

The Well-Kept Despised Soldier in St. John and the Heroic Muddy Figure in the Trenches

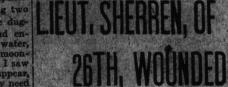
Canadians Write Stirring Tales of Fighting in Belgium-Boys of 55th Enjoy Leave in London-Dr. McIntosh Goes Up the Nile.

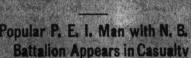
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Left to right, top row: Lieutenant R. Ingleton, Lieutenant C.McN. Steeves, Lieutenant McLeod, Lieutenant D. B. Clarkson, Lieutenant Roy Davidson, Lieutenant Ernie A. March, Dieutenant Claire Gilmour. Front row: Cadet Henry Barker, Captain A. R. Sprenger (adj.), Major F. C. Jones, Lieutenant C. F. Sanford, Captain Dr. Wm. Warwick, Lieutenant K. Schofield. Billy Trifts, boy aid, in front. through the Mediterranean, 'now the baled out what I could, and went to get as possible. Just then they started a pump. Extracts from Dr. MacIntosh's letter Laughing all the Time. as the first shrapnel shell. One of us we the first shrapnel shell.

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as possible. This then they started to shell us and we three got hit by about the first shrapnel shell. One of us was hit pretty badly. He was about ten feet behind me. The other fellow and myself are O. K., and will be back with our regiment in a couple of days."





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Ottawa, Dec. 81-But one maritime rovince man, Donald D. McPherson, of Slen William (P. E. L), appears in tonight's casualty list. He is repo seriously ill with the 17th bettalion, The list follows: THIRD BATTALION.

Accidentally Wounded-Charles E.

Blandford, Toronto. Died of Wounds-Alexander A. Mur-ray, Oakville (Ont.) Woundsd-Geo. Webb, Montreal.

FOURTH BATTALION. Killed in Action-John M. Slickney, St. Cloud, Florida. Previously Reported Missing, Now Officially Reported Killed in Action-John J. Flynn, Hamilton (Ont.) Severely Wounded-Charles Miller, England.

SEVENTH BATTALION.

Seriously Ill-Edgar A. MacLean Vinnipeg.

FIFTY-BIGHTH BATTALION. Dangerously Ill-Bugler Harry Rance

riously Ill-Victor Montmerle, New

PRINCESS PATRICIA'S.

Ottawa, Jan. 8-Lieutenant P. C. She

ren, of the 26th battalion, appears in the afternoon casualty list and is the only member of the battalion in either day or night lists. The lists follow:

THIRTEENTH BATTALION.

Died of Wounds-Walter Leary, Port Iorien (N. S.)

SEVENTH BATTALION.



Ottawa, Jan. 2--It is officially announced, through the Chief Press Cen-or's office, that the troopship Missana bie, which sailed from Canada on De-cember 18, has arrived safely in England. She had on board the following troops: No. 3 stege battery, six offivers and 214 men, drafts; Horse Artillery, two officers, 100 men; Field Artillery, fourteen officers, 603 men; Winnipeg Highlanders, six officers, 249 men; In-fantry from Edmonton, one officers, 240 men; Cycillists, two officers, sixty men; Army Service Corps, five officers, 200 men; Army Medical Corps, ten offi-cers, thirty men; Dental Corps, twenty officers, 39 men; cilivian practitioners for segular army, five officers; naval ratings, two officers, 92 men; details, four officers, six men, total of 1,714 troops.

CHRISTMAS FOR CANADIAN SOLDIERS.

London, Jan. 2-(Montreal Gazette Cable)-Describing Christmas Day at the front, a trooper of the Canadian Western Cavalry of the Second Division

"We had a very decent day under the circumstances. There was a regular reunion of our troops at squadron headquarters, many not having met since coming to France. Dinner consisted of soup, roast pork, vegetables and plum pudding, and the toasts-The King' and 'Canada'-were drunk in good English beer imported for the occasion. This was followed by a concert. On the whole, the day, though not as bright as if we were at home, was much brighter than we had anticipated."



