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VICTORIES BY THE YARD

Never in History of Warfare Have Victories Been Officially Announced by the Yard

This seeming deadlock on the eastern front a battle line 350 miles long, has been going on since the battle of the Marne, when the Germans falling in their dash on Paris, strongly entrenched themselves in Belgium and Northern France.

The armies, counting not less than six million of the flower of manhood of all countries engaged, are foot to foot, and eye to eye, and after days of yoman effort wrest not miles of territory or whole towns, but mere feet and yards. Yet these yards are as priceless under these conditions as leagues in a running fight.

The Canadian troops entrenched along the battle line not only have to their credit the fact of losing no precious yards, but in many instances have retrieved the losses of the Allies at important points.

Where the Union Jack floats over the rifle pits the Germans find their hardest task, and there is no position occupied by Canadian troops, over which their national banner does not float.

It is the same Union Jack which so proudly adorns the fronts of all patriotic homes in the Dominion—the same glorious banner as being distributed to readers by The Guardian, practically without price, as set forth in the announcement appearing elsewhere in today's issue.

No loyal citizen of Canada can afford to be without the flag under which Canada's sons are so valiantly fighting, and a flag for every home is the slogan of The Guardian. Those who have not yet received their flag outfits should read the announcement and apply at once to the office of this newspaper for one or more of the banners, which for a limited time can be had on such advantageous conditions.



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BASEBALL

The first baseball game of the season was played yesterday in Victoria Park between a team from St. Dunstan's College and the Connaughts, resulting in a victory for the latter by the score of 10-8.

Seven innings were played, and the game on the whole was a very good exhibition of the sport for a starter. Mr. S. Murphy was umpire and H. Fitzgerald base judge.

The line-up was as follows:—

S.D.C.		Conn.
R. St John	Catcher.	T. Corrigan
C. McLellan	Pitcher.	F. McCarey
C. Cahill	First Base.	L. Campbell
A. McDonald	Second Base.	J. Sweeney
L. McLellan	Third Base.	J. N. Conroy
J. McIntyre	Short Stop.	B. McNeill
H. Murphy	Left Field.	F. Hennessey
F. Conway	Right Field.	W. Keenan
E. Cahill	Centre Field.	W. Purcell

PERSONALS

Miss Mary McDonald, Vernon, spent the week end in this city.

Miss Teresa McDonald, Tracadie, spent the week end in this city.

Rev. J. W. MacKenzie, Belfast, was a visitor to this city yesterday.

Mr. Donald Nicholson, M. P., City, left yesterday for Ottawa.

Mr. R. McLean, Souris, was in Charlottetown yesterday.

Mr. A. C. Saunders, Mayor of Summerside, was in the City yesterday.

Miss Ella McKenzie, Mill View, spent the week end in this city.

Mr. G. H. Hooper left the city yesterday on return to Halifax.

The trustees presented their thirty-second annual report as follows:—

Mr. Ernest Auld, City, left yesterday, on a week's visit to St. John.

Mr. Angus Nicholson, Orwell Cove, was among the outward passengers yesterday from this city.

Mr. John McDougall, horse buyer, arrived in Charlottetown last evening from Sydney, C. B.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Rogers Summerside, left on Friday morning for Halifax.—H.

Mrs. G. Carver, Pownal, was among the outward passengers on the Murray Harbour train yesterday.

Dr. Gallant, an Islander who some time ago removed to the Magdalen Islands, is home on a visit.

Mr. Frank R. Hertz has returned home from a business trip to Boston and New York.

Mr. G. A. Thomson, of Messrs. Poole & Thomson, Montague, was in Charlottetown yesterday.

Mrs. McLaggan and her two children arrived in Charlottetown last night on a visit.

Mrs. G. A. B. MacDonald left yesterday morning for Penitton, B. C. She will visit her sister, Mrs. Henry Jenkins, in Calgary, en route.

His Lordship Bishop McDonald, Vancouver, B. C., left for home yesterday morning, after a short visit to His Lordship the Bishop of Charlottetown.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Russel Bell, of Moncton, are visiting Mr. Bell's parents in this city. They return on Thursday.

