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CASUALTIES ARE 131

AMONG THE CANADIAN OFFICERS IN BIG BATTLE.

There Are Twenty-Eight Dead—The Second Battalion Has the Largest Roll of Honor.

(Special to the Whig.) Ottawa, April 28.—The casualty list among Canadian officers to date totals 131. Of these, 28 were killed in action or succumbed to wounds and 103 were wounded, several seriously.

The list is being supplemented every day and scattered members of the rank and file are filtering in.

From a standpoint of straight losses, regardless of whether killed or wounded, the Fourth Western Ontario Battalion suffered most heavily, no less than 20 out of the complement of 32 being out of commission. The 16th Highland Battalion from Western Canada is a close second with 19 officers killed and wounded. The Second Battalion, principally composed of Eastern Ontario men has 17 officers killed and wounded. The first composed of Western Ontario men has nine. The Third Ontario Battalion, mostly Toronto, has a total of eight. The Second Battalion has the largest roll of honor, one major, one captain and three lieutenants being dead on the field of battle. The Third and Fourth each have four officers killed.

On the list of killed, there are three lieutenant-colonels, three majors, nine captains and thirteen lieutenants. The wounded are 1 lieutenant-colonel, 14 majors, 32 captains and 56 lieutenants.

(Special to the Whig.) Ottawa, April 28.—The following list of additional casualties was issued at noon to-day:

First Battalion—Wounded, Private John David Cooke, London, Ont.; Private Arthur Taylor, St. Thomas; Sergt. Robert C. Andrews, Massachusetts, U.S.A.; Private Smith, Berlin, Ont.; Lance-Corporal Walter Taylor, Chatham; Private Thomas R. Murray, London, Ont.

Seriously wounded: Sergt. Master Tailor Alexander White, Detroit, Mich.

Died of wounds: Private Andrew Brookfield, Ingersoll and Private Edmund Keir, Toronto.

Fourth Battalion—Wounded: Private E. N. Ernest Wilcox, Edmonton, Alta.; Private Walter James Hare, Toronto; Lance-Corporal John Grundy Church, Freeman, Ont.

Seriously wounded: Lance-Corporal William Henry Peaks, Milton, Ont.; Private Nathan F. Montour, New Credit, Ont.

Second Battalion—Wounded: Private Frank Herbert Mason, Toronto; Lance-Sergeant William John Skewis, Toronto, Ont. — Seriously wounded, Private William Thomas Lemmon, Winnipeg, Man.

Dangerously wounded — Private Ray Christopher Herold, Whatcheer, Alta.

War Tidings.

Canadian wounded indignantly deny the story that they lost their guns. "It was the French guns that were lost and that we got back. They say: 'Do you think we would let our guns go until every man around them was slain?'"

Some figures of the great battle at Ypres tell their own story. When the Tenth Battalion formed up on Friday night 158 men answered their names when roll was called. After the advance of the 16th Battalion and their supports three hundred out of about twelve hundred responded. This does not mean, of course, that all these were lost.

GERMANS LOSING HEAVILY.

Paris, April 28.—To-day's official reports from the front disclose that the French and British continue to make progress against the Germans north of Ypres. Germans, it is stated, are losing severely in both men and materials.

LIEUT. CALVIN W. DAY KILLED IN CHARGE.

(Continued from Page 1.) Wednesday forenoon relatives of Capt. George Richardson had received no further particulars about the wounding of the Captain apart from official message sent out from the Militia Department at Ottawa. They are making every effort possible to secure information as to the extent of his injuries.

The parents of Lieut. Calvin Day are members of Sydenham Street Methodist Church. Capt. George Richardson was a teacher in the Bible School. Owing to the sad news which has come from the front the annual meeting of the Bible School called for Thursday night has been postponed.

Had a Narrow Escape.

A narrow escape from serious injuries was met by Edmund Bell, Collins Bay, on Wednesday morning at 11.30 o'clock, while the was driving into the city. The trace broke and allowed the tongue of the wagon to drop down. The horses made a bolt for liberty and Mr. Bell fell over behind their heels. Luckily he escaped injury by a pedestrian grabbing the horse, thus preventing them from running away.