London, Dec. 31—In accordance with its procedure of late, the admiralty has given no indication as to locality of the Natal disaster. The military regu-lations make it impossible to give this information publicly. The loss is generally attributed to foul play. In support of this theory at-tention is called to the similar disasters which overtook the British battle-ship Bulwark, which was blown up off Sheerness in November of last year with the loss of 700 or more men, and the British steamship Princess Irene, blown up in Sheerness harbor last May with the loss of between 300 and 400 lines.

lives London, Dec. 33.—The British armored cruiser Natal has sunk after an ex-plosion. Official announcement to this effect was made here today. The Natal was sunk yesterday afternoon while in harbor, as the result of in-ternal explosion. There are about 400 survivors. The sinking of the Natal is the severest loss which the British gavy has sustained in several months. No British naval vessels of importance have been sunk since last May, when the Triumph and Majestic were torpedoed at the Dardanelles. The Natal, although a powerful man-of-war, was laid down eleven years ago, and her displacement was only about one half that of the largest British sea lighters. The Natal's normal complement was 704 men. Her dis-placement was 13,660 tons. She was 480 feet long, and 73 feet of beam. Her largest guns were 9.2 inch. Of these she carried three forward and three aft. She was armed also with four 7.5 inch guns, twenty-four three gounders and three torpedo tubes.

FRENCH SUBMARINE REPORTED SUNK.

Berlin, Dec. 31, by wireless to Sayville—An official Austrian report, re-ceived here today from Vienna, says that the French submarine Monge was sunk on Wednesday by an Austrian flotilla. The action occurred in the Adriatic, off Durazzo, Albania. The statement

follows: "An Austro-Hungarian flotilla consisting of the cruiser Heligoland and five destroyers, on the morning of Dec. 29 destroyed the French submarine Monge. The second officer and fifteen sailors were captured. The Monge was built in 1909. She was 167 feet long and 392 tons dis-placement above water. Her complement was 24 men.

Killed in Action-Harry L. Winte-nute, New Westminster (B. C.) Wounded-Wm. McAdam, Scotland. REARIAL TENTH BATTALION. Wounded-Denis W. Hounsom, Eng-id; James Gilchrist, Scotland. **OF SOLDIERS' PAY** SIXTEENTH BATTALION. Dangerously III. Peter Burich, Mon SEVENTEENTH BATTALION. <text><text><text><text><text> Seriously III-Wm. A. Bennett, Win-ipeg: DONALD D. McPHERSON, Hen William (P. E. L) NINETEENTH BATTALION. Seriously III—Corporal Jos. Pearman amilton (Ont.) Wounded but on Duty—Edward F but on Duty-Edward F Henry Scott, Scotland. TWENTY-FOURTH BATTALION. Severely Wounded-James Smith, THIRTY-FIRST BATTALION. Wounded-Wm. Forster, Haseldene, Idmonton (Alta.) THIRTY-FOURTH BATTALION. Dangerously III - Albert Suelph (Ont.) THIRTY-SIXTH BATTALION. Died-Benj, Wright, England, FORTY-THIRD BATTALION.

DEATHS WHELPLEY-On Dec. Provincial Hospital, Alfred ley, in the 68th year of his CARSON-Suddenly, at on December 30, Hugh Can four sons and one, daughter, and two sisters to mourn.

ANDERSON-Entered the 28th inst., after a s pneumonia, at her resid rison street, Martha Am leavin

ter to mourn. MeMONAGLE—In this

MeMONAGLE-in this 19th inst., James, son of the and Ann McMonagle, prother and one sister to a BROWN-In this city, ast BROWN-Ic Brown, lea

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aged 73 years, leaving one daughters to mourn. (Fred

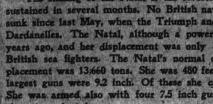
lease copy.) LOCKHART-In this

LOCKHART-In this of 2nd inst., Walter, aged set nine months, youngest ch and Mary Lockhart, leavin three brothers and one sis FULTON-On Decembe ple, Sheffield, Sunbury co lingering illness, Sarah, be Thomas H. Fulton, aged MacDOUGALL-Sudde ary 2, 1916, at 187 Parad

ary 2, 1916, at 187 Parad Oscar MacDougall, of Kings county, (N. B.), ag

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## MULLIN-To Mr. and ullin, 26 Charles street,

## MARRIAGE

STEPHENS-CANTY-(N. B.), Dec. 30, by Rev. Garfield Hayes Stephens to Canty, both of St. John. WANAMAKER-McMA

WANAMAKER-MCMAT the home of the bride's fat cember-30, 1915, by\*the Re Holmes, Ann Jane, younger William McMahon, of Fre King's county, to Joseph W maker, of .The Range, Qu (N. B.)