Rev. J. M. McLeod, St. Peter's Bay, left yesterday morning for Kingston, Ontario, to attend the annual assembly of the Presbyterian Church.

Mr. J. C. Thomsin, Antwerp, Belgium, who is spending the summer at Pownal, was in Charlottetown yesterday, accompanied by his friend, Mr. Young.

Rev. Canon Simpson, Rev. Mr. Trivett, Messrs. Horne, Hazard and W. L. Cotton, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Atkin left yesterday morning for Halifax to attend the annual Diocesan Synod.

Sergt. Ernest Carr, of the Army Medical Corps, of this city, who has been in the trenches in the city last night and is registered at the Russ. They leave to-day for Morson's Pond, Dundas, where they will spend a few days fishing.

Judge Forbes, Messrs. H. C. Rankine, W. H. Bann, and George A. Kimball, St. John, arrived in the city last night and are registered at the Russ. They leave to-day for Morson's Pond, Dundas, where they will spend a few days fishing.

OTTAWA, May 30.—George N. Barnes, British Labor member for St. Georges, and W. Windham, representing the British Board of Trade, who have been commissioned to secure skilled mechanics on this side of the Atlantic for the munition factories in Great Britain held conferences with the Canadian Shell Committee this afternoon and with members of the Government. They also addressed the Mayors of Ottawa this morning and explained the reasons of their visit. Skilled laborers accustomed to handling metal and working on lathes who desire to go will have their fares paid to England and will be insured at the highest rate of pay. If they stay six months they will be entitled to a return fare.

Mr. Barnes, however, states that he will not take men of this class from the Dominion if any objection is advanced by the Government here and it is not thought likely that he will secure many men from Canada. Men of the class which appear to be de-

THE PRINCE EDWARD

Excellent shows all the time seems to be the policy of the Prince Edward Theatre management, and unquestionably they live up to it. Last evening's programme was one of rare attraction, every picture put on the screen being in itself a treat.

There were three two-reel photo-plays and a one-reel drama—the second instalment of "The Hazards of Helen." The Master Key, which increases in interest and excitement with every number, was intense yesterday, and the renewal of the fierce fighting between the Mexicans and the miners, subsequently quelled by the intervention of the Militia, was a scene to make one sit up and take notice.

By a bit of unfortunate carelessness John Dore plays into the hands of his enemy, Wilkerson, who obtains a key to the situation of the lost chest, which had all along lain at the bottom of the sea. He gets up a search party, and before Dore realises his mistake Wilkerson recovers the iron chest, at which point the picture closes, leaving the spectator in quivering expectation as to what the next move in this masterful drama will be.

"The Master Key" undoubtedly surpasses any serial ever shown here. It is free from the hackneyed blood and thunder episodes which characterise the majority of serials, and instead is just a game of wits and strength—a crafty, unscrupulous man, influenced by a clever and equally unscrupulous woman, on the one hand, and a bright, brave, intelligent, but artless man, with an innocent girl and an honest old man, on the other. The development of the plot—which is fully entitled to that designation—is wonderful, and one cannot help being struck by the tremendous amount of money that must evidently have been expended on the production of the picture.

"Trapper's Revenge" was a splendid two-reel drama. It would be invidious to describe it as a "Western drama," for that might place it among the too-familiar cowboy adventures. It was a really splendid drama, full of life and with a strong plot. It was developed in a remarkably clever manner, and the photography throughout was magnificent.

"A Night Out" was another excruciating comedy, featuring Charles Chaplin, the droll and inimitable little man of the indispensible walking stick, which always gets him into trouble. There was more laughter in this picture than in a dozen ordinary comedies, and the house was in an incessant roar of hysterical laughter throughout its presentation.

"Kitty Green" was the title of a decided song "hit" by Mr. Edwards, who received with enthusiastic applause in this pretty little song.

Arrangements are also well under way for the refining under Government auspices and possibly with Government assistance of copper and zinc mines in British Columbia and for the manufacture of brass in the Dominion. At present the copper from the British Columbia mines, is shipped across to the United States in the face of a freight rate of \$10 per ton and of a heavy duty. It is refined there and must pay a further heavy freight rate when reimported into Canada. It is computed that at Trail, B. C., a refining plant could be established for a million and a half dollars and that the cost of refining the copper and manufacturing the brass would be more than compensated for by the saving in price of the manufactured articles.

