, and James Anderson, anti-prohibitionist, accompanied the official party to France to act as scrutineers.

"Altogether," said Mr. Welsh, representing the agent-general, "we got 2,450 votes. These were got in a very wide area, in fact, wherever British Columbians could be found."

It is reported prohibition won easily among the voters in France.

RUSSIANS REPEL TURKS

Enemy's Attacks in Asia Region and Futile.

PETROGRAD, Sept. 18.—"Attempts by the Turks to make an attack in the region of the Village of Adisa on the Caucasian front were frustrated by our fire," says the official announcement issued here today.

"On the western (Russian and Gallian) front, there were no events of importance."

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GURNEY PRESIDENT DIES AT RIPE AGE

Head of Big Foundry Firm Passes in Seventy-Second Year.

A TRUE CANADIAN

He Strongly Advocated Support for All Home Industries.

Edward Gurney, president of the Gurney Foundry Co., and one of Toronto's well known business men, died yesterday in his 72nd year at his home, 44 Walmer road. He was a son of the late E. G. Gurney, a native of Holland, who came to Canada and laid the foundation in 1845 of the well-known foundry business at Hamilton.

Mr. Gurney was a staunch advocate of home industry, and to him is credited the remark that if he were as rich as the Canadian galleons it would keep out United States manufactures.

The funeral service will be private, and will be held at his late residence tomorrow afternoon at 2.30. Interment will take place at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.