(N. B.) WETMORE-WHITE—A of the bride's parents, Lon B.), December 25, by the Shanklin, Amos. Jewel V Clifton (N. B.) to Lavis White, of Long Reach (N

blored. His uniform and equipments now traces of dark stains, a reminder nat on the previous day he had assist-it with others in bringing in wounded parades amid a perfect hell on earth Comments muching much and shall fire

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FOURTEENTH BATTALION. Wounded—William Ernest, Calai TWENTY-FIRST BATTALION. Killed in Action-Arthur Carman

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ingston (Ont.) Wounded-George Spicer, Garden Hill Jat.) TVENTY-SECOND BATTALION. Severely Wounded-J. E. Sparrow Hull (Ont.)

TWENTY-FIFTH BATTALION. Killed in Action-ALBERT HILL, the earth HALIMAX (N. S.)

forcing a sort of compulsory saving on the troops, which is both in their interest and in the interest of their families.

TWENTY-SIXTH BATTALION. Wounded-LIEUT, PERCY CLARE HERRAN, CRAPAUD (P. E. I.) TWENTY-NINTH BATTALION. Died of Wounds-Christopher Ma THIRTY-SIXTH BATTALION. Died-Herbert Bodwell, Ingers

and. FIFTY-EIGHTH BATTALION.

Seriously II-Stanley French, Toron Albert Thomas Quance, Barr RIVER GLADE RECRUITING RALLY Previously Reported Wounded, Nov Vounded and Missing Since Sept. 27-rivate Patrick Roach, Kingston (Ont.) Salisbury, Dec. 81-A rattling fine re-

CANADIAN CAVALRY DEPOT Seriously III-Edgar Reid, Toronto.

MIDNIGHT LIST. FIFTH BATTALION.

Salisbury, Dec. 81—A rattling fine re-cruiting meeting was held in the United Baptist church at River Glade Station on Thursday evening last. The speakers were Dr. O. B. Price, M.P.P. of Monc-ton; Sergeant H. D. Wadman and Rev. Norman A. MacNeill, pastor of the Salis-bury Baptist church. The Salisbury Car-net Band, which are doing their bit in recruiting work, were present and furm-ished the musical part of the programme. Councillor J. W. Carter presided. Pearl Smith enrolled at the meeting and several others, it is believed, will sign up later on ded-Charles E. Ellis, Chambe in (Sask) i (Sask.) Died of Wounds Lieut. Neville H ketts, Toronto.

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TWENTY-SECOND BATTALION. Killed in Action-Josephus Thauve THIRTY-SIXTH BATTALION. Seriously III-Sherwood E. Metcalfe, auffer (Alta.)

Steamer Coban Floated.

ROYAL CANADIAN REGIMENT. Dangerously III-Harry Estles, Eng-

lar's dress, All fall'n, all passing, those, Bird unbegotten and unb

> All the earth gave, again take. Blessed is she. Life snow. Grave is she, grave

and spouse. But suns were built in sake.

know Great laughters greet

Father's House. -Marjorie L. C. Pickt versity Magazine.

Soul, if indeed the dead Drink and lie down. Then quired of thee. If Shelley is but ash besid And Homer bide forever w If tall Hector not a sea-On the gray plain, if Shaka be broken In a little dust, and all l spoken, If Beatrix look no more If this be so, O Soul, case

Worship of woman and men, The sad, the brave, the p ficed. They are one with death worth thy tears. Yea, even thy grief is vain

Kisses no more the silver

11. Once more our halcyon by

Flashes his sapphired sh more The partridge suns along

silvered morning less, One gold flake filch'd fro

New wings, new leaves, r

Thou also shalt go