In the casualty list appears the name of Kenneth Carruthers who is attached to the 2nd Field Artillery. He was attached to the R.C.H.A. before war broke out and held the rank of Battery Sergt-Major. His next of kin is in England. Justice Dunlop, in the Admiralty Court, Montreal, found the collier Stordad entirely to blame for the sinking of the C.P.R. liner Empress of Ireland in the St. Lawrence on May 29th last.

A PITTSBURGH DRAIN CASE

Decided By Judge Madden In Plaintiff's Favor.

At the Court House on Tuesday afternoon a case was tried over an excavation made in the Township of Pittsburgh by John Bennett. The latter had undertaken the contract to dig the drain and the total cost of it amounted to \$1,500, or \$79.55 more than the contract called for. Mr. Bennett sued for a declaration that \$79.55 in a tax paid be taken of the collector's roll. The defendant claimed that the amount was legally charged against the plaintiff.

The plaintiff was represented by A. B. Cunningham, while the Township Council had W. F. Nickle, and A. E. Day to fight their cause. Twenty witnesses were called to give evidence.

It was pointed out that the law absolutely prohibited the engineer entering upon the contract for the drain; consequently there was no jurisdiction to deal with the matter.

Judge Madden decided that the award made by the Township Engineer was void and invalid and no consequence or acquiescence given by Bennett can give the Engineer the jurisdiction he claims. The notice of finding of such jurisdiction was not given to Bennett as required by law. The judge found that the advertising for tenders was insufficient and in no way in compliance with the provisions of the law relating to drains such as this. The law must be strictly followed to fix the basis upon which the expenses for the work done be placed upon the roll.

The court ordered the sum to be removed from the collection roll and the lands of Bennett to be released from any such charge and Bennett receive full cost of expenses from the Township.

Col. J. A. Currie Sends Cable; "I am Safe"

(Special to the Whig.) Toronto, April 28.—A cablegram from Lieut. Col. J. A. Currie, M.P., in command of the Fifteenth Battalion, (whom rumor had made prisoner), was received this morning by Mrs. Currie. The cable reads: "I am safe."

This cable was sent from Hazebrouck and was dated April 28th. Hazebrouck is about twenty miles southwest of Ypres, and the big battle was fought just north of Ypres.

Hazebrouck is back of the Canadian line of trenches and it is possible that the Fifteenth Battalion is at present there in reserve.

STEAMER RAN AGROUND.

Donnelly Company Steamer Has Gone To the Rescue.

During Tuesday night, the steamer Winona, en route from Fort William to Montreal with a cargo of grain, ran aground near the Sister Island Light below Alexander Bay. The Donnelly steamer Cornwall and lighter have gone to the aid of the stranded steamer.

Tampering With Election Laws

Edmonton, Bulletin.—The Dominion Government propose to amend the election law that an enumerator can beat anybody out of his vote by simply leaving his name off the voters' list. The effect of this change will be to transfer the electing power from the public to the enumerators. And a government capable of creating such an opportunity for stealing an election may be trusted to appoint the sort of enumerators who will do the stealing.

Callander-Thompson Wedding
A quiet wedding was celebrated by Dean Starr in St. George's Cathedral on Wednesday morning, when Miss Scott Thompson, of England, was united in marriage to Prof. T. Callander, of Queen's University. The newly-weds left on the G.T.R. flyer at noon Wednesday for Montreal and will sail from New York for England to spend their honeymoon.

Two Of the Wounded.

Lieut. H. S. Matthews, Peterboro, among the Canadian wounded, graduated from the Royal Military College last June. He is twenty-two years of age.

Pte. Bruce Carruthers, machine gun section of the Canadians, and wounded, was born at Kingston twenty years ago.

Canadians Were Poisoned.

London, April 28.—The British War Office, in a statement supplementing its previous charges that the Germans in their fighting are using noxious gases, says:

"Medical evidence shows that Canadian soldiers have lost their lives in the recent fighting, not from wounds, but from poisoning by gases employed by the enemy."

Lieut.-Col. Duff Very Ill.

For the past few days, Lieut.-Col. H. R. Duff has been confined in the General Hospital suffering from a bad attack of pneumonia. His condition was a little improved on Wednesday morning.