This is the only part of the shells being made here which is not manufactured in Canada at present. Gun carriages are also being made in the Dominion and guns assembled and put together.

The Dominion is therefore, it will be seen, fast becoming an important manufacturer of munitions and it is doubtful whether skilled mechanics in any number can be spared. Certain classes of artisans and laborers are out of employment, but not many of the class desired by Mr. Barnes.

It is stated that 30,000 skilled mechanics are required and Mr. Barnes states that he does not expect Canada to supply a very large proportion of these.

with the shells screaming over in all directions. It is really wonderful what narrow escapes we have. This afternoon there were at least a dozen ly-dite shells struck within a few yards from our dug out, giving us a clay bath on each occasion, and a little piece of one them grazed the sleeve of my tunic. But with all the shells we have had so near, there has not been a man hurt.

I shall try and give you a description of our march into the trenches a few nights ago. To begin with we were turned out of our billets about 4 a. m. and after a long days marching etc. we arrived at our dressing station just before dark. After two hours rest and a meal we started for the trenches, which by the way were held by the French. The part of the line allotted to us was exceptionally hard to approach on account of having to go almost parallel with the trenches, which meant advancing under fire for about a mile and a half over fields, simply dotted with shell holes and old trenches some of which were blown to pieces with artillery.

Every hole and ditch was absolutely full of water and to make matters worse it began to rain hard and got so dark that you could scarcely see your finger two paces in front of you. In addition to our ordinary pack

bullets and every man would drop his pack and flop on his face on a dead cow or anything that happened to be in front of him, with the regularity of an automatic machine, then get up and start off in the same manner, when the light went out. Although it is more of a tragedy than anything else, to fall head first into a hole of water about three feet deep, with seventy pounds on your back and your arms full of ammunition, it is quite impossible to keep from laughing at the victim when you get him pulled out, which is no easy job.

After due consideration the guide decided to leave us behind an old ditch (where we were at least safe from the bullets) and go to look for our particular trench. After what seemed hours to us, the guide came back and informed us that he had really discovered our trench. Then we started again over what proved to be the worst part of the whole road. We stumbled over everything and there was everything from a "Jack Johnson" hole to a dead German's equipment to obstruct our way. Judging from the stench, I expected to step on a dead body any minute, but I found out later that the numerous holes, which have not been buried, are between our lines and the Germans.

At about 3 a. m. after very fatiguing manoeuvring we finally arrived at our trench and relieved the French gun section, who seemed very pleased to get away.

We mounted the guns immediately and took turns standing by them until daylight, when we had a better chance to rest. When day dawned, it presented a gruesome sight. Hundreds of Germans were lying between our lines with all their equipment on just a while ago. The French dead are buried right in the trenches in shallow graves with little white crosses at their heads.

Necessity is certainly the mother of invention. One of our chaps made a banjo out of a tin biscuit box, and he can play it fine. So we have a pretty good time when not shooting at the enemy. When the shells start coming close, we always get the banjo and have a sing-song.

I am really enjoying this trip in the trenches immensely. The weather is beautiful and the trenches are drying up fine.

I would like to write about five times as much, but I am sure I have written too much for the censor already. Now don't forget that this leaves me in the best of health and spirits.

Love to all,
J. E. LOCKERBY.

Dear Mother and Father:
Here I am again in the trenches

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NOW'S YOUR CHANCE TO SHOW YOUR LOYALTY



The King's Birthday

JUNE 3

Don't delay—come today and get your Union Jack outfit. There's one especially provided for you, one for every home, every patriot, every loyal Son and Daughter of Canada. No better way exists to show your loyalty to Canada's sons on the firing line than by hoisting your Empire's emblem on your home on the Natal Day of your Sovereign.

GEORGE V

who, according to recent cable dispatches, expressed his desire that the usual expenditure of money for banquets and other forms of celebration be omitted this year and that he would appreciate it if his loyal subjects WILL DISPLAY FROM THEIR HOUSE FRONTS THE EMPIRE'S FLAG as evidence of their patriotism on his birthday.

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