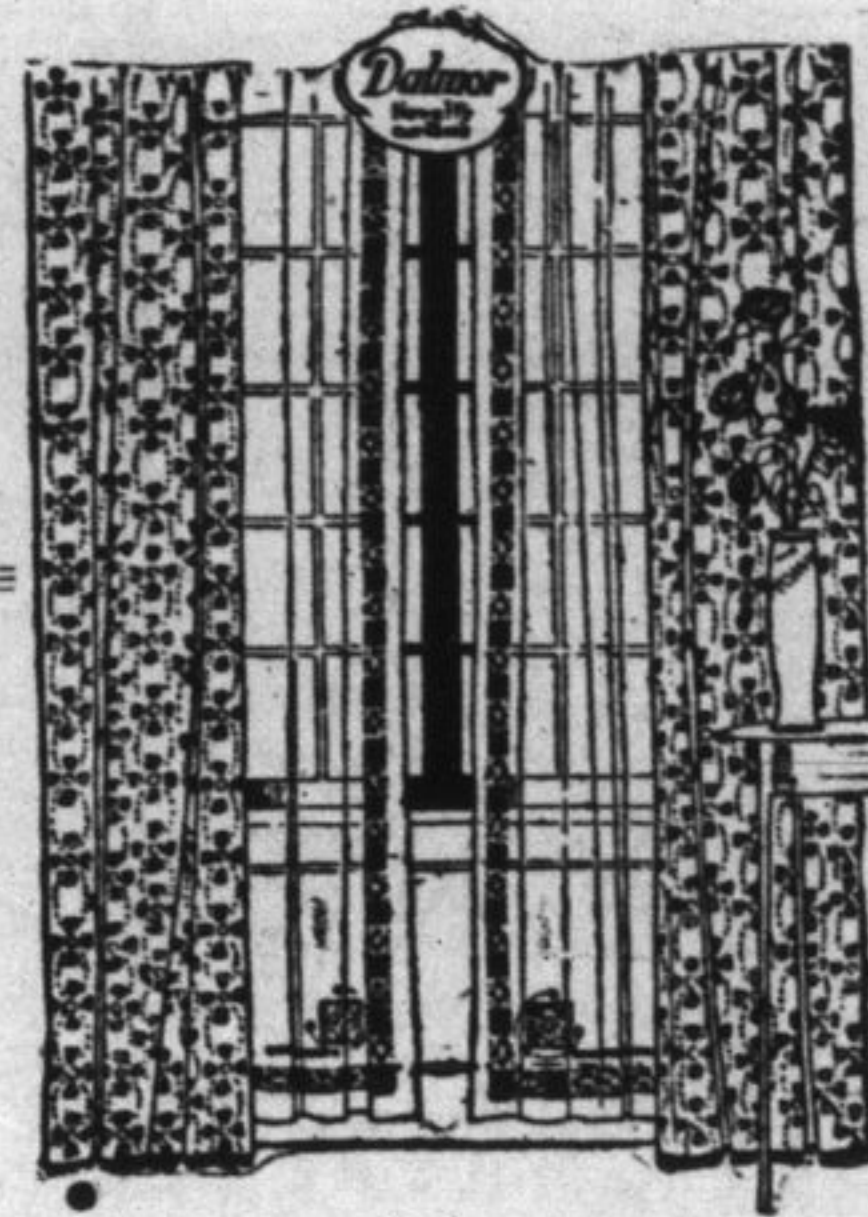
Hiram D. Lawrence, one of the oldest and most prominent business men of Northumberland County, died at the residence of his son-in-law, Clarence C. Bullock, Brighton. He was born in Prince Edward County.

Capt. W. L. Lockhart-Gordon, Toronto, killed in action, graduated at the Royal Military College in 1911, and was honor man of his year. He was aged twenty-four years.

Rev. Dr. Jordan is home, after visiting in Wallaceburg and Toronto. On Sunday evening he preached in Old St. Andrew's, Toronto.

The new Provincial License Commissioners will probably divide the Province into seven districts. Arthur Dewitt Foster, M.P. for King's, N.S., has resigned his seat in the House of Commons.

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